TOWN OF BARKHAMSTED PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2022 BARKHAMSTED TOWN HALL

Chairman Christina Lavieri called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. Members present were Tom Andersen, James Hart and John Polderman, and alternate Rejean Labrie. Labrie was seated for Kaczinski.

NEW APPLICATIONS:

A. APPLICATION FROM TOWN OF BARKHAMSTED TO SELL TWO PIECES OF PROPERTY, 56 RIVERTON ROAD AND 67 RIVERTON ROAD

Pursuant to CGS-24, the Town of Barkhamsted must get the approval from the Planning and Zoning Commission to sell Town Property. These two lots were acquired by a Tax Sale. Andersen made a motion to approve the request to sell 56 Riverton Road and 67 Riverton Rd, seconded by Labrie and unanimously approved.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

APPLICATION TO AMEND ZONING REGULATIONS ARTICLE I, SECTION 193-27 A TO ALLOW PRIVATE RECREATION CAMPSITES BY SPECIAL EXCEPTION, AMEND ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 193-58 PRIVATE COMMERCIAL RECREATION CAMPSITES AND ADD ARTICLE XII, SECTION 79 TEMPORARY AND LIMITED MORATORIUM ON CANNABIS ESTABLISHMENTS AND APPROVE THE 2022 ZONING.

No public attended the meetings to hear the proposed amendments. A letter from Selectman Stein was read into the record, voicing his opinion against the Cannabis moratorium. The commission discussed the recreational campsites and the possibility of tabling and discussing a 10 acre minimum instead of 25 acres. The zoning map was reviewed. Polderman made a motion to close the Public Hearing at 7:20, seconded by Andersen and unanimously approved.

Labrie made a motion to amend the agenda to consider action on the proposed amendments to the zoning regulation under the public hearing, seconded by Andersen and unanimously approved.

PENDING APPLICATIONS.

APPLICATION TO AMEND ZONING REGULATIONS ARTICLE I, SECTION 193-27 A TO ALLOW PRIVATE RECREATION CAMPSITES BY SPECIAL EXCEPTION, AMEND ARTICLE VIII, SECTION 193-58 PRIVATE COMMERCIAL RECREATION CAMPSITES AND ADD ARTICLE XII, SECTION 79 TEMPORARY AND LIMITED MORATORIUM ON CANNABIS ESTABLISHMENTS AND APPROVE THE 2022 ZONING.

The Commission voted separately on each amendment:

- a. Polderman made a motion to table the vote on the recreational campsite amendment until November 10th, seconded by Andersen and unanimously approved;
- b. Hart made a motion to approve the cannabis moratorium amendment, seconded by Labrie. The vote was two against (Hart and Lavieri) and three in favor (Labrie, Andersen and Polderman. The Motion passed.
- c. Andersen made a motion to accept the 2022 Zoning Map, as presented, seconded by Polderman and unanimously approved.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Andersen made a motion to approve the minutes from September 8, 2022 as presented, seconded by Polderman and unanimously approved.

CORRESPONDENCE: None

ANY OTHER BUSINESS LEGAL AND PROPER TO COME BEFORE SAID MEETING: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50 pm.

James Hart			
Secretary			