



# City of Gahanna

## Meeting Minutes

### Board of Zoning and Building Appeals

200 South Hamilton Road  
Gahanna, Ohio 43230

*Lorne Eisen, Chair  
Paul D. Bryson, Vice Chair  
Ross Beckmann  
Mike Burmeister  
Obie Stillwell*

*Jeremy A. VanMeter, Clerk of Council*

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Tuesday, January 14, 2025

6:30 PM

City Hall, Council Chambers

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#### Organizational/Regular Meeting

##### **A. OATH OF OFFICE:**

The Honorable Laurie A. Jadwin, Mayor, administered the Oath of Office to Paul Bryson, Seat 5, 3-year term ending December 31, 2027.

##### **B. CALL TO ORDER: Pledge of Allegiance & Roll Call**

*The City of Gahanna Board of Zoning & Building Appeals met on Tuesday, January 14, 2025, in Council Chambers. Mayor Laurie A. Jadwin, Chair, called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m. and led members in the Pledge of Allegiance. The agenda was published on January 10, 2025. There were no additions or corrections to the agenda.*

Present 4 - Ross Beckmann, Michael Burmeister, Lorne Eisen, and Paul Bryson

Absent 1 - Obie Stillwell

##### **C. ELECTION OF CHAIR:**

*Mayor Jadwin opened nominations for Chair of the Board of Zoning & Building Appeals for 2025. Paul Bryson nominated Lorne Eisen as Chair. Mr. Eisen accepted the nomination. With no further nominations for Chair, Mayor Jadwin closed nominations.*

A motion was made by Burmeister, seconded by Bryson, to elect Lorne Eisen as Chair for the Board of Zoning & Building Appeals for 2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 4 - Beckmann, Burmeister, Eisen and Bryson

Absent: 1 - Stillwell

##### **D. ELECTION OF VICE CHAIR:**

Mike Burmeister nominated Paul Bryson as Vice Chair. Mr. Bryson accepted the nomination. With no further nominations for Vice Chair, Chair Eisen closed nominations.

A motion was made by Burmeister, seconded by Beckmann, to elect Paul Bryson as Vice Chair for the Board of Zoning & Building Appeals for 2025. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 4 - Beckmann, Burmeister, Eisen and Bryson

Absent: 1 - Stillwell

**E. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

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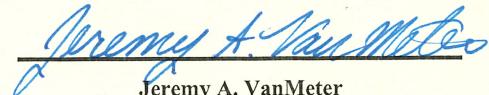
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A motion was made by Beckmann, seconded by Bryson, that the Minutes be Approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 4 - Beckmann, Burmeister, Eisen and Bryson

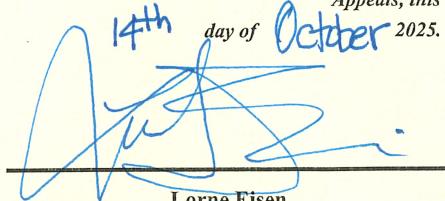
Absent: 1 - Stillwell

**F. ADJOURNMENT:**

  
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Jeremy A. VanMeter  
Clerk of Council

APPROVED by the Board of Zoning and Building  
Appeals, this

14<sup>th</sup> day of October 2025.

  
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Lorne Eisen