

**Doylestown Community Bike/Hike Committee**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**December 22, 2022, 8:00am**  
**Doylestown Township Municipal Building**

**Present:** Lynn Goldman, Chairman; Judy Hendrixson, Vice Chairman; Tom Kelso; Chris Stanford, Baker Engineers; Steve Disciullo, Baker Engineers; Larry Gage; Marilyn Jacobsen; Rick James; Christian Regosch, Bucks County Planning Commission; Richard Brahler, Bucks County Planning Commission; Dan Wood, Board of Supervisors Liaison and Stephanie Mason, Township Manager.

**Minutes Approval November 15, 2022** meeting, on motion of Mr. Kelso, seconded by Mr. James the minutes were unanimously approved.

**Review of Projects**

**Bike Safety – BCTMA – Update**

Allison Davis from Bucks TMA is willing to work with representative from the Bike/Hike Committee in the last spring to coordinate a Bike Safety Program with local Elementary Schools. Two of our newer members will coordinate with her.

**New Britain Trail Project – Update**

Mr. Disciullo indicated six test holes were dug along New Britain Road and the shoulder. The area was good for the shift of the road to accommodate the trail. Pennoni is going to look at the pavement layers as well.

A bike lane request letter was sent to PennDOT to cross New Britain Road Bridge which they will be replacing sometime later in 2023. They will be adding fencing as well as part of the final design.

Baker will complete the final design and develop cost estimates for bidding the project.

**Shady Retreat Safe Routes to School Trail – Update**

Mr. Disciullo indicated that he is working toward TSE, finalizing drawings, and is waiting on approvals from the traffic unit for modifications of the signal at Limekiln and the Hospital Drive. Anticipates bidding sometime in the late spring.

**Prioritizing list of Future Projects**

Mr. Kelso had no update.

**Bucks County Planning Commission Study of Neshaminy Greenway Trail (Warwick Twp.)**

Mr. Brahler indicated that the County has finalized the design, they are wrapping things up on the project by the year end to close out the DCNR grant.

The 611 / Turk Park Trail Project – they are working through the PennDOT process and hope to have that completed in the spring.

**Pump Track– Update**

Closed for the season.

**View 30 Years of Trail Video**

The Committee watched the 30 Years of Trail Video created by the Telecommunications Advisory Board. Everyone was pleased with the video and thanked the TAB for their efforts in coordinating it.

### **Turk Road Area Trail Feasibility**

Ms. Goldman indicated that continuation of this trail from Bomaca to Pebble Woods and hoped that the Township could have Baker check the right-of-way that's been dedicated and that perhaps this could be a 2024 – 2025 Budget Project. Also, Cherry Lane was discussed and hoping that the Brooks Project would get underway sometime in 2023.

Ms. Jacobson, Chalfont Borough; indicated that the Borough Public Works staff was clearing a proposed trail from Patriot Drive to Lindenfield Bridge and Chestnut Park. They have bids in January and this paved trail will be moving forward with a grant that Chalfont received.

**Adjournment** - Being no further business the Committee wished each other a happy and safe holiday season; the meeting adjourned at 8:30am. The next meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, January 17, 2023, at 8:00 am** at the Doylestown Township Municipal Building.

Respectfully submitted by:

Stephanie J. Mason  
Township Manager