

# Welcome East Goshen Township Board of Supervisors

Open Space Development Ordinance Amendment Discussion
January 22, 2019

#### Meeting Agenda



- Welcome
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Moment of Silence
- The meeting is being streamed LIVE on YouTube
- The Board does not intend to take any action this evening
- Introductions
- Presentations
  - ► Kristin Camp Esq., Township Solicitor
  - ► Tom Comitta AICP, Township Planning Consultant
- Public Comment
- Adjourn no later than 9:30 pm

#### Ordinance Adoption Process

#### Kristin Camp, Esq. - Township Solicitor

- Staff, Planning Commission, Solicitor, Planner, etc. develop a draft ordinance to address a planning objective or new legislative requirement.
- Ordinance is presented to the Board of Supervisors.
- If the Board decides to proceed they direct Staff to forward the draft ordinance to the Township and County Planning Commissions for review and comment. They have 30 days to submit comments to the Board of Supervisors.
- ► The Board of Supervisors then reviews the comments and if they decide to move forward they will direct staff to advertise a public hearing.
- ► The Board holds a public hearing and then they can vote on the proposed ordinance.

#### R-2 Zoning District - Development Options

Tom Comitta, AICP - Township Planning Consultant

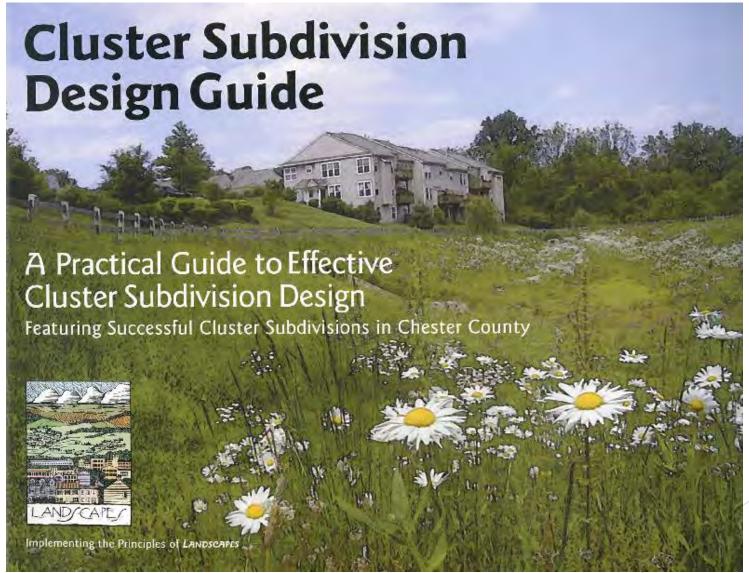
- Current Residential options in the R-2
  - ► Single Family homes on 1 acre lots
  - ➤ Single Family homes on 25,000 s.f. (~.6 acre lots) with a min. 40% open space
  - ➤ Single Family homes on 20,000 s.f. (~.5 acre lots) with a min. 50% open space
  - ► Single Family homes with no minimum lot size, and a minimum of 55% open space.

ALL OF THESE DEVELOPMENT OPTIONS PERMIT A MAXIMUM OF 1 DWELLING UNIT PER ACRE

#### Conceptual Development Options

- Conceptual Layout Options
  - ► The Lewis property, 980 Hershey Mill Rd., was used as the example property in the CONCEPTUAL yield and lot layout plans for the proposed DRAFT ordinance amendment.
  - ► The Township Engineer developed several **CONCEPTUAL** layout options using a software called SiteOps.
  - ► These CONCEPTUAL plans are intended to graphically represent the general area and bulk requirements of each development option. A number of additional requirements will influence site layout and design, however those items were not considered in the development of these high level CONCEPTUAL options.

