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Hyde Park appoints panel to review land-use rules February 15, 2006

**HYDE PARK** — The town has created a committee to scrutinize land-use rules and recommend corrections.

The town board voted Monday night to form the zoning correction committee. The advisory panel will review the comprehensive plan and zoning and subdivision ordinances adopted in September by the previous Republican administration.

The Democratic-led board has identified a number of discrepancies and technical errors in the regulations.

The new committee is charged with recommending corrections by mid-May.

"The object of this is to make sure this law meets the needs of the town," Supervisor Pompey Delafield said.

The board voted unanimously to appoint to the committee George McCann, planning board chairman; Herb Sweet, zoning board of appeals member; Russell Urban-Mead, former town board member; Steve Allen, former chairman of the comprehensive plan committee and planning board; Mary Donohue, zoning board chairwoman; and Councilwoman Sharon Piriano-Buko, who will chair the committee.

The board also appointed as technical advisers to the committee Kristen Kelly, town legal consultant; John Morabito, town planner; and Tad Moss, town zoning administrator.

— *John Davis*

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