

**Mexico Zoning Board of Appeals
Minutes of the Regular Meeting
Held May 16, 2022 at McAuslan Hall
Commencing at 7:00 P.M.**

Present: Ned Waterbury, Chairman
Lori Behling, Counselor
Dan Yawman, Counselor
Ron Marsden, Code Enforcement Officer
Nicole Wild, Town Clerk

Absent: Graham Seiter, Town Attorney
Marty Trey, Counselor

And 0 in the audience.

Chairman Waterbury called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:01pm.

Chairman Waterbury gave the board time to review the minutes from April.

A motion was made by Waterbury and seconded by Yawman to approve the minutes of the regular ZBA April 18, 2022 meeting. The motion was adopted by a vote of 2 ayes: Waterbury and Yawman, 1 abstain: Behling, and 0 nays.

Old Business

Bait Shop/Sporting Goods Store- Special Use Permit Application

Waterbury explained the process for applications for special use permits, specifically, the first step being determining whether or not the application is complete. Marsden said he has not received the information requested from the applicant.

A motion was made by Yawman and seconded by Waterbury to table the bait shop special use permit application until the June meeting. Behling asked to see the list of items requested from the applicant. Marsden gave Behling a copy of the bait shop application and a list of missing application items. The motion was adopted by a vote of 3 ayes: Waterbury, Behling, Yawman, and 0 nays.

Marsden said the Race gravel bed application has been withdrawn.

New Business - none

Other Business

Waterbury said he has been notified by an attorney that local communities are urged to update their local ordinances to ensure the community has control over where new 5G cell

towers can be placed. Marsden said he doesn't believe that there is a local ordinance regarding the placement of cell phone towers. Waterbury said he is curious to see what Seiter thinks about the communication. The board discussed 5G technology.

The next ZBA meeting will be held June 20, 2022 at 7:00pm at McAuslan Hall.

A motion was made by Yawman and seconded by Behling to adjourn at 7:24 pm. The motion as adopted by a vote of 3 ayes: Waterbury, Behling, and Yawman, and 0 nays.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole Wild
Town Clerk