

**UPPER NAZARETH TOWNSHIP**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**MINUTES November 7, 2022**

- 1) The November 7, 2022 meeting of the Environmental Advisory Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Chairman Nathan Pritchard.
- 2) Roll Call
  - a) Council members present were: Nathan Pritchard, Anton Shannon, Brian Sayago, Bill Bartlett. Michelle Martin and George Hasker were not in attendance.
- 3) Pledge of Allegiance
- 4) Courtesy of the floor

Members of the public did not offer any comments.
- 5) The Council approved the 10/17/22 Minutes.
  - a) Moved by Mr. Shannon, seconded by Mr. Bartlett. All voted yes.
- 6) In coordination with the UNT Recreation Board, Sean Dooley of Keystone Engineering presented a proposed plan for a redesign of Sycamore Park. The redesign was prompted by the need to install stormwater mediation systems in this park. The design incorporates, a swale, landscaped with plants to improve sedimentation and also an attractive appearance in the park. In addition, child play equipment is proposed.  
A schedule of plantings will need to be developed.  
Possibly a survey of the nearby residents will be undertaken.
- 7) Mr. Sayago reported that he has had ongoing discussions with a landowner on Rt. 248.
- 8) Mr. Sayago reported that he had discussions with representatives on Tuskes Homes regarding two lots in the Overlook development. In addition, the Tuskes representatives expanded on an idea they had presented to both the Planning Commission and the Board of Supervisors to develop 10 acres along Freidensthal Rd and offset the open space requirements with some contribution from land along Michael School Rd. No conclusion was reached except to engage in further discussions.
- 9) The Council discussed developing a mailing. Ms. Kristin Mullen volunteered to design a proposed format. The Council believed we should obtain an estimate of how much it would cost to send a mailing to some number of residents.
- 10) Mr. Shannon will obtain a list of the largest landowners in the township.

- 11) The Council discussed returning to a one meeting per month schedule. Mr. Pritchard made the Motion; Mr. Shannon seconded. All four members present voted yes.
- 12) Discussion of an approach to Buzzi will be brought up at a future meeting when Mr. Asteak is present.
- 13) Upon a motion by Mr. Pritchard, seconded by Mr. Shannon, the Council voted to authorized Mr. Sayago to contact representative of Heidelberg to discuss a parcel near Michael School Rd. The vote was approved by all four member present. Other members will be invited to participate.
- 14) **ADJOURNMENT**  
Motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Shannon, seconded by Mr. Bartlett, and approved by all members present. The meeting adjourned at 8:34 pm.

The next meeting will be on December 5, 2022 at 6:30 at the Township Building.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Sayago Secretary