## Cluster Subdivision Design Guide

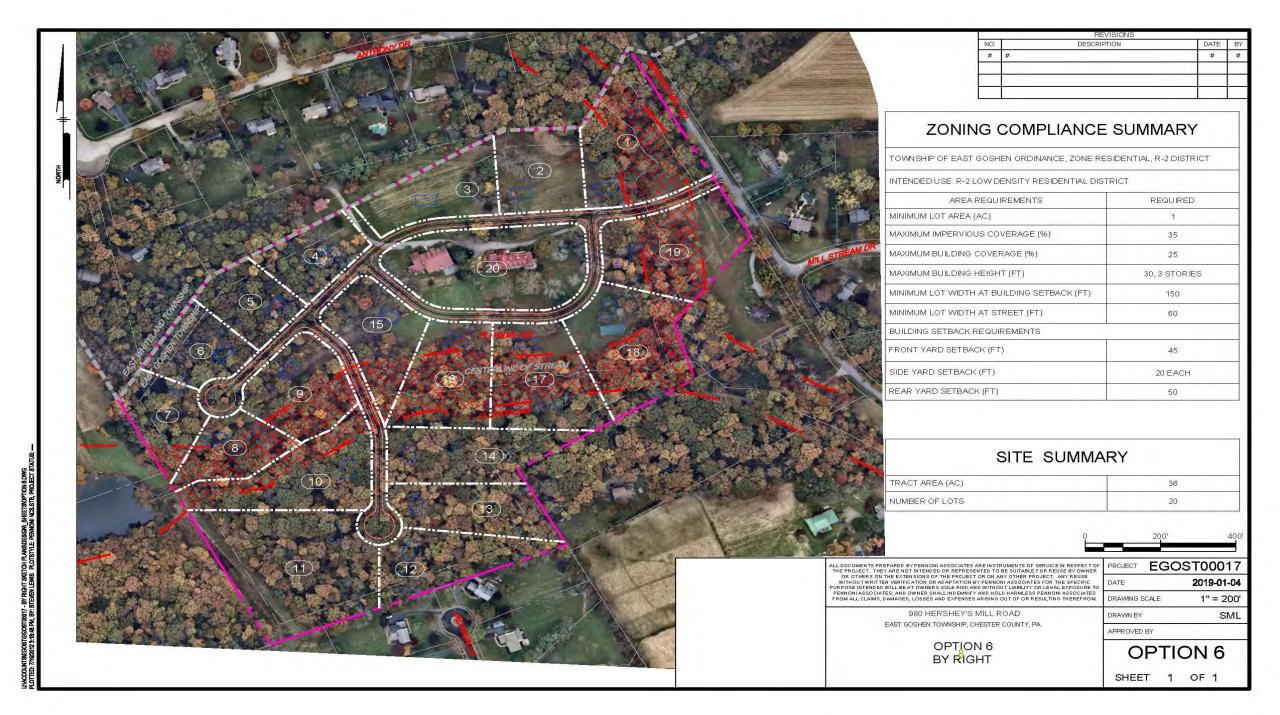


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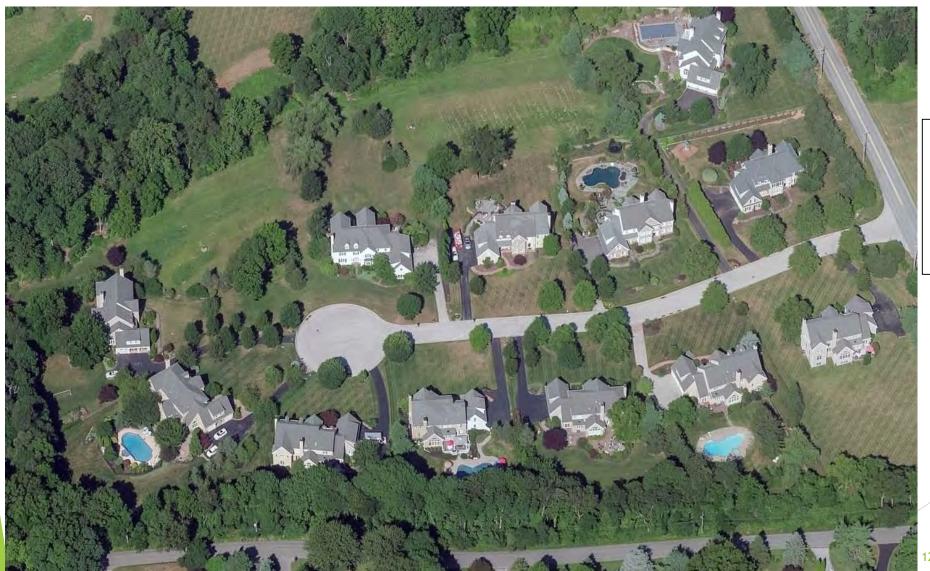
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