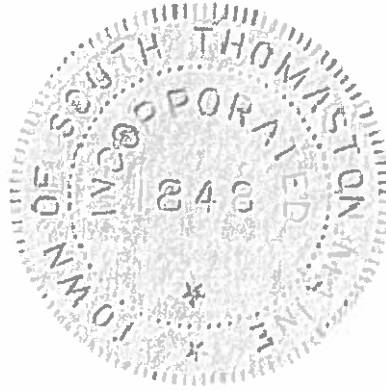


TOWN OF SOUTH THOMASTON, MAINE



ESTABLISHMENT OF A MUNICIPAL PLANNING BOARD

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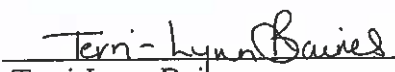
1. Establishment. Pursuant to MRSA Constitution Art. VIII-A and 30 MRSA, sec 1917, the Town of South Thomaston hereby establishes the Municipal Planning Board
2. Appointment.
 - A. Appointments to the Board shall be made by the municipal officers.
 - B. The Board shall consist of five (5) members and two (2) associate members.
 - C. The term of each member and associate member shall be three (3) years or as determined by the municipal officers.
 - D. When there is a permanent vacancy, the municipal officers shall within 60 days of the occurrence appoint a person to serve for the unexpired term.
 - E. Municipal officers shall not serve as a member or associate member.
3. Organization and Rules.
 - A. The Board shall elect a Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson from among its members. The Board may either elect a Secretary from among its members or request the Selectboard hire a non-Board member to serve as Secretary. The term of all officers shall be one (1) year with eligibility for re-election.
 - B. When a member is unable to act because of interest, physical incapacity, absence or any other reason satisfactory to the chair, the chair shall designate an associate member to sit in his/her stead.
 - C. An associate member may attend all meetings of the Board and participate in its proceedings, but may vote only when he/she has been designated by the chair to sit for a member.
 - D. Any question of whether a member shall be disqualified from voting on a particular matter shall be decided by a majority vote of the members except the member who is being challenged.
 - E. The chair shall call at least one regular meeting of the board each year.
 - F. No meeting of the Board shall be held without a quorum consisting of three (3) members or associate members authorized to vote.
 - G. The Board shall adopt rules for transaction of business, such as By Laws (to be approved by the Selectboard) and the Secretary shall keep a record of its resolutions, transactions, correspondence, findings and determinations. All records shall be deemed public and may be inspected at reasonable times.
4. Duties; Powers.
 - A. The Board shall perform such duties and exercise such powers as are provided by town ordinance and the laws of the State of Maine.
 - B. The Board may obtain goods and services necessary to its proper function within the limits of appropriations made for the purpose.

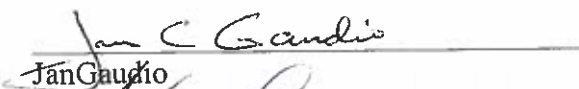
For submission to June 15, 2021 Town Meeting

A certified copy attest:

South Thomaston Selectboard


Walter Reitz, Chair


Terri-Lynn Baihes
Town Clerk


Jan Gaudio


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Date June 3, 2021