

**EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP  
PIPELINE TASK FORCE WORKSHOP MEETING  
1580 PAOLI PIKE  
THURSDAY, May 23, 2019  
FINAL MINUTES**

**Present:** Chair Caroline Hughes; Vice Chair Bill Wegemann; Members: Judi DiFonzo, Karen Miller, Christina Morley, Gerald Sexton; Rick Smith, Township Manager

**Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance**

Caroline called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m. and led the pledge of allegiance.

**Moment of Silence**

Caroline called for a moment of silence to honor our first responders and troops.

**Recording**

Caroline asked if anyone was recording the meeting. No one was recording.

**Approval of Minutes**

The minutes from April 25, 2019, were approved unanimously.

**Chairman's Report**

- Carolyn reported that within the last 10 days there were 2 inadvertent returns and 1 loss of circulation at the Boot Road and Wilson Drive intersection. Christina asked Rick how the Township is informed regarding these incidents. Rick stated that Sunoco contacts DEP and the Township.
- Carolyn reported that in East Rockhill Adelpia wrote a letter stating they will comply with the noise ordinance but not with the zoning setback ordinance.
- Caroline would like to review the Pipeline Safety Bulletin at the next meeting.

**Reporting**

**1. Legislative Update**

- Bill reported that there has been no movement with the current legislation.
- Bill gave an update on the recent election results. He welcomed John Hertzog who was in attendance.
- Caroline suggested that the TF and individuals send a thank you email to Senator Killion for his support and for calling a moratorium regarding the current pipeline issues.

**2. Current Events Impacting East Goshen**

- Bill stated he noticed that some of the pipes in the neighborhood are gone. Rick reported that one of the pipes has been placed in the ground.
- Sunoco did not request to operate on a 24 x 7 schedule.

**Old Business**

1. Pipeline Coating Degradation  
Gerry summarized his research regarding pipeline coating degradation. He will further refine the points of interest and further inquiry.
2. Review Pipeline Legislation
  - a. Christina provided a summary on Bill 40, Printer No. 17. The TF discussed her comments and suggestions.
  - b. Karen provided a summary on Bill 257, Printer No. 228. The TF discussed her comments and suggestions.
  - c. Christina and Karen will summarize the TF comments.

**Action Items for TF**

- Member will continue to review their assigned bills and provide summaries and comments.

**Public Comment**

John Hertzog, 940A Cornwallis Drive, stated that he lives near the Adelpia pipeline. He thanked the TF for their hard work.

The next regular meeting is Thursday, June 27, 2019, at 5:00 pm.

**Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Susan D'Amore*

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