



East Pikeland Historical Commission Meeting Minutes January 16, 2019

Attendees: Jim Garrison, Joanne Moser, Kris Jommersbach, Kehl Rothermel, Jon Gayl, Barbara Ray, and Molly Ruzicka

Not in Attendance: Bob Friebe

The meeting commenced at 7:00 pm.

The meeting agenda was presented to the members and the following issues were discussed:

General

- **Meeting Minutes** - The November meeting minutes were reviewed and approved.
- **Snyder's Mill & Grange Signage** - Ms. Ruzicka provided the revised copy for the interpretive signage for Snyder's Mill and the Kimberton Grange. Sources for Grange photography are still being pursued. Once photography is secured Mr. Garrison will begin work on the layout.
- **CCHPN Leadership Meeting** - The Chester County Historical Preservation Network (CCHPN) will be hosting their county leadership meeting on Saturday, December 19th at the West Whiteland Township building from 8:30 am - 1:00 pm. Barbara Ray agreed to represent East Pikeland Township.

NEW

- **Pigeon Run Bridge** - Mr. Garrison informed the Commission that the state intends to replace the Pigeon Run bridge on Merlin Road with a two lane 28 foot wide bridge which includes 4 foot shoulders each side. The current the one lane bridge is 16' wide and is adjacent to the Middle Pickering Historical District. The Township has asked the state to reduce the bridge width by 4 feet and reducing each shoulder to 2 feet. They have also requested that in keeping with the surroundings of the historic area, natural stone be used for the walls and steel be used for the guard rails.
- **2383 Kimberton Road** – The Commission received a photo from a township resident concerning a small outbuilding behind the main house that is a state of great disrepair. Since this property is listed on the historic resource list, the Commission is recommending the Township Zoning Officer contact the property owners about the building.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:48 pm
The next meeting will be February 20th at 7:00 pm

Respectfully submitted,
Kris Jommersbach
Secretary, Historical Commission