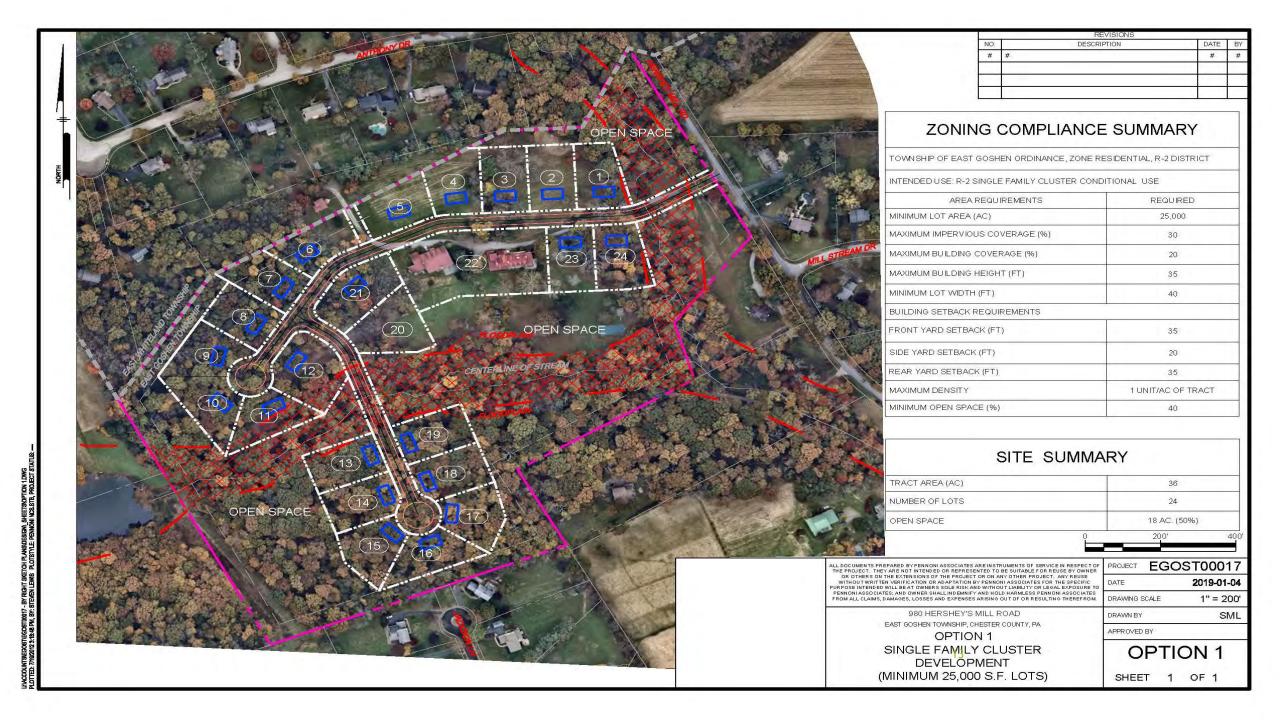
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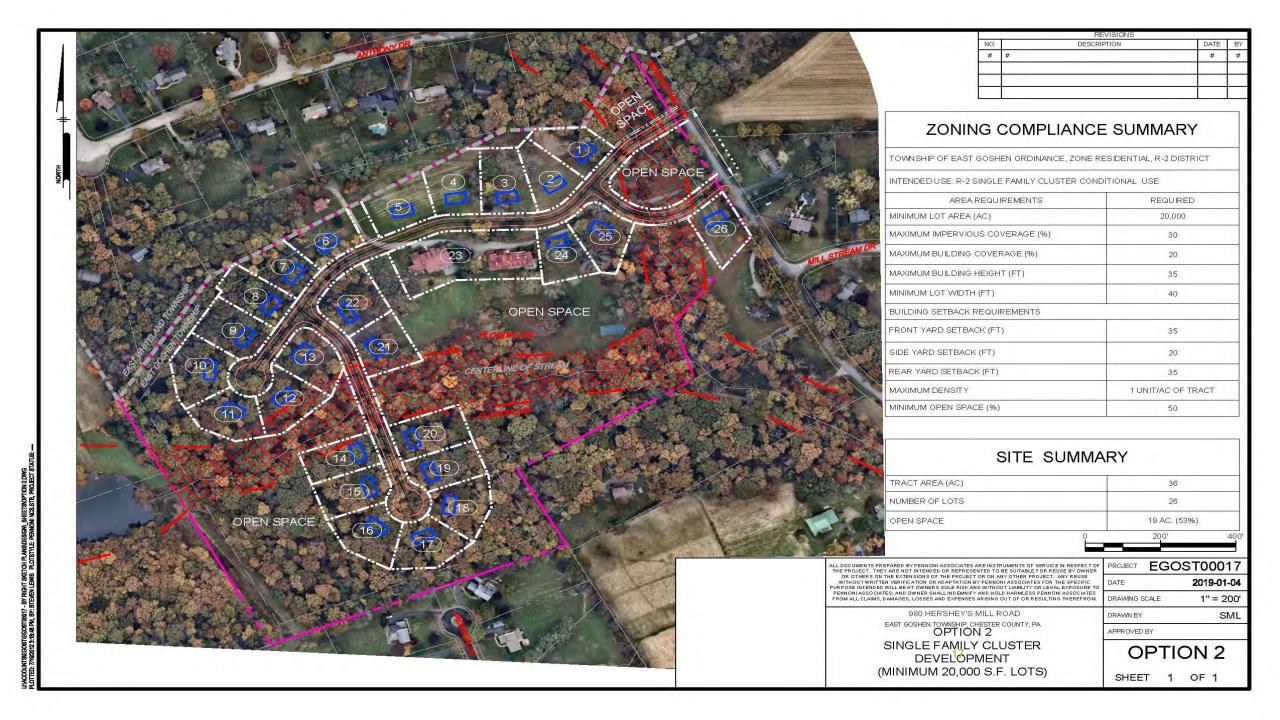
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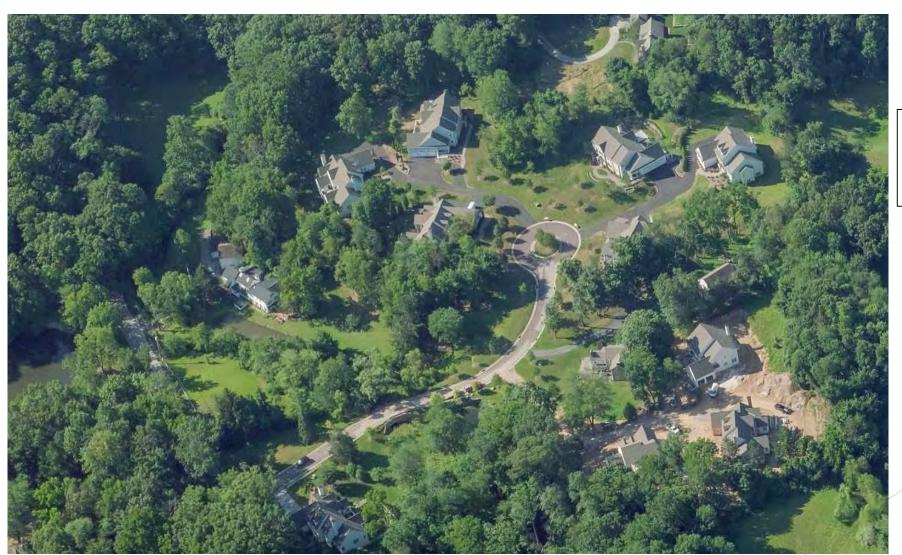
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This development option has never been used in the Township, however it would be very similar to the 25,000 s.f. option like Grand Oak, Marydell, & Wentworth.

