

**Notice of an Electronically Conducted  
Regular Meeting of the  
Freedom Township Planning Commission**

Notice is hereby given that the Freedom Township Planning Commission will conduct their regularly scheduled June 2, 2020 meeting electronically at 7:30 p.m., consistent with direction from the Governor and state and county health officials to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus. There will be no in-person public attendance at the Township Hall.

All interested persons may attend and participate. The public may participate in the meeting by computer or smartphone using the following link to the electronic meeting location:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89135842440>.

To participate via telephone, please call (312) 626-6799. Enter "89135842440" and the "#" sign at the "Meeting ID" prompt, and then re-enter the "#" sign again at the "Participant ID" prompt to join the meeting.

Access to the electronic meeting will open at 7:15 p.m. Members of the general public will be placed in a virtual waiting room until the meeting moderator opens the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting agenda and instructions for connecting to the meeting electronically are available on the Township's website at <http://www.freedomtownshipmi.org/>.

Questions and comments will be received during the public comment sections of the meeting. For participants accessing via computer or smartphone to indicate a desire to address the Planning Commission, please use the "Raise Your Hand" icon. First, click on the "Participants" button at the bottom center of the screen, and then click on the "Raise Your Hand" icon near the bottom right corner of the screen. To raise your hand for telephone dial-in participants, press \*9. The Chair will call on you by the last three digits of your phone number to invite any comment, at which time you will be unmuted by the meeting moderator.

Please speak clearly, and provide your name and address before making your comments. Please note that the meeting moderator will control the muting and unmuting of participants during public comment. Written comments may be mailed to the Freedom Township Planning Commission, Attn. Larry Lindemann, Chair, 13500 Pleasant Lake Rd., Manchester, MI 48158.

Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate should call the Township Clerk at (734) 222-6399. Persons requiring speech or hearing assistance may contact the Clerk through the Michigan Relay Center at 711.

## **Instructions to Participate in an Electronically Conducted Regular Meeting of the Freedom Township Planning Commission**

Freedom Township Planning Commission will conduct their regularly scheduled June 28, 2020 meeting electronically at 7:30 p.m., consistent with direction from the Governor and state and county health officials to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus. There will be no in-person public attendance at the Township Hall.

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### **"Raise Your Hand" for Citizen Participation During the Public Comment Periods**

Questions and comments will be received during the public comment sections of the meeting. For participants accessing via computer or smartphone to indicate a desire to address the Board of Trustees, please use the "Raise Your Hand" icon. **First, click on the "Participants" icon** at the bottom of your screen. **Next, click on the "Raise Your Hand" icon** near the bottom right corner of the screen.



Click "Lower Hand" to lower it if needed. The Chair will be notified that you've raised your hand and would like to speak. The Mute/Unmute function will be controlled by the meeting moderator.

**To raise your hand for telephone dial-in participants, press "star" and then the number "nine" (\*9).** The Chair will call on you by the last three digits of your phone number to invite any comment, at which time you will be unmuted by the meeting moderator.

**Do I need to download the Zoom app to access the meeting?** No. Use of the Zoom app is recommended, but you will have options to "download & run Zoom" or "join from your browser" when you click on the link to join the meeting.

**Can I Use Bluetooth Headset?** Yes, as long as the Bluetooth device is compatible with the computer or mobile device that you are using.

**Do I have to have a webcam to join on Zoom?** While you are not required to have a webcam to join a Zoom Meeting, you will not be able to transmit video of yourself. You will continue to be able to listen and speak during public comment, and view the webcam video of other participants.

**Leaving the Meeting:** Click the "Leave Meeting" link at the corner of the screen at any time to leave the meeting.

Freedom Township  
Agenda for Planning Commission Meeting,  
June 2, 2020 Starting at 7:30 PM  
Zoom Meeting

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Estimated  
schedule

7:30PM

**1. Pledge of Allegiance:**

7:32PM

**2. Call to order: Roll call:** Little, Flahie, Lindemann, Ochs, and Schaible

7:35 PM

**3. Adoption of Agenda:**

7:40 PM

**4. Approval of minutes:** Regular meeting

7:45 PM

**5. Communications:** CMS construction update, MTF

7:50 PM

**6. Audience Participation:** A member of the audience may address the commission (3 minute's per member). If the issue/discussion warrants further attention, it may appear as a future agenda item.

8:00 PM

**7. Old Business:**

- 1) Stoneco amendment (renewal) Pleasant Hills Pit 9 tabled until further info.
- 2) Stoneco Burmeister pit renewal application.
- 3) Alternate energy zoning amendments discussion time permitting.
- 4) Conditional use Stoneco of Michigan. Set public hearing date?

8:20 PM

**8. New Business:**

- 1) Set gravel pit tour for fall

9:30 PM

**9. Reports:** Chair, Township Board Rep., ZBA Rep., Planning Consultant, Township Officials.

9:40 PM

**10. Audience Participation:** A member of the audience may address the commission (3 minute's per member). If the issue/discussion warrants further attention, it may appear as a future agenda item.

9:45 PM

**11. Items on Next Month Agenda:** Jim Clark site plan application, Stoneco Burmeister renewal Zoning amendments.

10:00 PM

**12. Adjournment:**