

**EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP  
CONSERVANCY BOARD MEETING  
September 9, 2015  
7:00 P.M.**

The East Goshen Township Conservancy Board met for their regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, September 9, 2015 at the East Goshen Township Building. Board members present were: Chairman Walter Wujcik, Erich Meyer, Sandra Snyder, and John Scheidt. Others present were: Mark Gordon, Zoning Officer.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Walter called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Walter led the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence to remember our troops and first responders.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Walter noted that the minutes of the August 12, 2015 meeting were approved.

**SUB DIVISION/LAND DEVELOPMENT REVIEW**

1. Goshen Village Shopping Center – Mark explained that the GVSC is required to maintain a landscape buffer on Paoli Pike & Boot Road. He presented a sketch plan for 2 beds along Paoli Pike and 1 larger bed along Boot Road. Sandy pointed out that the Paoli Pike beds will be taken up when the Trail comes through. Mark mentioned that the Township is willing to defer that until the alignment of the trail is known. The Board recommended a small species of dogwood and deer resistant plants.

**OLD BUSINESS**

1. Milltown Dam - Since Scott was not present, the Board tabled discussion about Scott's letter until next month. However, resident Chuck Hepler, 12A Reservoir Road, came to the meeting because he saw it on the agenda. He has been to every meeting the Township has had regarding the Milltown Dam. He mentioned that although there are just a few parking spaces, lots of people come from all over to fish and watch the wildlife. Right now the benches are overgrown with grass, which has only been mowed twice this year, and there is graffiti that needs to be painted over. He hopes the Township will repair the dam. Resident Melissa McGinnis, 32 Lochwood Lane, feels the reservoir is a Township resource.
2. Newsletter – Sandy submitted an article for the next newsletter.
3. Invasives Control – Walter contacted Weeds, Inc. and verified that spraying has been done at the Blacksmith Shop and Reservoir Road.
4. Fall Planting – The Board will meet at the Historic Area parking lot on E. Boot Rd., this Saturday, September 12 at 9:00 am to place the flags where they want the trees to be planted. There will be about 20 trees which are being provided by a developer who had to remove trees.

**BOARD MEMBER CONCERNS**

1. Sandy and Erich voiced concern that Katherine may not be able to drive in the dark. They will explore options for her if needed.

**ANY OTHER MATTER**

1. Erich commented that there will be an Open House for the Paoli Pike Trail at 6:30 pm, next Tuesday, September 15 before the Board of Supervisors meeting.

**ADJOURNMENT** - There being no further business, Sandy made a motion to adjourn the meeting. John seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth Kiefer, Recording Secretary