## BINGHAM COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION RESOLUTION 2022-01

## RESOLUTION SETTING PUBLIC HEARING TESTIMONY TIME LIMIT AND DECORUM APPLICABLE TO ALL PUBLIC COMMENT AND MEETINGS

WHEREAS, Bingham County Code, Title 10, Chapter 3 Administration Hearing Regulations does not set forth a time limit for public testimony nor does it provide for the decorum/conduct of the public at Bingham County Planning & Zoning Commission (hereinafter "Commission") meetings and Public Hearings; and

WHEREAS, the as the Commission desires to conduct business and take action during its meetings and Public Hearings in an efficient and orderly manner while affording adequate opportunity to be heard to those that are wishing to apply and properly respond to the proposal; and

WHEREAS, in consultation with the Bingham County Prosecutor, the Commission hereby adopts the following, EFFECTIVE MAY 12, 2022:

- 1. A person (speaker) testifying shall be limited to five (5) minutes, per Public Hearing item.
- 2. At the podium, the speaker should state his/her name, address, and if applicable, the organization he/she represents.
- 3. The speaker may not read a written document that he/she has submitted into the record.
- 4. All public is invited to submit written documents, no more than 2 pages, 8 days prior to the Public Hearing.
- 5. The speaker may not testify to the same substance and position as previously testified to by another speaker at the Public Hearing.
- 6. The speaker's comments should be directed to the body as a whole (the Planning & Zoning Commission) and not be directed to individual members. No personal, slanderous, profane, obscene, or threatening remarks are permitted; such conduct may cause the speaker to be excused from the meeting.
- 7. The speaker's comments should relate to the Public Hearing item.
- 8. The speaker may not debate with audience members, or the Planning & Zoning Commission, during his/her comments or make personal comments towards any audience member.
- 9. Once the Public Hearing portion of the Agenda item is closed, no further public comment will be permitted as the item progresses.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** the above be adopted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022, by majority vote of the Planning & Zoning Commission with permission for the Chairman to execute the same on behalf of the Commission.

Planning & Zoning Commission

DARREN LEAVITT, Chairman

## **OATH OR AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned does hereby swear or affirm, under penalty of perjury that the testimony that I give before the Planning and Zoning Commission on this date will be true and correct. I also understand my testimony is limited to 5 minutes pursuant to Planning & Zoning Resolution No. 2022-01.

NAME (printed):	
ADDRESS:	
SIGNATURE:	
DATE:	Exhibit T

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