

East Goshen Township
Futurist Committee
February 10, 2022
Final Minutes

Members Present:

Tom Kilburn, Chair; Members: Brandon Groff, Jeff O'Donnell

Other Present:

Dave Ware, Staff Liaison

Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance, and Moment of Silence:

Tom called the meeting to order, led the Pledge of Allegiance and called for a moment of silence for all first responders

Approval of Minutes:

January minutes were approved

Old Business;

The current status of the survey was discussed and generally agreed that it was ready to be made available to the public next week and a constant contact reminder sent every 2 weeks until it would close. Ideas on when to close the survey were proposed and it was generally determined to close April 1st.

New Business;

Discussion ensued about proposals for the next survey. Due to the prior discussion at the Board of Supervisors meeting about the surveys, Jeff suggested the next survey be budget related. If the Board truly desires information on what residents want, then it makes sense to ask what type of trails, parks, amenities, etc...residents would be willing to have their tax dollars spent on. There was also a suggestion for a Milltown Park survey – what kind of facilities and different equipment or trails do residents want since the Board is contemplating this issue recently. Lastly there was discussion around public transportation and elimination of traffic/congestion...rail vs. bus, and the question of how much people use each and the perceived benefit each may have... rails to trails type integration of biking/hiking trails and public transportation. Are there grants available for that type of project?

Public Comment:

None.

The next meeting was agreed for 3/22/22. The meeting was adjourned at 8:00.

Prepared by Dave Ware