

# Sturgis Township Planning Commission

Meeting Minutes  
January 27, 2020- 7:00 p.m.

Von Metzger called the meeting to order at 7:05 P.M.

Present: Mike Bobalik, Robyn Krawczak

Absent: Bill Furr, Jim Cook Staff present: – none

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:** Anita Ritter, 25929 Haven St., inquired about the kennel law. She wanted to know if it goes into effect the way it states “over three dogs and you need 5 acres.” Bobalik explained how the Planning Commission is looking at a limited moratorium on the development of dog kennels and dog breeding facilities. The township will be looking into this ordinance further with other townships, animal control, veterinarians, and animal welfare groups.

**MINUTES-** for November 25, 2019 were approved on a motion by Bobalik, supported by Krawczak

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

**ZONING ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT:** *NONE*

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

Review/discuss kennel ordinance – tabled until the February meeting

Special Use Permit– Sign requested by Red Rose Flooring, 26545 US 12. Metzger made a motion to accept contingent on meeting the criteria in the ordinance. Supported by Bobalik. *APPROVED*

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

-- None

## **CORRESPONDENCE:**

-- None

Meeting was adjourned on a motion by Metzger, supported by Bobalik at 7:45 P.M.

Minutes submitted by: Robyn Krawczak, Secretary