

**MINUTES
BOROUGH OF LAVALLETTE
REGULAR MEETING OF THE PLANNING BOARD
Wednesday, October 24, 2012**

Chairman Lionel Howard presiding

Roll Call:

Vincent Marino, Designee of Mayor LaCicero - present
Councilwoman Joanne Filippone - present
Lionel Howard, Chairman - present
William Zylinski – Vice-Chairman – present
Christopher Parlow, Borough Administrator – present
Joseph Baginski - absent
Rosangela Zaccaria - present
Anthony Cataline - present
Len Calderaro – present

Joseph Palinsky - present
Barbara Brown – absent

Thomas Kunz, Esq. - present

Public Notice Announcement:

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Mr. Palinsky will be sitting in the absence of Mr. Baginski.

Flag Salute:

Chairman Howard deferred the flag salute to the public portion of the meeting.

Review and Approval of Minutes:

The Board reviewed the Minutes of the Workshop Meeting of October 10, 2012.

A motion was made by Mrs. Filippone, seconded by Mr. Palinsky to approve the Minutes of the October 10, 2012 meeting. All present voting in favor.

Review and Adoption of Resolutions to be memorialized:

N/A

Review of Cases:

**Application No. 6-12 – James Tuscano/Jean Mattos – Block 1115 Lots 11 & 13
222 & 226 Bryn Mawr Ave. – Minor Subdivision**

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New/Old Business:

Mr. Howard introduced Thomas Kunz, Esq., who is a partner at Coronato, Brady & Kunz and was substituting for Mr. Brady at this meeting.

Copies of the New Jersey State Permit Extension Act of 2008 were distributed to all board members along with the a cover letter from Mr. Brady stating that: *“In essence, the amended law extends approvals granted by planning boards and zoning boards (and other governmental agencies) through December 31, 2014. There is no need for applicants to file applications to extend approvals granted after January 1, 2007 since the approvals are statutorily extended to December 31, 2014.”*

Case # 2-12 Steve & Kim Atno: The Board reviewed the contents of Mr. Brady’s letter of August 17, 2012, explaining that the applicant’s are requesting that the conditions of approval should be conditions for submission of amended plans, and not conditions prior to issuing a zoning permit since some of the conditional work cannot be done without the prior issuance of zoning and building permits. Mr. Brady recommended that as a courtesy to the applicant, and in order that there be no misunderstanding by the zoning officer, that the Board consider a motion to approve the contents of said letter.

A motion to approve was moved by Mr. Zylinski, seconded by Mrs. Filippone with all others present voting in the affirmative.

Mrs. Zaccaria would prefer the Planning Board meeting packets be mailed out instead of being held at the Borough office for pick up. Mr. Parlow and the Board Secretary will make sure that there are no budgetary problems at this time.

Mr. Palinsky asked Mr. Parlow for clarification on the practice of sending e-mails regarding Planning Board business to members via personal computers. Mr. Parlow

said that it is a State law that if you receive e-mail on your home computer regarding government business, your computer can be officially reviewed for content citing that those e-mails are subject to OPRA. Mr. Kuntz further explained that as Planning Board members, we are connected to local government .

Adjournment:

On motion, made and seconded the workshop portion of the Regular meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

The Board took a 5 minute recess.

PUBLIC MEETING

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Mr. Allen MacDuffie, introduced the applicants; Mr. James Tuscano and Mrs. Jean Mattos and Mr. Andrew Stockton, the property engineer.

Mr. MacDuffie attempted to explain the details of the proposed sub-division and recruited the assistance of the property engineer. Mr. Andrew Stockton was sworn in and presented Exhibit A-1, an aerial view of Block 1115 showing the proposed subdivision.

There was a great deal of discussion about pre-existing conditions, setbacks, ground coverage, structure coverage, demolition, etc. During these discussions, Mr. Stockton disclosed that there were mistakes in the plans that were submitted with the application and then presented Exhibit A-2, a five-page revision. He also stated that he was not aware of some of our Ordinances; one in particular concerning the air conditioning condenser being counted as lot coverage. It became apparent that more clarification regarding this project was needed.

At this point, Mr. Parlow stated that the application had changed significantly, and that it would be impossible for the Board to review these plans and vote on this application at this meeting. Therefore, Mr. Howard requested that this Application be held over until such time as the new/revised plans could be submitted for review and all other necessary adjustments to these properties be clarified.

Mrs. Filippone suggested that moving forward with this Application, it should be presented lot by lot. She also pointed out that if the two non-conforming lots cannot be brought into compliance, variances will be required. Mr. Howard agreed that we should review this application lot by lot before approving the subdivision. Mr. Howard asked Mr. MacDuffie if he was agreeable to waiving all the current time requirements and hold this application over to our next scheduled Planning Board Meeting on November 28, 2012. Mr. MacDuffie was in agreement.

Chairman Howard opened the meeting to the public for comments. Receiving no comments, Chairman Howard closed the public portion of the meeting at 7:58 p.m.

Adjournment:

On motion by Mr. Parlow, seconded by Mr. Howard, the public meeting was adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Joyce Deutsch, Secretary