

May 12, 2014

**TUCKAHOE SIGN AND AWNING BOARD
TUCKAHOE VILLAGE HALL – 2:30 pm**

Present: Chairwoman Barbara Nieminen
Member Clare Gorman

Also present: Bill Williams Building Inspector

Absent: Member Christopher Baez

Item #1 Approval of Minutes – April 14, 2014

Item #2 93 Lake Avenue New Awning

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Member Gorman motioned to approve the minutes of the April 14, 2014 meeting. This motion was seconded by Chairwoman Nieminen and was carried by the Board with a vote of 2-0.

Item # 2 93 Lake Avenue New Awning

Alan Ahmed, of New York Signs and Window Films, representing 93 Lake Avenue, presented two awnings for “Self Publishing”. He is recovering the existing awnings with new Fire Resistant black fabric. The first awning is 160 X 60 inches, with a red book logo measuring 25.5 inches. The name “SelfPublishing.com” in 12.5 inch letters with “Self” in red, “Publishing” in gray and “.com” in red. Also under the name of business is “Helping Authors Become Publishers” in gray with 4.75 inch letters. The second awning is 123 X 60 inches. This awning will have the book logo in red measuring 46.75 inches high.

There was discussion regarding the size of the letters, the size of the logo and the awning extending over the Village Right-of-Way. Suggestions were made to eliminate the logo on the second awning and to possibly reduce the letter size and logo on the first awning. Mr. Ahmed contacted his office to email him a new rendering showing a 25% reduction on the first awning and removing the logo on the second awning. The board members thought the new rendering had an elegant look and would prefer this rendering over the proposed one.

Chairwoman Nieminen made a motion to approve the application with a condition that it is reduced by 25%. The book logo will be 18 inches and the letters will be 10 inches. The second awning will not have the logo on it. A variance is given for both existing awnings to extend 36 inches over The Village Right-of-Way. Member Gorman seconded the motion and was unanimously carried by the board with a 3-0 vote. With Member Baez casting his vote through a conference call.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 16, 2014 at 2:30pm.

There being no further comments from the public or business before the Board, upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned at 3:20 pm.