State of New York, SS.: City and County of Schenectady

LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF GALWAY Zoning Board of Appeals NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN NOTICE IS HERRBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the town of Galway Zoning Board of Appeals on Tuesday, January 7, 2020 beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the Town Hall, 5910 Sacandaga Road, Galway, New York, to consider the following application:

role, to consider the rur-lowing application: ZBA#20-001 - Application of Matthew Gurdineer for an area variance to construct a 26x40 pole construct a 26x40 pole barn on property located at 1697 Hermance Road (tax parcel #185.2-13.2) in the A/R District of the Town of Galway, Donna M. Noble Clerk 12/19 2395920

Diana Scheuer of the City of Schenectady, being duly sworn, says that he/she is Principal Clerk in the office of the Daily Gazette Co., published in the City of Schenectady and that the notice/advertisement, of which the annexed is a printed copy, has been regularly published in the Daily Gazette and/or Sunday Gazette as follows:

1 insertion December 19, 2019

Sworn to me on this 28th day of December, 2019

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COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 07/22/2021



TOWN OF GALWAY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS SARATOGA COUNTY, NY ESTABLISHED 1792

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ZBA MEETING AGENDA

Meeting Date/Time: Tuesday, January 7, 2020 @ 7:30 pm

- 1) Convene Meeting
- 2) Roll Call
- 3) Explanation of Procedure and Purpose of the Zoning Board of Appeals
- 4) Review/approval of minutes of the November 6, 2019 meeting
- 5) Public Hearing:

ZBA#20-001 - Application of Matthew Gurdineer for an area variance to construct a 26x40 pole barn on property located at 1697 Hermance Road (tax parcel #185.-2-13.2) in the A/R District of the Town of Galway.

- 6) Public Meeting:
 - **ZBA#20-001** Application of Matthew Gurdineer for an area variance to construct a 26x40 pole barn on property located at 1697 Hermance Road (tax parcel #185.-2-13.2) in the A/R District of the Town of Galway.
- 7) Other Business
- 8) Adjournment



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TOWN OF GALWAY

MINUTES OF ZBA MEETING

Meeting Date: Tuesday, January 7, 2020

Meeting Location: Town Hall - 5910 Sacandaga Road, Galway, NY

Meeting called to order at 7:30 pm by Chair, Mark Kindinger. Clerk called the roll:

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mark Kindinger, Christine McCormack, Herman Niedhammer and Andy

Decker.

MEMBERS ABSENT: Mark Concilla.

ALSO PRESENT: Donna Noble, Clerk; James P. Trainor, Esq., Treavor Gilday, Building Inspector/Code Enforcement Officer and approximately three (3) people in the audience.

PROCEDURE AND PURPOSE OF THE ZBA - Chair explained the procedure and purpose of the Zoning Board of Appeals.

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Members had previously reviewed the minutes of the November 6, 2019 meeting. Motion by C. McCormack to approve the minutes. Second by H. Niedhammer. Voice vote: all ayes. Motion carried.

PUBLIC HEARING - opened at 7:31 pm.

ZB#20-001 - Application of Matthew Gurdineer for area variance(s) for construction of a 26x40 pole barn on property located at 1697 Hermance Road (tax parcel no.: 185.-2-13.2) in the A/R District of the Town of Galway. The applicant is not in attendance. There is nobody here on behalf of the applicant. Public hearing will take place without the applicant. Mr. Gurdineer is looking for a 35 foot variance in an area he describes as being the only flat area he can do such a construction. Andy has some concern about drainage. George and Barbara Cruden are in the audience and would like to see a copy of the map. They are neighbors on the East and North side. The variance requested directly affects their property. They are not in favor of the variance being granted. They feel that there is ample space on the property to build it someplace else. They are relatively good neighbors but Mr. Cruden wasn't aware that Mr. Gurdineer was looking for a variance. In the application Mr. Gurdineer said that the neighbors are fine with this project. Mrs. Cruden explains that they were okay with building the pole barn but feel that it doesn't need to be on the property line. Mark asks Mr. Trainor if a decision can be made in the public meeting. Yes - the application has been submitted.

Motion by C. McCormack to close the public hearing. Second by A. Decker. Voice vote: All ayes. Motion carried.

PUBLIC MEETING

ZB#20-001 - Application of Matthew Gurdineer for area variance(s) for construction of a 26x40 pole barn on property located at 1697 Hermance Road (tax parcel no.: 185.-2-13.2) in the A/R District of the Town of Galway. The request is to build a 26'x40' pole barn that requires a 35 foot variance from the back (north) property line. If the applicant was here Mark would ask if there is an absolute need for this to be build where it is on the map. The board does not see that there is and feels there is plenty of room to build to be within the setback requirements.

Motion by A. Decker to vote whether to approve or deny the variance requested. **Second by H. Niedhammer.** Voice vote: All ayes. <u>Motion carried</u>.

Vote to approve a 35 foot variance running 40 feet off the north property line: Mark: nay, Andy: nay, Christine: nay and Herman: nay. All nays. Requested variance is denied.

PRIVILIEGE OF THE FLOOR: None

OTHER BUSINESS: None

Motion to adjourn by A. Decker. Second by H. Neidhammer. Voice vote: All ayes. <u>Motion carried</u>. Meeting adjourned at 7:41 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna NobleDonna Noble, Clerk