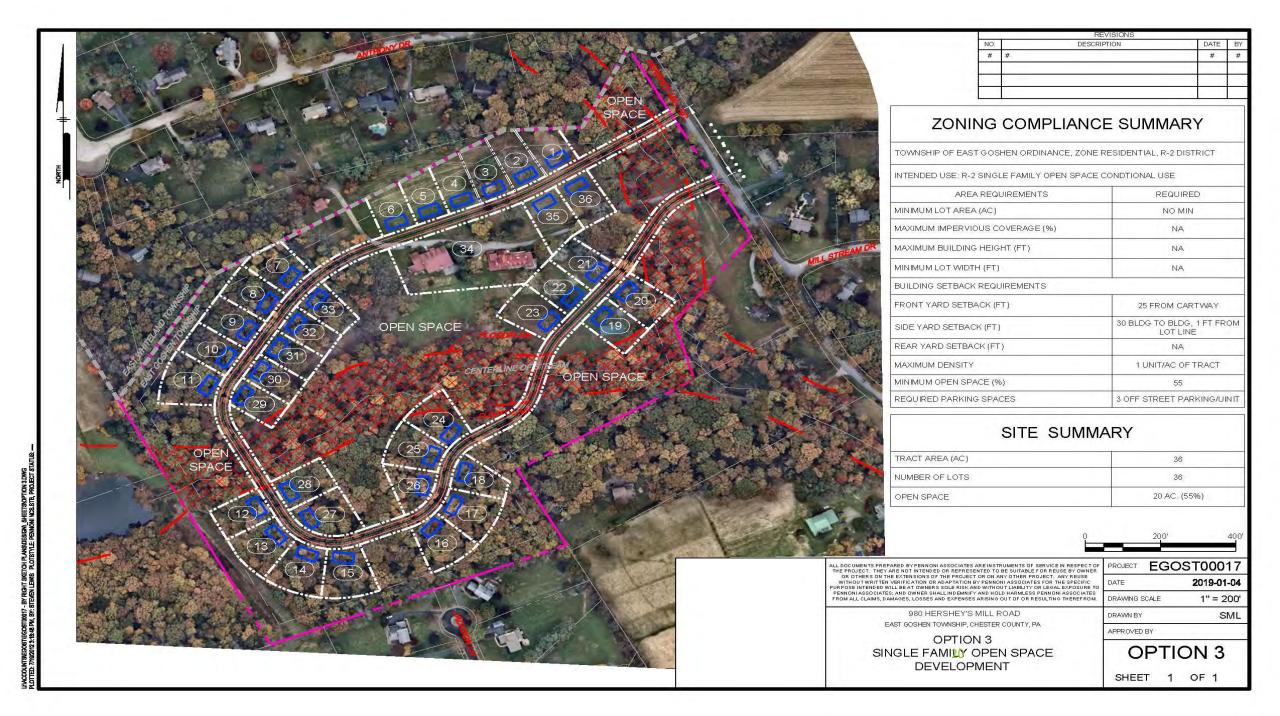




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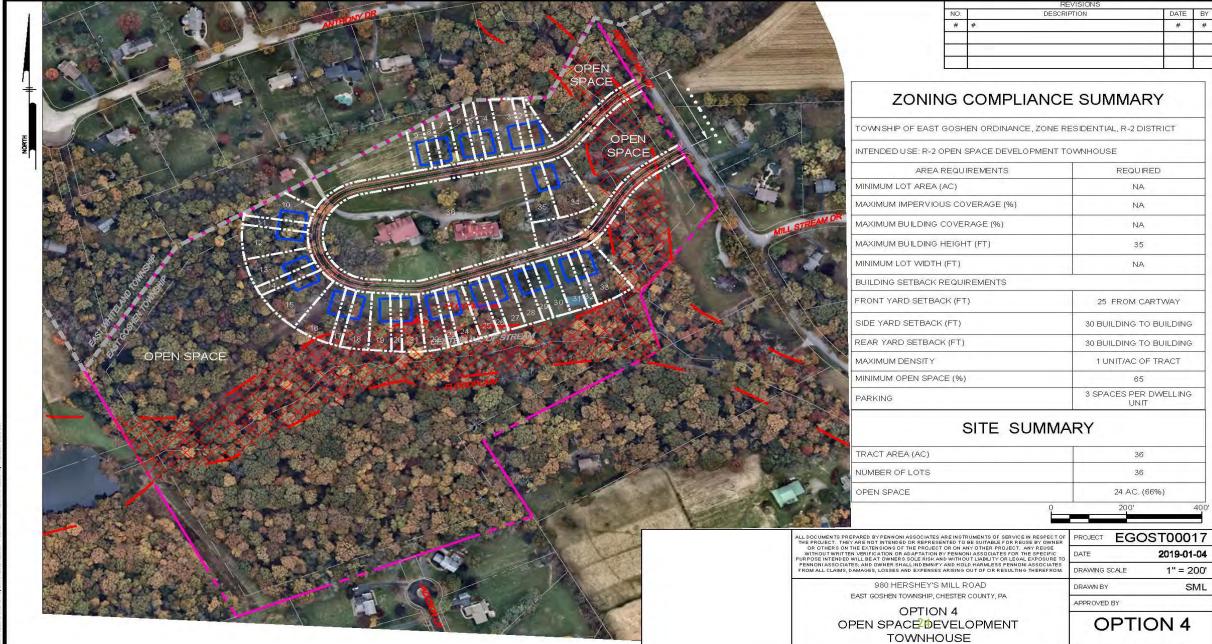
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## Proposed