

FRELINGHUYSEN TOWNSHIP OPEN SPACE ADVISORY COMMISSION

Minutes of June 14, 2010

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Nancy Nicholoff, Vice Chair, at 7:12 pm.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PROPER NOTICE

Notice of this meeting was provided by advertising in the Express Times and New Jersey Herald, the official newspapers of the Township of Frelinghuysen, in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act. Action may be taken at the meeting as advertised.

ATTENDANCE

Members present: Nancy Nicholoff, Cliff Kimball, Maureen Cullen, and Tom Charles

Members absent: Dan Carson, Leigh Kramer and Robin Randolph

MINUTES

Tom Charles made a motion to approve the April 14, 2010 minutes, seconded by Cliff Kimball, all in favor - aye. Nancy Nicholoff abstained.

Tom Charles made a motion to approve the May 5, 2010 joint open space /farmland preservation minutes, seconded by Cliff Kimball, all in favor - aye.

OLD BUSINESS

- Open Space/Farmland Trust Fund Balance – The combined total is \$186,361.08. Per Ms. Nicholoff, Ms. Randolph was anticipating some credits this month and there are roughly \$800.00 in credits shown.
- Property List Spreadsheet - Ms. Nicholoff went through the Yang and Lee properties and checked the appropriate attributes for these properties. Ms. Nicholoff asked the members if they could do the same with any other properties. Members were able to update a few attributes of different properties. Looking at the property sheet not enough information is known and will revisit at next months meeting.
- Open Space Goals/Objectives - Will carry to July's meeting.
- Chipper Party - The committee agreed to wait until the fall for any chipping on the 5 acre parcel. Mr. Kimball mentioned that the stumps at the school have started to grow and are about 3 to 4 feet already. The stumps need to be removed not keep getting cut. Will discuss at next meeting to determine when this could be done.

NEW BUSINESS

- Maureen Cullen gave an update from Environmental Commission, updating the group on Sustainable New Jersey. Having registered, towns are eligible to apply for grants toward certification. Towns need to have 150 points in different areas to become certified. Once certified, they can apply for additional grants. Nancy Nicholoff will be a part of the Green Team for this as well.
- Cliff Kimball gave an update from the Recreation Committee. Updated the group on the 5 acre parcel. Looking to put in basketball courts, walking trail, that will hopefully be paved, and another ball field.

PUBLIC SESSION

EXECUTIVE SESSION

CORRESPONDENCE

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:46 p.m. with a motion by Tom Charles, seconded by Maureen Cullen.
All members present in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Zilberfarb
Open Space Commission Secretary