### FILLMORE TOWNSHIP

ESTABLISHED 1849 ALLEGAN COUNTY

## FILLMORE TOWNSHP PLANNING COMMISSION FEBRUARY 18, 2008 7PM

#### 1. Call to Order.

Jerome Bush called the quarterly meeting of the Fillmore Township Planning Commission to order at 7PM.

Daniel Seymour opened with prayer.

### 2. Roll Call.

Members present: Jerome Bush, Fred VanTubergen, Daniel Seymour, David Brink, and Chuck Schaap.

Keith Potter, Fillmore Township Supervisor and Kenneth DeWeerdt, Fillmore Township Clerk were also in attendance.

# 3. Approval of Planning Commission Minutes from November 19, 2007.

Motion by Chuck Schaap 2<sup>nd</sup> Fred VanTubergen to accept the November 19, 2007 minutes of the Board as presented. PASSED 5-0.

## 4. Information Received.

- a. Jerome Bush: Correspondence from the Allegan County Planning Commission regarding a planning and zoning workshop on March 31, 2008 at the Allegan County Services Complex. Pre-registration is necessary.
- b. Jerome Bush: Reported on Legislation at the State Level regarding Annexation Laws.
- c. David Brink: Reported on "Wind Farm" Plans. Currently two wind energy system developers are interested in the agriculture district of Fillmore Township. Existing transmission lines, above average wind speeds, and above average tract sizes make Fillmore Township attractive.
- d. Supervisor Keith Potter: Reported on the Park Proposal on Township owned property on 143<sup>rd</sup> Ave. west of 54<sup>th</sup> St. Kevin & Ruth Nagelkirk and Dan & Vicky Miller from that area were in attendance to view the proposed plan. Grants could be sought for funding, volunteer labor could be utilized and it could be developed in phases. More will be discussed at future Township Board meetings, as well as the annual meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10pm.

Respectfully Submitted, David Brink, Secretary Fillmore Township Planning Commission