

Village of Hampshire
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
Monday, June 24, 2024 - 7:00 PM
Hampshire Village Hall
234 South State Street, Hampshire, IL 60140

MEETING MINUTES

1. Call to Order

The Village of Hampshire Planning & Zoning Commission was called to order by Chairman Mroch at 7:01 P.M.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Chairman Mroch led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Roll Call

Present: Commissioners Grace Duchaj, Scott McBride (Arrived at 7:02 P.M.), Bill Rossetti, Sharon Egger, Lawrence Rapach and Chairman Bryan Mroch.

Absent: Commissioner Rick Frillman.

4. A Motion to Approve the Meeting Minutes from February 26, 2024

Motion: Commissioner Rossetti.

Second: Commissioner Rapach.

Ayes: Commissioners Duchaj, McBride, Rossetti, Egger, and Rapach and Chairman

Mroch.

Nayes: None.

Abstain: None.

Motion Approved.

5. Case#: PZC-24-01 - Public Hearing

Address: 165 Arrowhead Dr.

Petitioner & Owner: EMAAR Real Estate, LLC

Request: Variance to Sec. 6-11-2-J of the Hampshire Zoning Ordinance to permit a gravel parking lot, whereas it is required to be a paved surface.

Chairman Mroch opened the Public Hearing.

Mr. Khan provided an overview of the request being made by the Petitioner. Mr. Khan stated that Staff did not find a hardship for the Petitioner. However, it should be noted that the Planning & Zoning Commission did recently recommend approval for a similar variance request and that should be taken into consideration for

discussion and vote.

Mr. Khan introduced Mr. Mascote, representative for the Petitioner & Owner. Mr. Mascote stated that the initial business plan for a truck wash for the property was abandoned due to Love's having a truck wash. Mr. Mascote additionally stated that the owner is considering new business plans and is unsure where the new building will be located so that is the reason for this request.

Chairman Mroch asked for Public Comments; no public comments were provided.

Chairman Mroch closed the Public Hearing at 7:15 P.M.

Commission Egger asked a question regarding the access off of Deitrich Rd. Mr. Mascote stated no access will be made off of Deitrich Rd.

Commissioner McBride made a comment regarding the cul-de-sac/turnaround at the end of Arrowhead Dr. that is on the subject property. Mr. Mascote stated that discussion has been had with the Fire District regarding this and either the cul-de-sac/turnaround will be kept or alternative access will be provided for fire apparatus to turnaround at the end of Arrowhead Dr.

Commissioner Duchaj stated she did not find a hardship for the variance request.

Chairman Mroch entertained a motion to recommend approval with staff's recommended condition of approval:

Motion: Commissioner McBride.

Second: Commissioner Egger.

Ayes: Commissioners Rossetti, Egger, McBride, and Chairman Mroch.

Nays: Commissioners Duchaj and Rapach.

Motion Approved.

6. New Business

None.

7. Old Business

a. Discussion Regarding Proposed Text Amendments to Zoning Ordinance

Mr. Khan stated that based on feedback and internal discussion by staff, when the text amendments come to the Planning & Zoning Commission for consideration the Farming Zoning District will remain as-is.

8. Public Comments

No Public Comments were made.

9. Announcements

Mr. Khan stated that there will not be a meeting on July 8, 2024. Mr. Khan also stated that there will be a meeting on July 22, 2024.

10. Adjournment

Motion: Commissioner Rossetti. Second: Commissioner Duchaj.

Ayes: Commissioners Duchaj, McBride, Rossetti, Egger, and Rapach.

Nayes: None.

Abstain: None.

Adjourned at: 7:29 P.M.

Submitted July 22nd, 2024.

Mo Khan

Mo Khan, Assistant Village Manager for Development

APPROVED: 7/22/24