Open Space Development Ordinance

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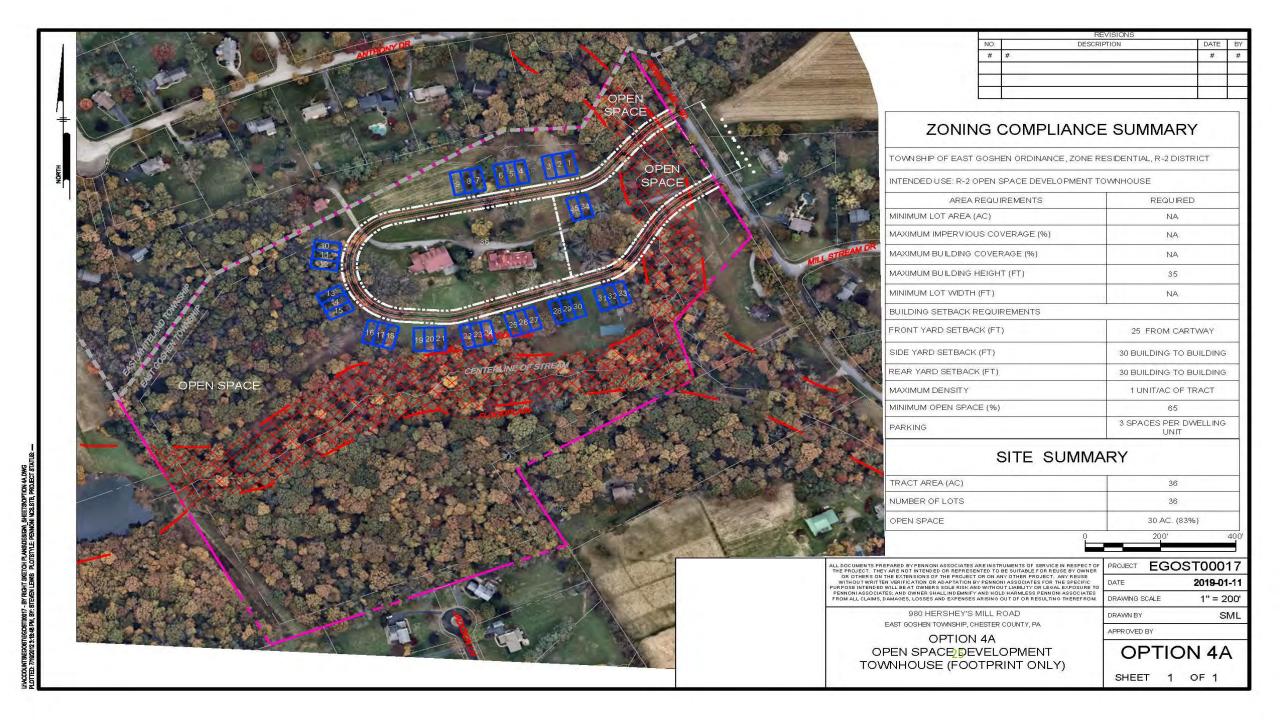
#### Proposed Open Space Development Options in the R-2

