

Charter Township of Ironwood  
January 19, 2009  
Special Joint meeting  
Planning Commission and Charter Township of Ironwood

**At 4:30 p.m.** Supervisor Mattson called the special meeting to order with the pledge of allegiance and roll call was taken.

**ROLL CALL:**

Present: Supervisor Kim Mattson, Clerk Gayla Salmi, Treasurer Jyl Olson.

Trustees: Steve Boyd, Bernie Brunello, Bob Fredrickson, Kathy Maki.

**ALSO PRESENT:** Planning Commission Members :Sandy Lahtinen, Frank Genisot, Bob Lynn, Joe Kafczynski, Jason Hofstede. Scott Suvanto, William Suvanto, Mark Suvanto, Steve Tiziani, Holly Jennings, and Chris Botkins.

**AMENDMENTS TO AGENDA:** None. A motion was made by Mr. Brunello supported by Ms. Olson to accept the agenda as presented. The motion carried.

**PURPOSE OF MEETING:**

Discussion of Ordinance 49- Soils ordinance.

Various discussions were held regarding the ordinance. Mr. Boyd received a letter from Mr. Suvanto (attached) with some suggestions and reviewed the letter. Discussion of depth of wells in surrounding area, discussion of machinery and weigh stations in and near gravel pits were discussed. Some changes were accepted by the planning commission.

A motion was made by Mr. Fredrickson supported by Ms. Salmi to send the ordinance back to the planning commission to hold another public hearing. Ms. Olson asked if the planning board was going to be present at the meeting in which the ordinance would be considered for adoption. The Planning commission agreed to be present. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

Ayes Salmi, Fredrickson.

Nays: Boyd, Olson, Mattson, Brunello, Maki.

ABSENT None.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

A constituent noted the increase in noise and traffic from the pit on Junet Road.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 5:28 p.m. Hearing no other business a motion was offered by Mr. Brunello supported by Mrs. Maki to adjourn the special meeting. The motion carried.

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Kim Mattson, Supervisor

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Gayla Salmi, Clerk