



**THOMAS TOWNSHIP
PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING
Thomas Township Public Safety Building, 8215 Shields Drive, Saginaw, MI 48609
Wednesday, November 18, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.**

AGENDA

- 1. Call the Thomas Township Planning Commission Meeting to Order.**
- 2. Roll Call. (Members please state your Name).**
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance.**
- 4. Approval of Agenda.**
- 5. Approval of Minutes from October 21, 2015.**
- 6. Election of Planning Commission Officers**
- 7. Communications – Petitions – Citizens Comments.**
(It is requested that you state your name and address for the record, and address the Planning Commission while standing at the podium please).
- 8. Presentations**
 - A. Site Plan Review for Consumers Energy, 7888 Gratiot Road, to install a utility site.**

Department Reviews:

Police Department: Approved, no additional comments.

Fire Department: Approved, no additional comments.

DPW: Approved, no additional comments.

Township Manager:

9. Hearings

A. *Amendment to Zoning Ordinance-Section 3.2 (o)-Parking of Recreational Equipment and Recreational Vehicles; Section 5.3 (e)-Parking of Vehicles; Add Definition of “Driveway” to Section 2.2-Definitions.*

- 1. *Open Public Hearing.***
- 2. *Review Proposed Text Amendments.***
- 3. *Ask for Public Comment.***
- 4. *Close Public Hearing.***
- 5. *Vote on Text Amendments.***

B. *Amendment to Zoning Ordinance-Related to Farm Manager Housing in A-1 & A-2 Zoning Districts.*

- 1. *Open Public Hearing.***
- 2. *Review Proposed Text Amendment.***
- 3. *Ask for Public Comment.***
- 4. *Close Public Hearing.***
- 5. *Vote on Text Amendment.***

10. Sign Board-None

11. New Business

- A. *Capital Improvement Plan.***
- B. *2016 Planning Commission Meeting Calendar.***

11. Old Business

- A. *Master Plan Update - This is a continuation of the Master Plan Update Process from previous meetings.***

12. Receive and File Correspondence-Planning & Zoning News October 2015

13. Ordinance Committee Meeting Request.

14. Adjournment – Next Planning Commission Meeting – Wednesday, December 16, 2015

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**Thomas Township
Planning Commission Meeting
Citizen Comment Instructions**

Any citizen may address the Thomas Township Planning Commission during the public hearing portion of any agenda item.

The Planning Commission Chairman will ask if there is anyone who would like to address the Planning Commission. If there are multiple people, he will invite you to speak when it is your turn.

You will be asked to stand and state your name and address for the records.

You may then address your issue to the Planning Commission. In the interest of time, all citizens shall limit their address to three minutes; however, the Planning Commission Chairman has the right to extend the time limit.