

**TOWNSHIP OF SCHOOLCRAFT
KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

ORDINANCE NO. 248

ORDINANCE TO AMEND PLANNING COMMISSION ORDINANCE

ADOPTED: September 14, 2010

EFFECTIVE: November 27, 2010

An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 237 (Planning Commission Ordinance) with respect to the membership of the Schoolcraft Township Planning Commission.

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ORDAINS:

**SECTION 1: AMENDMENT OF SECTION 2 OF ORDINANCE NO. 237
PERTAINING TO PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP COMPOSITION**

Sections 2.A. and 2.B. of Ordinance No. 237 adopted January 13, 2009 are hereby amended to read as follows:

"A. The Schoolcraft Township Planning Commission (herein sometimes referred to as the Planning Commission) shall have a total membership of 7 members, including one member who is also a member of the Township Board and referred to herein as the "ex-officio" member.

B. The membership of the Planning Commission shall be representative of important segments of the Township, such as the economic, governmental, educational, and social development of the Township, in accordance with the major interests as they exist in the Township, such as agriculture, natural resources, recreation, education, public health, government, transportation, industry, and commerce. In addition, the membership of the Planning Commission shall be representative of the entire territory of the Township to the extent practicable."

**SECTION 2: AMENDMENT OF SECTION 3 OF ORDINANCE NO. 237
PERTAINING TO PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER QUALIFICATIONS**

Section 3.B. of Ordinance No. 237 adopted January 13, 2009 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“B. All Planning Commission members shall be qualified electors of the Township (U.S. citizen, at least 18 years old, resident of Michigan for a least 6 months, and resident of Schoolcraft Township for at least 30 days); except one member may be appointed who is not a qualified elector of the Township but who is a qualified elector of another local unit of government.”

SECTION 3: SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and if any part is declared invalid for any reason by a court of competent jurisdiction such declaration shall not affect the remainder of the Ordinance, which shall continue in full force and effect.

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take effect 63 days after publication in a newspaper having general circulation in the Township.


Virginia Mongreig, Clerk
Schoolcraft Township

CERTIFICATE

I, Virginia Mongreig, the Clerk of Schoolcraft Township, Kalamazoo County, Michigan, hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the Schoolcraft Township Board held on September 14, 2010 at the Schoolcraft Township Hall the Board adopted Ordinance No. 248, hereinbefore recorded, to become effective 63 days after publication or such later date as may be required by law; and that the members of the Board present at the meeting voted on the adoption of the Ordinance as follows:

Donald Ulsh---yes
Virginia Mongreig---yes
Teresa Scott---yes
Greg Feldmeier---yes

I further certify that a summary of Ordinance No. 248 was published in the Kalamazoo Gazette, a newspaper printed in Kalamazoo, Michigan, and circulated in Schoolcraft Township on September 25, 2010; and that Ordinance No. 248 was recorded in the Ordinance book on September 29 2010.

Date:

9-29-10


Virginia Mongreig, Clerk

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**NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION/SUMMARY OF
ORDINANCE AMENDING PLANNING COMMISSION ORDINANCE**

TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SCHOOLCRAFT, KALAMAZOO COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that at a meeting held on September 14, 2010 the Schoolcraft Township Board adopted an Ordinance to amend the Planning Commission Ordinance (Ordinance No. 237), the sections of which are summarized as follows:

SECTION 1: AMENDMENT OF SECTION 2 OF ORDINANCE NO. 237 PERTAINING TO PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBERSHIP COMPOSITION---changes the total membership of the Schoolcraft Township Planning Commission from nine members to seven members; and changes the requirements pertaining to territorial representation of the membership of the Planning Commission to conform with a recent amendment of the Michigan Planning Enabling Act (2010 PA No. 105).

SECTION 2: AMENDMENT OF SECTION 3 OF ORDINANCE NO. 237 PERTAINING TO PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBER QUALIFICATIONS---changes the requirements relating to Planning Commission member qualifications to conform with a recent amendment of the Michigan Planning Enabling Act (2010 PA No. 105).

SECTION 3: SEVERABILITY---states that if any part of the Ordinance is invalidated by a court the remaining portion of the Ordinance remains in effect.

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE---provides for the ordinance to take effect 63 days after publication.

The full text of the original of Ordinance No. 248 may be inspected and a copy of same may be purchased by contacting the Schoolcraft Township Clerk, Virginia Mongreig, at the address and telephone number below during regular business hours of regular working days, and at such other times as may be arranged.

Virginia Mongreig, Clerk
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