AMBLER BOROUGH PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES OF MAY 22, 2018, MEETING

The Regular Meeting of the Ambler Borough Planning Commission was held on Tuesday, May 22, 2018, at 7:00 p.m. in Borough Council Chambers located at 131 Rosemary Avenue, Ambler, Pennsylvania. Chairman Robert Lagreca called the meeting to order and presided.

ROLL CALL: Present: Elizabeth Iovine, Carol Ann DiPietro, Salvatore Boccuti, Peter Amento, Al Comly, Jr., and Robert Lagreca Also in attendance: Glenn Kucher, Ambler Borough Code Enforcement Officer, and Lauren Van Dyk, Montgomery County Planner.

Carissa Hazelton, William Mulroy and James Dougherty, Borough Engineer, were excused from attending.

Elizabeth Iovine made a motion to approve the Minutes of the meeting of April 24, 2018. Al Comly seconded the motion.

OLD BUSINESS:

Input is requested on updating the Borough Open Space Plan to incorporate the newly-acquired parcels since the last update in 2006. Our County Planner provided a draft Memo for discussion. The parks in the Borough and out of the Borough which are accessible by walking or a short car ride were discussed in detail; i.e. each park's advantages and disadvantages and use. Other park-like items were discussed such as identifying recreational needs and where in the Borough could those needs be fulfilled and how. After almost two hours of discussion, the Chairman suggested we close the meeting and resume in June. The County Planner expects to wrap up the draft Open Space Plan Update between June and July.

NEW BUSINESS:

None

CONTINUED BUSINESS FOR THE JUNE, 2018, MEETING

Continue work on the Open Space Plan Update.

Several residents were in attendance and provided comments.

A high school student from Gwynedd Mercy attended the meeting for a school project. The members of the Commission asked her to share any questions or comments, but she had none.

Peter Amento made a motion at 8:50 seconded by Al Comly to adjourn.

Respectfully Submitted, Carol Ann DiPietro Recording Secretary, AMBLER BOROUGH PLANNING COMMISSION