WEST BRADFORD TOWNSHIP LAND PRESERVATION & SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE (LP&SC) MEETING

May 1, 2023 Minutes

LP&S COMMITTEE:

TOWNSHIP REPRESENTATIVES:

Cheryl Wanko - Chair Abbie Kessler – Vice Chair Jaisri Chety Amy Johnston David Schwab

Joseph Antonelli, Planning and Zoning Director Jack Hines, Township Supervisor Justin Yaich, Township Manager

ABSENT:

Lyle Frederick - Secretary Marsha Hodge

CALL TO ORDER

Cheryl Wanko called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

REVIEW / APPROVE MINUTES:

Committee offered suggestions for amendment to the Draft Minutes for the April 3, 2023 Meeting. Abbie Kessler made motion to approve the minutes conditioned upon changes to be made, David Schwab seconded the motion. All ayes. Motion passed 5-0.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The meeting scheduled for September 11, 2023 has been canceled. July's monthly meeting will be held on July 10, 2023.

WEST BRADFORD DAY - MAY 21st - Noon to 4:00 PM

The LP&SC continued to discuss the presentation of electric vehicles and lawn equipment at West Bradford Day, as well as proposing some tree planting ideas on both Arbor Day and West Bradford Day. Amy Johnston brought up discussions of the West Chester Dark Sky Committee's ideas to educate the public on lights being left on during the night. The Birdy Dozen is going to be displayed, as well as some other maps showing the land preservation of the Township. David Schwab thought it would be helpful to have some educational talking points handy at the event. Cheryl Wanko has WCU students creating different games that could be played at West Bradford Day.

UPDATE FROM OPEN SPACE WORKING GROUP:

No discussions currently.

CONSERVATION EASEMENTS

No discussions currently.

ENERGY UPDATES

- Discussion of EV's and EV Charging station.
- Solsmart has been recommended to the Board of Supervisors. No action has been taken as of 5/1.
- Sustainable PA Ideas for individual homeowner to create a punch list of items that qualify for a "Green Designation." Jaisri Chety will create a checklist.

There being no other business, David Schwab made a Motion to adjourn, Jaisri Chety seconded the Motion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:10 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joseph Antonelli, West Bradford Township Planning Director