

**Doylestown Community Bike/Hike Committee**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**January 17, 2023, 8:00am**  
**Doylestown Township Municipal Building**

**Present:** Lynn Goldman, Chairman; Judy Hendrixson, Vice Chairman; Tom Kelso; Steve Disciullo, Baker Engineers; Mary Pat Holewinski; Bruce Hochman; Roger Clark; Glenn Maxson; Larry Gage; Marilyn Jacobsen; Rick James; Louise Silberg; Nicole McIlroy; Bill Wert; Carly Mannon, TMA Bucks; Christian Regosch, Bucks County Planning Commission; Richard Brahler, Bucks County Planning Commission; and Stephanie Mason, Township Manager.

**Minutes Approval December 20, 2022** meeting, on motion of Mr. Kelso, seconded by Mr. Hochman the minutes were unanimously approved.

**Reorganization**

On motion of Ms. Holewinski, Ms. Goldman was nominated to serve as chairman, seconded by Ms. Hendrixson the motion carried unanimously.

**Chairman – Lynn Goldman**

On motion of Ms. Goldman, Ms. Hendrixson was nominated to serve as vice chairman, seconded by Mr. Kelso, the motion carried unanimously.

**Vice Chairman – Judy Hendrixson**

**Easton Road Trail Connector Concept Play - Update**

There was no current information, we are still waiting to hear about the grant.

**New Britain Trail Project – Update**

Mr. Disciullo, Baker Engineers indicated that he is working with PennDOT regarding the New Britain Road Bridge replacement. It is about 1,800' with bike path along New Britain Road. Final design is in the works. There was some discussion about shifting the road a bit to the shoulder to accommodate the trail, the shoulder is suitable for this lane shift. There was some discussion possibly the need for a three-way stop at New Britain, the bridge, and Rolling Hill Blvd, this needs further review and discussion. Also, the need for a streetlight as there is no light there now.

**Shady Retreat Safe Routes to School Trail – Update**

Mr. Disciullo indicated that he is met with PennDOT, finalizing the plans for construction, hoping this will go out in 2023. As it will connect to the schools, Ms. Mannon, Bucks TMA, indicated that she has grants available for programs in schools with books and helmets. She will be happy to work with Ms. Valmore and Ms. McIlroy.

Ms. McIlroy indicated that she has the principal and the PE teacher on board from Kutz.

Ms. Silberg suggested tapping into the after-school program as well.

Ms. Mannon indicated that Bucks TMA could be very helpful in this area.

**Pump Track**

Closed for the Winter

**Prioritizing list of Future Projects**

Ms. Kelso shared the list indicating that there is still work to be done with the list especially identifying projects that are already under way and which ones should be next on the list.

There was brief discussion regarding the Pebble Hill Road Trail and Ms. Mason indicated that the easement agreement with Doylestown Country Club was on the Board of Supervisors agenda for that evening. That easement will provide a connection along will provide a connection along Pebble Hill / Green Street from the Township into the Borough.

Work on the Cherry Lane section of the Brooks Tract is anticipated to get underway this spring as well.

**Bucks County Planning Commission Study of Neshaminy Greenway Trail (Warwick Twp.)**

Mr. Brahler indicated that this work has been completed and they are just closing out the grant application. Phase II of the Dark Hollow Project still needs to be funded and that will come later.

**Old New Road – Route 202 – Turk Road**

All on hold.

There was some discussion, as Mr. Wert indicated that he had talked to Bramley Machine about the artwork. They cannot do it.

Ms. Hendrixson indicated that she is on the board of the Institute of Technology and will speak to the school, maybe find someone for spring semester to take it on as extra credit. If they could do the graphics and the welding Ms. Goldman indicated that she would be happy to speak to the Thompson Organization as she is meeting with them in the near future and could approach them to possibly do the finishing on the artwork.

**Adjournment** - Being no further the meeting adjourned at 9:30am. The next meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, February 21, 2023, at 8:00 am** at the Doylestown Township Municipal Building.

Respectfully submitted by:

Stephanie J. Mason  
Township Manager