

**Sharon Township SPECIAL Board Meeting Minutes**

**NOISE ORDINANCE**

**APPROVED**

**August 14, 2017**

**CALL MEETING TO ORDER:** The Sharon Township Board held a SPECIAL meeting on August 14, 2017 at the Sharon Town Hall. Supervisor Psarouthakis called the meeting to order at 6:06 pm. There were 32 public attendees. The pledge of allegiance was said.

**ROLL CALL:** Guysky, Mikel, Psarouthakis, Simons, Cooper: PRESENT

**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA:** Motion by Mikel to approve the agenda, supported by Cooper. Motion approved.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Compliment thanking the Board for addressing previous meetings concerns brought up by residents. Question on variance and multiple violations. Concerns with whether this will contradict Federal law, concerns of farming definition including “commercial”, question on farming times interfering with the “Right to Farm Act”, concerns that the language implies guilt and that the accused will be fined and have all the expense of proving their innocence, concerns of too restrictive, and concerns of future blight/dust ordinances in the future.

**NOISE ORDINANCE:** Lengthy discussion by all Board members providing input and suggestions. Small discussion on variances and times took place.

**AMENDMENTS TO BE MADE:**

Section (8) G- end at Ordinance and add a PERIOD and take out the time restrictions.

Section (11) A- change from 10 days to 5 days.

Motion by Cooper to approve the Sharon Township Noise Ordinance as amended, supported by Simons.

ROLL CALL VOTE: Guysky: Yes, Mikel: Yes, Psarouthakis: Yes, Simons: Yes, Cooper: Yes.

**Meeting adjourned at 6:54 p.m**

*Chelsea Mikel*

*Sharon Township Clerk*