

Commissioner updates

1. Discussion of recent events related to the Board of Commissioners' ad-hoc meetings and whether they should be open to the public.
 - a. PVCA member Steve Selinger made a motion, which was approved, that the PVCA adopt the same motion that the Gladwyne Civic Association passed related to this issue. Recommendation that we make an effort to have the motion communicated to the membership as a whole. The PVCA secretary will send the resolution out to PVCA members to ask them to vote on whether to pass the resolution.
 - b. PVCA member Steve Selinger made a motion, which was approved, that the PVCA thank all 14 commissioners for their hard work on the Township's behalf.

2. Report from Commissioners Jenny Brown and Mark Taylor:
 - a. May 6, vote on the trash options; 6:30 PM, Meeting of the Public Works Committee.
 - b. Earth Day celebrations at Wynnewood park Saturday and Sunday.
 - c. Township dump day is May 2-3.
 - d. Township Open house May 9th.
 - e. Discussion of Township refinancing \$18 million in bonds. Commissioner Brown supported a refinancing of the bonds, but did not support added \$7 million in new debt, and preferred that the township spend from its reserves.
 - f. River Road in Gladwyne expected to be open by May 15th.
 - g. Very little police activity in the Township recently.
 - h. Discussion of developer who is trying to put up very large billboards in the area; in fact they would be over the line in Haverford but would have a large impact on us. Haverford is fighting this.
 - i. There will be an increase in sewer fees.
 - j. Township efforts to secure stimulus money for eligible projects are underway, specifically for the Belmont Ave/Rock Hill Road intersection improvement.

3. Other issues raised and discussed:
 - a. Friends of the Cynwyd Trail have contributed work that equals \$100,000 in time. Recommendation that everyone walk the trail to get the full experience. Motion made and approved that the PVCA make a contribution in the amount of \$100 to the Friends of Cynwyd Trail group.
 - b. Discussion of having periodic joint meetings of the Gladwyne Civic and the PVCA.

4. Treasurer's report: Current balance is \$15,342.49.