- Area and Bulk Requirements
  - Property must be at least 20 acres
  - Development must be served by Public Water and Sewer
  - ▶ A maximum of 1 dwelling unit per acre is permitted
- Semi-Detached Homes (TWINS)
  - ▶ No minimum lot size
  - ► A min. of 60% open space
- Townhouses (Max. of 3 dwelling units per building)
  - ▶ No minimum lot size
  - ► A min. of 65% open space



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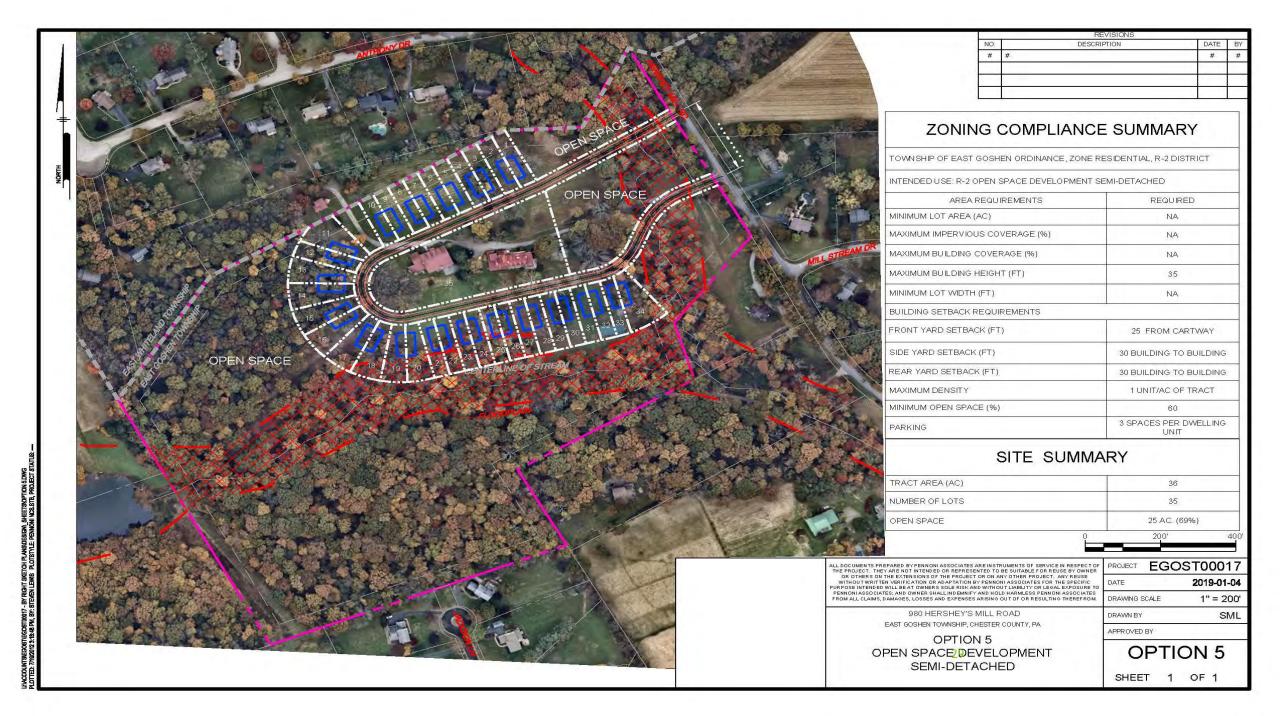
