

## **Cheryl A. Goss**

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**From:** Ron Popp <supervisor@whitewatertownship.org>  
**Sent:** Monday, February 12, 2018 9:01 AM  
**To:** Cheryl A. Goss; Della Benak; Lloyd Lawson; Paul Hubbell; Ron Popp  
**Subject:** FW: Civil Infraction Ordinance

Cheryl,

Here is another comment I have received about the public hearing.

Thank you,  
Ron Popp  
Whitewater Township Supervisor

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**From:** Thomas McElwee [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, February 11, 2018 9:28 AM  
**To:** Ron Popp <supervisor@whitewatertownship.org>  
**Subject:** Civil Infraction Ordinance

Dear Mr. Popp,

We have been made aware of a proposal to streamline the process for adjudicating "Civil Infraction" violations in Whitewater Township. It sounds as though it has been portrayed as being related to Zoning Violations but does not appear to be limited to those. I always cringe when the more powerful entity demands that their legal fees be covered by the "loser" in a dispute. It sounds, by comparison to the current process, to be expeditious but heavy handed.

I sympathize with the impotent position that the Zoning Administrator may be in with the current process but feel that the proposed change needs to be carefully vetted, researched, amended and discussed widely before being enacted.

Respectfully,

Tom McElwee  
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