

Minutes

East Amwell Township | Ringoes Village Advisory Committee

DATE September 27, 2023

TIME 7:12 PM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY Kevin McPheeters

IN ATTENDANCE

Kevin McPheters, Nancy Cunningham, Kim Ensminger, Candice Wiggum, Dante Di Pirro

ABSENT

Jennifer Frank

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

Read by Kevin McPheeters

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes approved for June, July and August meetings. Minutes to be posted.

NEW BUSINESS, DISCUSSION POINTS, UPDATES

- Agenda Review
- Reviewed updates from Township and Committee liaisons
 - Franks Pizza has reopened
- Explored ways to engage community involvement
 - Volunteer Committee, Community Events, Connecting with School, Dog Adoption Day, Coordinate with other Village Business or Organizations (Grange, Fire Station, Rescue Squad...)
- Involving Ringoes Citizens in what kind of businesses they would like to see in the village
- Creating viability + sustainability
 - Discussed future land use; possible green space, public oriented project, need of parking, etc.
- Information Gathering; Discussed presenting something similar to the 2014 Planning Board reports (possibly with liaison to planning board and coordinating with another township committees)
 - Ideas on how to connect: mail, QR Code, during township meeting
- Discussion and review of updates regarding unsafe structures in the Village
- Discussion of budget, funding/grants and action items
- Action Items:
 - Kim, Candice, Nancy:
 - Create a resource list for community reference: local organizations, resources, services, churches
 - Kevin/Committee:
 - Create Quarterly Plan/Project/Event Calendar for committee
 - Candice:

- Ask David Wang-Iverson about projects/plans that were identified/initiated from the 2014 report/community survey
- Dante:
 - Talk to County to discuss initiating a plan for the village; will RVAC qualify for county planning
 - Connect with county commissioners and DOT re: speeding issues Grants for planning, grants available from state and/or county
 - Check status and connect with township attorney on what is going on with a dilapidated house and barn
 - Check with township attorney regarding house in Ringoes Village regarding garbage in yard; connect with other committees to see what action has been taken and decide whether to go Board of Health or talk to township attorney
- Committee:
 - Identify two places for inspection to identify if there is a public safety risk
 - Committee has two open seats; reach out to community for additional members
- Approval of Vouchers: none

NEXT MEETING

October 25, 2023, Wednesday, East Amwell Township Municipal Building | Public Invited and Welcomed

MEETING ADJOURNED

8:39 PM