

Open Space Review Board

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, March 22, 2022 –7pm

Via Zoom

- Jody Reinbold (Term expiring 12/31/24)
- Jessie Miller, West Vincent Planning Commission (Term expiring 12/31/22 or until his term expires 12/31/24)
- Donna Delany, EAC Member (Term expiring 12/31/23 or until her term expires 12/31/23)
- Jim Bergey (Term expiring 12/31/25)
- Nick Rotoli (Term expiring 12/31/26)
- Bernie Couris, Board of Supervisor Liaison (non-voting)
- John Granger, West Vincent Township Manager (non-voting)

Meeting called to order

Approval of minutes from our Tuesday, February 22, 2022 meeting

Accounting of Present Open Space funds prepared by West Vincent Township Treasurer and presented by Jody Reinbold

Old Business:

- Goals for future of committee
 - Ongoing communication with the Township Manager about preserving open space and township parcels.
 - Develop a summary of past TDR purchases and transactions to detail what has been conserved and what is still available to save, including need a summary of TDRs removed, through our program and outside of township funds.
 - Contact the interested parcel owners, via a letter
 - Contact our “wish list” parcel owners, via a letter
 - Educate the public about our open space program, via the township newsletter
 - Watch property transactions in the township
 - Consider adding a stewardship component
 - Consider adding possible benchmarks
 - Appraisals
 - Negotiations
- Status of:
 - Property at 1342 Shady Lane – 12.6 acre (5 TDR’s) lots - based on criteria evaluation #1
 - Property at 1352 Shady Lane – 7.1 acre (3TDR’s) lots - based on criteria evaluation #2
 - Property at 175 Cedar Lane – 26 acres (10 TDR’s ?) horse farm - based on criteria evaluation #3
- Need to meet with the landowner of 2730 Horseshow Trail Road to discuss possible TDR deal or easement deal. Then will need to rate.

- Pam Brown, French & Pickering Creeks Conservation Trust possible easements / open space funds:
 - 24 acre parcel - East Nantmeal Township (19 acres) and West Vincent Township (5 acres) Pam Brown passed information about easements to the owners children – will need to rate
- Wish list parcels for letter

New Business:

- Peter Benton to explain “Historic District” which is on our Criteria Sheet
- West Vincent Community Day (5/14/22 from 10am – 3pm) Table and Volunteers

Public Comment:

Next Meeting:

April 26, 2022; May 24, 2022; June 28, 2022; July 26, 2022; August 23, 2022; September 27, 2022;
October 25, 2022; November 22, 2022; December 27, 2022