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ZONING PERMITS ISSUE IN SEPTEMBER 2021

9/1/21	8391		Rob Karwath		Islewood	014-00002-0600	Fill and Grade	150.00C	9/1/21
9/7/21	8478	2021-87	Lucy Sievers	TBA	Sunnyslope	014-00339-0200	Driveway	50.00T 150.00C	9/7/21
9/9/21		2021-88	Regina LaRoche-Theune	TBA	Middle Rd	014-00181-1550	Land Use	75.00T	9/9/21
9/14/21	8479	2021-89	Mark Grau	TBA	North Shore	014-00068-2100	Driveway	50.00T 150.00C	9/14/21
9/14/21		2021-90	Lisa Caswell	TBA	Mondamin C	014-00214-0500	Driveway access	50.00T	9/14/21
9/14/21		2021-91	Robert Hartzell	TBA	Mondamin access	014-00206-1500	Easement/Caswell Land Disturb	50.00T	9/14/21
9/14/21		2021-92	Schuppe John and Jane	461	Mondamin	014-00206-2500 014-00272-0232	Home Occupation Legally combined	25.00T	9/14/21
9/14/21		2021-93	Schuppe John and Jane	461	Mondamin	014-00206-2500 014-00272-0232	Camper Legally combined	75.00T	9/14/21
9/21/21	8480	2021-94	Summitonka	3469	Big Bay	014-00023-0300	Driveway	50.00T 150.00C	9/21/21
9/21/21		2021-95	Tavis Pearson	*715	Miller Farm	014-0196-0500	Accessory	123.00T	9/21/21



To date there have been 53 Permits issued by the Town of La Pointe To date there have been 64 Permits issued by The County of Ashland

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REVENUES TO DATE

County:	\$14,300.00
County refund to AT&T	(3,000.00)
Total County	11,900.00
Town:	6,377.25
CSM (Town) 7 @ 250.00	1,500.00

TOTAL \$19,777.25 (Last month's total failed to subtract AT&T refund from the County Zoning Department)

RENTAL PERMITS

56 Rental by Owners	\$ 6,900.00
39 Madeline Island Vacation	4,875.00
37 The Inn on Madeline Island	4,625.00
132 Total Rentals Properties	

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\$16,500.00 TOTAL

Mr. Hartzell continues to pursue his "Expandable Condominium" project. Formally presented as "Gitche Gumee Glamping Expandable Condominium" (survey attached to hard copy). I have a tentative meeting scheduled with him on 10-6-21. There are several issues related to this proposal which will be addressed. This meeting at his request includes Arnie Nelson and I have asked Mike Starck Town Plan Commissioner to sit in on this discussion.

In a recent memo circulated to the Town Board referencing the Rental of "Incident Dwellings". I am of the belief that the "Glamping Units" proposed in this Expandable Condominium are Incidental Dwellings and as such the rental of such currently needs to be supported by a "Single-Family Dwelling". While the density maximum in an expandable condominium needs to be density neutral e.g., If you have 5 acres eligible for R-1 or 1 acre lots, the maximum condos would be 5, even though the are not separated by 1 acre property boundaries. In applying the zoning standards, all other Zoning requirements and restrictions are applicable.

In any event I believe each "Incidental Dwelling" would need to be in tandem with a Single-Family Dwelling to be eligible to rent. The Town Board may elect to extend the current rental ordinance or rescind the rental of incidental dwellings, (Campers, etc).

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- 1. The proposed parking lot indicated on the survey will require a Conditional Use Permit Application.
- 2. The Cart paths indicated on the survey are substandard as related to our Private Roads and Driveway ordinance. All dwellings created or constructed following the adaptation of this ordinance require access defined in minimum standards.
- 3. The type of structure proposed is not designed for residential single-family dwelling. It is specifically designed and promoted as vacation rental and as such becomes a Commercial Activity in a Residential Zone.

I am mindful of the fact that an individual property owner can construct a permitted "Glamping Unit" but as our ordinance stands this is ineligible for rent or sublet unless there is a supporting Single-Family dwelling and no other "Accessory Dwelling".

I will circulate a memo to the Town Board following the discussion outlined above.

Mr. Hartzell has not submitted further plans related to applying for a Conditional Use Permit related to the "Spa" as addressed in a previous ZA report.

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Mr. Meech proposed an amendment to his most current Conditional Use Permit. His amendment was the redaction of several conditions. This redaction would result in the facility being able to rent and serve food to anyone with or without classroom or educational participation. In meeting with Mr. Meech, I informed him that the TPC cannot even consider this amendment as a "Resort" (which this would become) is not a permitted or Conditional Use allowed in W-2. He does have the option to apply for a "Use Variance", but I informed him he must be able to demonstrate a "hardship" as defined in our Zoning ordinance.

He has been invited to address the TPC on 10-7-21 regarding changes he believes the TPC should consider in zoning and also in the Comprehensive Plan.

Respectfully submitted by Ric Gillman, ZA on 10/6/21