

**VILLAGE PLANNING COMMISSION  
HELD ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 2014  
AT 3:30pm AT 315 QUARTZ STREET, ONTONAGON**

**PRESENT: J. Moskwa Co- Chairman, Members: D. Kattelus, M. Mogan and Manager, J. Erickson**

**ABSENT: J. Brogan, H. Hoefflerle**

**CALL OR ORDER:**

At 3:30 pm the meeting was called to order and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Co-Chairman.

**AGENDA:**

**A motion was made by Kattelus, second by Mogan, (CARRIED) to approve the Agenda.**

**MINUTES:**

**A motion was made by Kattelus, second by Mogan, (CARRIED) to approve the minutes of the Planning Commission of Feb. 19, 2014.**

**ITEMS FROM THE FLOOR:**

John Hamm discussed right of ways and snow plowing issues.

We received a call that a neighbor plowed his snow into his driveway because they were gone for the winter. We need to set standards and inform people.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**R.O.W. ORDINANCE**

- Commercial & private snowplows' are putting snow in others property and road way then want Village crews to remove it.
- Suggest commercial drivers to register with the village at no cost and provide them with a copy of rules.
- **A motion was made by Kattelus, second by Mogan, (CARRIED) to have the manager look for similar snow removal ordinances with the focus on Public Safety. Possible public snow dumps sites for commercial and private haulers. Educate/publication of ordinance importance.**

**PROPOSED ZONING AMENDMENT**

- Discussed adding Section 5.5.5.4 Zoning Ordinance to allow Planning Commission to defer the requirements for off street parking for the allowed uses in the DT3 Zoning District.

**A motion was made by Kattelus, second by Mogan, (CARRIED) to add Section 5.5.5.4 to the Zoning Ordinance that states the Planning Commission shall determine (1) that there is adequate public parking available within 300 feet of the proposed use, (2) that the typical parking hours of employees and customers do not conflict with any other Village Ordinances, and (3) that off street parking is provided for any residential uses of the property and schedule a Public Hearing for the April 16, 2014 meeting and cover expenses.**

**OTHER BUSINESS:**

- J. Moskwa inquired about the status of the "Old" school building.

**AJOURN**

**At 4:50 pm a motion was made by Kattelus, second by Mogan, (CARRIED) to adjourn the meeting.**

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**J. Moskwa –Co- Chairman**

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**Marcia Aho-Black, Village Clerk**

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**Date**