

**BOROUGH OF FAR HILLS**  
Planning Board Reorganization Meeting  
**MINUTES**  
January 7, 2019

**CALL TO ORDER & FLAG SALUTE**

Tom Rochat called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in the Far Hills Municipal Building. Mr. Rochat read the Open Public Meetings statement in accordance with the law.

**Roll Call:**

***Present: Robert Lewis, Kevin Welsh, Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie, Chairman Tom Rochat, Mayor Paul Vallone, Debra Ross, Marilyn Layton, Cheryl Devine, and John Lawlor***

***Also Present: Susan Rubright, Board Attorney, Planner David Banisch and Trina Lindsey, Board Secretary***

***Absent: Gerrie McManus***

**APPOINTMENTS**

Board Attorney Susan Rubright swore the reappointed board members in.

Sheila Tweedie (Class III) (Council Member) 1 year term expiring 12/31/19

Paul J. Vallone, M.D. (Class I) (Mayor) 4 year term expiring 12/31/22

John Lawlor (Alternate #1) 2 year term expiring 12/31/20

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS**

Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie nominated Robert Lewis for Board Chair, seconded by Tom Rochat and a majority roll call vote approved the nomination.

Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie nominated John Lawlor for Vice Chair. Attorney Susan Rubright stated that the nomination for Vice Chair has to be a Class IV member. The board decided to table the nominations for Vice Chair and discuss it at the next meeting.

**RESOLUTIONS**

**Designation of Newspapers, Resolution# 2019-01**

On a motion by motion by Mayor Paul Vallone, seconded by Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie and a majority voice vote, the resolution was adopted.

**2019 Meeting Dates, Resolution# 2019-02**

On a motion by Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie, seconded by Kevin Welsh and a majority voice vote, the resolution was adopted.

**Appointment of Planning Board Secretary, Resolution# 2019-03**

On a motion by Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie, seconded by Tom Rochat and a majority voice vote, the resolution was adopted.

Appointment of Planning Board Attorney, Resolution# 2019-04

On a motion by Councilwoman Sheila Tweedie, seconded by Debra Ross and a majority roll call vote, the resolution was adopted.

ADJOURNMENT TO REGULAR MEETING

The board adjourned the Reorganization meeting at 7:20pm

Respectfully submitted,



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Trina Lindsey  
Planning Board Secretary

**APPROVED: 2/4/19**