

**Bertrand Township
Planning Commission Regular Meeting
August 1, 2019**

- Chairman Wagner called the meeting held at 3835 Buffalo Road to order at 7:00pm
- All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call – Those present were: Bauer, Duis, Hicks, Kuhn, Marsh-McCarty, Moore and Wagner. Zoning Administrator Glick and 1 guest were also present.
- **Motion by Marsh-McCarty and support by Moore to accept the BTPC Minutes of June 20, 2019 as presented. Voice Vote: Motion Passed**
- Reports:
Zoning Administrator Glick (See attached zoning report) DSS Site Plan Review with JPR Architect Andrew Cunningham @ September PC meeting.

Ex-Officio Kuhn announced the MTA Hot Topics in Planning seminars around the state in August. Kalamazoo's seminar is during fair week.
- Public Comment-Kurt Lehman of Redbud asked for a review of the Fence Ordinance.
- August Meeting Topics
Review and discussion ensued regarding zoning ordinance amendments for Earth Removal/Extraction-ready, Guest House-ready, Wedding Barn Venue-tabled, Wind/Solar Energy-tabled, Accessory Buildings-ready, Fence-tabled and Home Sharing Rentals-dismissed. September topics will be DSS site plan review, Wind/Solar and Fence amendments. All other readied amendments should be in format for October meeting.
- Other Business/Commission Member Comments-Updated By-Laws copies were distributed. Planning/Zoning documents are still being uploaded to website.
- **Motion by Bauer and support by Marsh-McCarty to adjourn the meeting at 8:55pm. Voice Vote: Motion Passed**

Respectfully Submitted,

Rhonda Hicks, Secretary dated
Bertrand Township Planning Commission