

**BOROUGH OF PARKESBURG
ORDINANCE NO. 544**

**AN ORDINANCE REPLACING AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 235
AND ESTABLISHING THE BOROUGH PLANNING COMMISSION AS A
FIVE (5) MEMBER BOARD WITH FOUR YEAR TERMS**

WHEREAS, the Borough of Parkesburg, a municipality in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, desires to replace and repeal Ordinance No. 235 to comply with the current requirements of the Municipalities Planning Commission, Act 247 of January 1969 as amended, 53 P.S. § 10101 et seq (hereinafter the "MPC"); and,

WHEREAS, the Borough has recently reviewed Ordinance No. 235 establishing a five member planning commission which was enacted in 1960 and determined that the term of membership is inconsistent with the requirements of the MPC as Ordinance No. 235 provides for a five (5) year term whereas the MPC currently requires that members are to have a four (4) year term; and,

WHEREAS, the proposed Ordinance is prepared to bring the Borough Ordinance into compliance with the requirements of state law as set forth in the MPC.

NOW THEREFORE, under the authority and procedures of the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code, as amended, and the Borough Code, the Borough Council of the Borough of Parkesburg, Chester County, Pennsylvania, hereby enacts the following Ordinance Replacing and Repealing Ordinance NO. 235 and providing as follows:

Section 1. The Borough of Parkesburg Repeals Ordinance No. 235 enacted on February 1, 2020, replacing it with this Ordinance, continuing the existence of a five (5) member Planning Commission subject to the terms and conditions as required by the MPC at Article II thereof and found at 53 P.S. § 10201-10212 as amended.

Section 2. The Borough Planning Commission shall be a five (5) member commission pursuant to Section 202 of the MPC, 53 P.S. § 10202 and shall have such alternate members as appointed by Resolution as the Borough Council shall determine appropriate or necessary pursuant to Section 202 aforementioned.

Section 3. The five (5) members of the Borough Planning Commission shall hold terms for four years pursuant to Section 203(b) of the MPC, 53 P.S. § 10203(b) with one (1) member being appointed every year and two (2) members being appointed every fourth year. An appointment to fill a vacancy shall be only for the unexpired portion of the term. The initial appointment of the five (5) members shall be as set forth in the attached Exhibit "A".

Section 4. This Ordinance shall be effective on the effective date, i.e., the date approved by the Mayor, and shall remain in force until modified, amended or rescinded by Borough of Parkesburg, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

ORDAINED and ENACTED by the Parkesburg Borough Council this 20th day of

April, 2020

PARKESBURG BOROUGH COUNCIL


SHARON L. WOLF, President

ATTEST:


WENDY A. KEEGAN, Secretary

Approved this 20th day of April, 2020.


JOHN P. HAGAN, II, Mayor

EXHIBIT "A"

Planning Commission Members Initial Appointment and Initial Term under Ordinance:

	NAME	ADDRESS	TERM
1.	Dave Bashore	Attached	<u>1</u> Year
2.	Todd Brule	"	2 Year
3.	Shelby Smith	"	3 Year
4.	Jennifer Mayo	"	4 Year
5.	Matthew Marren	"	4 Year

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