

Zoning Board
Town of Augusta
October 12, 2022

Members present: Ernest Staelens, Anne Brown, Keith Williams, Paul Sykes. Meeting called to order 7:00 p.m. Pledge of Allegiance recited.

New Business: Ernest made a motion to accept the minutes from the September 14, 2022 meeting. Keith Williams, seconded. Ernest, aye; Keith, aye, Anne, aye, Paul, aye. Motion passed unanimously.

Old Business: The Board would like to make a recommendation to the Town Board that the Solar Power Ordinances currently being used in the Town of Stockbridge be used for the Town of Augusta. They also recommend that the outstanding questions posed from these ordinances should be addressed by hiring or reaching out to a contact person, who is considered an expert in this field, to answer any and all questions. The Zoning Board, as does the Planning Board, does not feel qualified to address such complex issues as these. There are no members on either Board that has the knowledge or training needed to complete these ordinances in order to serve the best interest of the residents in the Town of Augusta.

The Board will provide a copy of the Town of Stockbridge Solar Power Ordinances and the list of questions that were posed. Adam Shaver, Codes Enforcement Officer, has addressed some of these issues and his answers will be provided to the Town Board.

A motion was made by Ernest to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Keith. Anne, aye; Ernest, aye; Keith, aye, Paul, aye. Motion passed unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,


Sheila Staelens

Secretary,

Zoning Board of Appeals

Town of Augusta

Cc: Town Supervisor
Town Clerk
Codes Officer
Planning Board