October 3, 2023

The regular meeting of the Planning Commission of Franklin Township was held in the Franklin Township Volunteer Fire Departments Building, was called to order at 7:00 pm by Chairperson Denise Benedict, also present were Commission members Dennis Howard, and Dave Karle.

Visitors were present Dee Engel

PUBLIC COMMENT

Dee has attended various other township meetings that shared concerns on solar farms, including fire department access roads for trucks to turn around, and the cleanup. Response time can take up to 6 hours if something goes wrong. Consider a bigger bond/ security deposit.

MINUTES

Dennis Howard made a motion to approve the minutes of September 5, 2023. Densie Benedict seconded. Motion Carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Solar Ordinance Review made some additional changes to access roads, surety bonds, and emergency services.

NEW BUSINESS

Dennis Howard made a motion to appoint Ralph Breiding as the Vice Chair to the Planning Commission. Denise Benedict seconded. Motion carried

ADJOURN

Dennis Howard made a motion to adjourn the meeting on October 3,2023. Denise Benedict seconded. Carried by all. The meeting was adjourned at 8:12pm.

Ramona Junkins, Recording Secretary