MINUTES

SUSQUEHANNA TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

AUGUST 26, 2019 TIME: 6:00 P.M.

Chairman Frank Chlebnikow called to order the Regular Meeting of the Susquehanna Township Planning Commission on Monday, August 26, 2019 at 6:00 P.M. at the Municipal Building, 1900 Linglestown Road, Harrisburg, PA 17110.

ROLL CALL: COMMISSION MEMBERS

TOWNSHIP PERSONNEL

Frank Chlebnikow
Mitchell Kemp
Brian Moore
Kerry Wilson
Jonathan Bowser
Delonne Wilbourn
James McGraw – Excused
Brett Biggica – Alternate

Tara A. Burns, Esquire Robert C. Grubic, P.E. DCED Director Betsy Logan Andrea Viazanko, TCRPC Executive Assistant Jonniene Urban

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: Charlie Courtney.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairman Chlebnikow.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Regular Meeting Brian Moore moved the minutes of the Regular Meeting on July 22, 2019 Brian Moore moved as published; Seconded by

Mitchell Kemp.

Motion carried 5-0. Chairman Chlebnikow abstained from the vote because he was absent from the July meeting.

SUBDIVISION AND LAND DEVELOPMENT PLANS: None

NEIGHBORHOOD DESIGN DEVELOPMENT ORDINANCE AMENDMENT – ESTABLISH A NEW PERMITTED USE IN THE R-2 RESIDENTIAL ZONING DISTRICT AND ESTABLISH SPECIFIC STANDARDS FOR NEIGHBORHOOD DESIGN DEVELOPMENT USE.

Attorney Charlie Courtney of McNees, Wallace & Nurick, LLC reviewed with Planning Commission members the new language changes made to the Neighborhood Design Development proposed Zoning Ordinance.

Attorney Courtney remarked the changes were for front entry garages in that they shall not extend closer toward the street Right-of-Way than the building's front façade and be set back at least 18-feet from the street Right-of-Way.

Attorney Courtney commented the new changes are including porches unless:

- 1) Such garage does not extend closer by more than 4- feet.
- 2) A decorative garage door is used.
- 3) The length of the garage façade does not exceed 60% of the total length of the building's front façade.
- 4) The above building and site design elements shall be embellished to emphasize the non-garage portion of the front façade.

Andrea Viazanko of Tri-County Regional Planning Commission informed the Planning Commission members Dauphin County Planning Commission recommends approval of the proposed Zoning Ordinance.

Jonathan Bowser moved to recommend approval of the proposed Zoning Ordinance to the Board of Commissioners; Seconded by Mitchell Kemp and unanimously approved.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: DCED Dire

DCED Director Betsy Logan informed the Planning Commission members the 1st Susquehanna Township Authority Stormwater Utility Fee Informational Session Meeting will be held at Progress Fire Company located at 3440 Maple Street on Wednesday, September 25, 2019 from 6:30 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.

Director Logan remarked the cost of the Stormwater Utility Fee will be about \$30.00 per quarter.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Tri-County Regional Planning Commission Update:

Andrea Viazanko of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission informed the Planning Commission members November 1, 2019 is the deadline to submit applications for the 2019 Dauphin County Premier Project Awards.

Ms. Viazanko stated more information is on their web-site.

Planning Commission Members Comments: None

ADJOURNMENT:

Jonathan Bowser moved the meeting be adjourned at 6:10 P.M.; Seconded by Kerry Wilson and unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Jonniene Urban Executive Assistant