

Ordinance #62  
Planning Commission

AN ORDINANCE SIGNIFYING THE INTENTION AND DESIRE OF THE RIDGEBURY TOWNSHIP BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RIDGEBURY OF BRADFORD COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA. TO CREATE AND ESTABLISH A PLANNING COMMISSION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA MUNICIPALITIES PLANNING CODE, ACT 247 OF JULY 31, 1968, REENACTED AND EMENDED BY ACT 170 OF DECEMBER 21, 1988, COORDINATED DEVELOPMENT OF THE TOWNSHIP OF RIDGEBURY, BRADFORD COUNTY, BASED ON PHYSICAL, SOCIAL ECONOMIC AND GOVERNMENTAL CONDITIONS AND TRENDS, AND TO PROVIDE FOR AND PROTECT THE GENERAL WELFARE AND PROSPERITY OF ITS RESIDENTS.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Township of Ridgebury of the Ridgebury Township of Bradford .

- Section 1. That the Ridgebury Township Board of Supervisors of the Township of Ridgebury of Bradford hereby signifies its intention and desire to organize a Planning Commission under the provisions of the Pennsylvania Municipalities Code, Act 247 of July 31, 1968, reenacted and amended by Act 170 of December 21, 1988, P.L. 1329.
- Section 2. The Planning Commission shall consist of five (5) members, all of whom shall be citizens of Township of Ridgebury of Bradford County. The terms of office of the members shall be five (5) years and should expire on December 31 or until a successor is appointed. The initial terms shall be staggered in order to maintain an experienced Planning Commission. In the event of vacancies, the governing body shall appoint a member to fill the unexpired term.
- Section 3. The names, addresses, and terms of office of the initial members of the Planning Commission will be appointed at the same meeting the Ordinance is enacted.
- Section 4. The Planning Commission shall perform all of the functions as listed in the Municipalities Code.

Section 5. The Planning Commission may, with the consent of the governing body, accept and utilize any fund, personnel or other assistance made available by the County, the Commonwealth, or the federal government, or any of their agencies, or from private sources. The governing body may enter into agreements or contracts regarding the acceptance or utilization of the funds or assistance in accordance with the governmental procedures of the municipality.

Section 6. All other resolutions and ordinances or parts thereof, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

THIS ORDINANCE shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

Ordained and Enacted as an Ordinance this September 9, 2002.

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