

PVCA meeting November 20, 2008  
Officers in attendance: Berger, Strawn  
8 attendees

1. Commissioner's report (Mark Taylor):
  - a. LMT Budget. Hearings are continuing on Wednesday Dec 3 and Dec 17<sup>th</sup>; vote will be at end of Dec 17<sup>th</sup> meeting. Budget documents are online and can be reviewed there.
  - b. In Ward 3 (McElhaney)—As a result of a neighbors' petition, two stop signs will be put in on Hagys Ford Road at the "T" intersection.
  - c. Closed-loop stoplight system planned for Montgomery Ave between Bala Cynwyd and Matson's Ford Road (involving 28 stoplights). Travelers who do not exceed the speed limit will hit fewer red lights (eastern direction in the morning; western direction in the evening). In addition countdown timers for crosswalks will be improved.
  - d. Deer culling: Began on Nov 19 with professional teams locating deer with infra-red sensors; following data collection, culling will occur on township-owned land (e.g., Kenealy Park, Rolling Hill Park)
  - e. New dog parks: Soon (probably by Monday November 24) citizens can apply for permits for West Mill Creek Park (dawn-9:30 a.m. M-F; 4 p.m.-dusk M-F; all day Sat-Sun). Rolling Hill will have 1 fenced area; dogs can go off-leash on trails. Township has reached agreement to buy an 8-acre parcel next to the Cynwyd Trail (Westminster); this will be a fenced dog park open at any time.
2. Update from the Croyle citizens' group. There was supposed to be a commissioner's meeting Nov 12 about Croyle, but it was delayed. The Croyle group thanked the PVCA for the donation to their legal fund.
3. Request from the Welsh Valley citizens' group for PVCA to provide an equal donation to their legal fund to continue their fight against possible location of school buses at Welsh Valley. Request voted on and approved that we will give \$750 to the fund.
4. Suggestion from one attendee that PVCA send a letter to the commissioners and the Main Line Times stating our opposition to location of buses at both locations and our hope for another solution.
5. Discussion about the need for a PVCA board, and potential for others to assume the role of officers. Discussion about potential of merging with another civic association. All Penn Valley residents who have interest in playing a role with the Civic should contact Lynn Berger, President, or email us at [pennvalleycivic@verizon.net](mailto:pennvalleycivic@verizon.net).