

Arlington Township  
**Planning Commission**  
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MINUTES THURSDAY JANUARY 4, 2024.

- **CHAIRMAN BUTLER CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 6:00 PM**
- **FOLLOWED BY THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- **ROLL CALL: ALL PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBERS WERE PRESENT**

Bill Handlang Y Tina Loomis Y Ron Klein Y

Donna Bell Y Matt Butler Y

- **APPROVAL OF AGENDA: MOTION BY DONNA BELL AS SUPPORTED BY MATT BUTLER TO APPROVE THE AGENDA WITH PROCEDURAL ADDITIONS AS NOTED IN ITALICS..APPROVAL MEETING MINUTES DRAFT**
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- **MOTION FOR APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES: September 6, 2023: BY DONNA BELL, SUPPORTED BY RON KLEIN; APPROVED UNANIMOUS.**
- **CHAIRMAN BUTLER OPENED THE PUBLIC HEARING TO DISCUSS THE ARLINGTON TOWNSHIP MINING ORDINANCE, HE NOTED THAT THIS WAS THE SECOND PUBLIC HEARING. HE STATED:**
  - Comments will be limited to 3 minutes.
  - Please provide your name and address.
  - Direct the board will all questions and comments.

**Discussion was held on the organization, necessity for, and details of the ordinance.**

**Following Chairman Buttler's query if there were any more comments.**

**Ron Klein made a "motion to close the public hearing." Motion supported by Tina Loomis. Approval: unanimous.**

- **Chairman butler opened board discission on the Mining and mineral extraction ordinance.**
  - BOARD DISCUSSION FOLLOWED REGARDING QUESTIONS ABOUT, ORGANIZATION, MONITORING AND REGULATING .SEVERAL CHANGES WERE SUGGESTED THAT WOULD

POSTPONE CONSIDERATION FOR A RECOMMENDATION TO THE ARLINGTON TOWNSHIP BOARD.

- CHAIRMAN BUTLER CLOSED DISCUSSION.
  
- RON KLEIN MADE A :“MOTION TO TABLE THIS DRAFT OF THE ARLINGTON TOWNSHIP MINING AND MINERAL EXTRACTION, SPECIAL LAND USE, AND LICENSING ORDINANCE FOR REVISION AND FURTHER DISCUSSION.” DONNA BELL SUPPORTED THE MOTION: MOTON APPROVED UNANIMOUS.

FOLLOWING DISCUSSION:

THE PLANNING COMMISSION WILL NEXT MEET TUESDAY JANUARY 16, 2024 TO DISCUSS AND TAKE ACTION ON THE FINAL DRAFT. THE FINAL DRAFT WILL BE COMPLETED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND BE POSTED ON THE ARLINGTON TOWNSHIP WEBSITE.

CHAIRMAN BUTLER: MOTION TO ADJOURN, SUPPORTED BY RON KLEIN. APPROVAL UNANIMOUS

- MEETING ADJOURNED AT 7:27

Respectfully submitted,

*Ronald B. Klein*

*Ex Officio, Secretary*

*Arlington Township Planning Commission*