GENOA CHARTER TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS JANUARY 18th, 2012 6:30 P.M.

MINUTES

Chairman Dhaenens called the regular meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals to order at 6:30 p.m. at the Genoa Charter Township Hall. The Pledge of Allegiance was then said. The board members in attendance were as follows: Marianne McCreary, Chris Grajek, Barbara Figurski, Steve Wildman and Jeff Dhaenens. Also present was Township staff member Adam VanTassell and 6 persons in the audience.

Moved by Figurski, supported by Wildman to approve the agenda with the following items to be tabled #1 and #2 until the next meeting. **Motion carried unanimously.**

A call to the public was made with no response.

12-01...A request by Peter Young, Section 26, 6442 Forest Beach, for a side yard variance to construct an addition.

A call to the public was made with the following response: Doug Milne, 6501 Forest Beach, questioned if this project was going to be done in a timely manner and that all the necessary permits would be applied for?

Moved by McCreary, supported by Wildman, to approve case# 12-01, 6442 Forest Beach, for a side yard variance to 15 feet with a setback of 15 feet to construct a 10 x 16 sunroom off the back of the home. Conditioned upon the addition being guttered and the necessary permits to be applied for. **Motion carried unanimously.**

The finding of fact is the typography of the land and the clarification of the property lines.

12-02...A request by Michael Biliskov, Sec. 26, 4556 Bauer Road, for a variance to construct a detached accessory structure in the front yard.

A call to the public was made with the following response: Robert Lelli, 4631 Treasure Lake Road, stated that the ordinance is in affect for the whole community and they are there for a reason.

Moved by Wildman, supported by Grajek, to deny case# 12-02, 4556 Bauer, due to the zoning does not allow for the request and there is no practical difficulty. Motion carried unanimously.

Moved by Figurski, supported by Wildman to approve the December 13th, 2011 Zoning Board of Appeals minutes with corrections. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Moved by Figurski, supported by Wildman to adjourn the Zoning Board of Appeals meeting at 7:13 p.m. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Respectfully submitted:

Amy Ruthig