

SUPERVISORS OF FAIRVIEW TOWNSHIP
7471 McCray Road ~ Fairview, PA 16415

Workshop Meeting ~ March 11, 2015 ~ 1:00 P.M.

The workshop meeting of the Supervisors of Fairview Township was called to order at 1:09 P.M. on March 11, 2015 by Chairman Mark Gennuso. Present were: Supervisor Ralph Heidler and Pete Kraus; Zoning Officer James Cardman, Secretary Judy Schroeck. Andy Holland and Charity Stover were present from Urban Engineers. Erik Kincade, Ed Barnes and Dave Muye were present from the Fairview School District.

The following items were discussed regarding a grant for sidewalks and crossings along the Fairview School District property and McCray Road.

A. Charity Stover from Urban Engineers reviewed the criteria for grant money through the PA DCED (Department of Community and Economic Development) for sidewalks that would connect the Fairview School District properties to the surrounding neighborhoods. This criteria includes:

1. The cost of the project must be \$100,000 minimum which may include land acquisition, land assessment, property clearing and engineering costs.
2. The Township may partner with the School District on the application.
3. There must be a minimum of 30% local match for the grant which may include dedicating property and property in the right-of-way to the Brandy Run neighborhood.
4. The sidewalks must be on the Township and/or School Districts' property.

Applications will be accepted until the end of July and grants will be awarded in October, 2015.

The group discussed two crosswalks on Route 98, one at the entrance to Evergreen Farms and one at Buckingham Place. The crosswalks would have an LED rectangular rapid flashing beacon sign on a pole on both sides of the road and high visibility crossing markings.

The Township would like to see a sidewalk from Route 98 along McCray Road to the campus road and then prefer to widen the berm by 3-4 feet along the south side of McCray Road from the school districts' campus road to the Brandy Run neighbor instead of sidewalks.

The School District would like to have a sidewalk across the front of the middle school on the east side of Route 98 that would connect the existing Borough sidewalk to the School District's sidewalk on the campus road.

B. The Supervisors, Andy Holland and Charity Stover discussed a few issues with the newly proposed subdivision at Mayside on Dutch Road. Gene Clement from the Erie County Soil and Conservation office has stated that there are no requirements for an NPDES permit to subdivide lots under PA state regulations, however, building the second house in the subdivision may trigger the need for a permit.

The township did not require a fee for storm water review even though Andy has approximately 10 hours of time in the project already. The Supervisors decided there should be no more reviews by Urban as of today, March 11, 2015.

C. Work on evaluating safety improvements at the Route 98 and Sterrettania Road intersection will start as soon as the weather breaks.

D. A new traffic light will be installed in the next few months at the Route 5 and Manchester Road intersection. The Township is looking at Wavetronics radar technology and already has a Relco light for this location.

Meeting adjourned at 2:46 PM.

Judy Schroeck, Planning/Zoning Secretary