

## Approved Minutes

Present: Kevin Wynant, Sheri Zynn, Meredith Mayer (Brandywine Conservancy), Maggie Prichard, Ray Shafer, Steve Landes

Absent: Scott Holt, Lee Heller

1. June Minutes: approved by committee. Sheri Zynn made the motion to approve and Maggie Prichard seconded. All were in favor, none opposed.

2. 2018 Projects

- a. Trail network discussion: Validating rail parcel ownership

Meredith updated the committee that small parcels near Living God are county owned and indicated in red on the map. In addition, Brandywine Conservancy holds a conservation easement on 22-8-100 that may be able to have an additional easement to support a trail. Meredith is looking closer at this to confirm. Lastly, it was confirmed that old rail parcel 22-8-75 is not County owned and would need a different approach to consider supporting a trail.

Meredith discussed with the committee sources of funding for trails that are available based on her experience.

- b. Sidewalk connection on Suplee Road

Son of Pastor Schuler at Gateway Baptist church has stated unequivocally that the church will not approve an easement for a sidewalk on church property. According to Steve, we will continue with alternative plans to have a sidewalk installed that extends to Umble Park.

- c. Conservation Garden update

The conservation garden has been about 60% weeded and a top layer of mulch applied to the weeded area. Work will continue to weed the remainder.

3. Other topics: None

4. Meeting adjourned at 7:32PM by Sheri Zynn, second by Kevin Wynant.

Next meeting: Thursday August 16, 2018 in the Honey Brook Township Administration Building.