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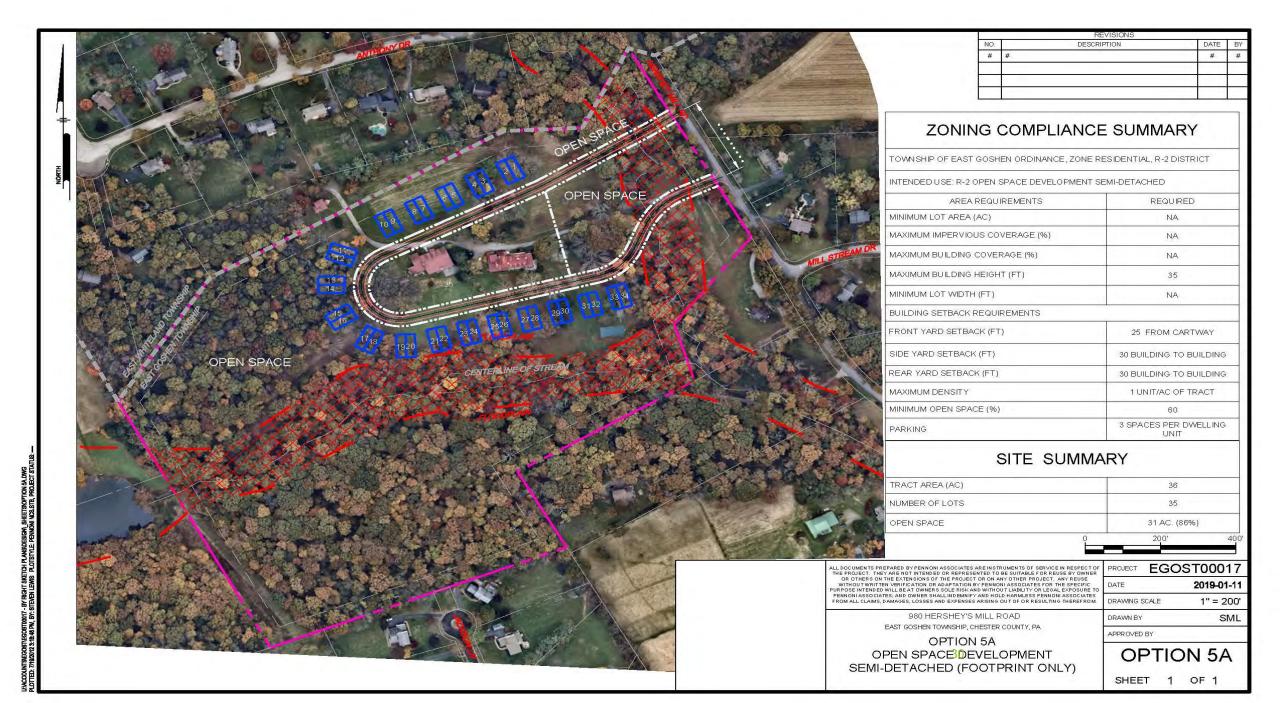
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#### **Public Comment Period**

- Questions and Comments
  - ▶ Be brief so that everyone who wishes to speak has an opportunity
  - ▶ If a specific issue has been discussed please don't repeat it
  - ▶ We must conclude the meeting at 9:30 PM

## East Goshen Township Zoning Map

