



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON VARIANCE REQUEST 14-93000007

Notice is hereby given that the La Porte Zoning Board of Adjustment will conduct a public hearing at **6:00 p.m.** on the **13th day of November, 2014**, in the City Hall Council Chambers, 604 West Fairmont Parkway, La Porte, Texas, in accordance with the provisions of Section 106-194 of the City of La Porte Code of Ordinances, and the provisions of the Texas Local Government Code.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive public input on Variance Request 14-93000007, requested by Electric Guard Dog LLC on behalf of the property owner Apple Towing, located at 400 E. Main Street, further described as Lots 1-26 and the abandoned alley, Block 195, Town of La Porte. The applicant is seeking approval of a variance to retain a 10-foot high, 12 volt battery operated, solar powered, electric security fence that produces 7,000 volts of shock and is located inside the existing perimeter fence. The electric fence was constructed without a permit. Section 106-793 of the Code of Ordinances stipulates that the maximum height for a fence cannot exceed 8 feet in height. Additionally, the provisions outlined in Section 106-799 of the Code of Ordinances do not allow electric fences on any commercial or industrial properties. The variance is being sought under the terms of Section 106-192 of the City of La Porte Code of Ordinances.

Following the public hearing, the Zoning Board of Adjustment will act upon the public hearing item and conduct other matters pertaining to the Board.

Citizens wishing to address the Board pro or con during the public hearing are required to sign in before the meeting is convened.

CITY OF LA PORTE

Patrice Fogarty, City Secretary

A quorum of City Council members may be present and participate in discussions during this meeting; however, no action will be taken by Council.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of La Porte will provide for reasonable accommodations for persons attending public meetings. To better serve attendees, requests should be received 24 hours prior to the meetings. Please contact Patrice Fogarty, City Secretary, at 281.470.5019.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that a copy of this public hearing notice was posted on the City Hall bulletin board on the ____ day of _____, 2014.

Title: _____