## PLANNING COMMISSION

The public meeting of the North Cornwall Township Planning Commission was held on Wednesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024, at the North Cornwall Township Offices located at 330 South 18th Street, Lebanon, PA at 7:00 PM. In attendance were:

**Commission Members:** 

Ken Funk, Paul Weidman, Bob Gearhart, Ed Copenhaver

Township:

Justin Thompson, Tom Long

Engineer:

Steve Sherk, PE

Public: (Per sign in sheet)

Guests: Robert Hain, PLS, SEO, Chuck Strodoski, RLA

- 1. Mr. Bob Gearhart called the meeting to order at 7:03 with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
- 2. **Reorganization:** Officers nominated: Chairman Bob Gearhart; Vice Chairman Ed Copenhaver; Secretary Ken Funk. Motion to approve officers by Mr. Weidman, seconded by Mr. Copenhaver. Motion passed.
- 3. **Approval:** Motion to approve the minutes from November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 by Mr. Weidman, seconded by Mr. Copenhaver. Motion passed.
- 4. Mr. Hain reviewed the proposed 700 E. Penn Avenue Sketch Plan. The Planning Commission will support two items that will need zoning relief.
  - (1) 100' site triangle. The Planning Commission is in favor of a site triangle variance as long as the entrance meets PennDOT's requirements.
  - (2) Throat length of the driveway. The Planning Commission will support a throat length variance as long as the driveway is maximized to the extent that is practical for the site layout.
- 5. Mr. Strodoski reviewed the 2455 Chestnut Street Lebanon Quittie Park, Land Development Plan.
- 6. **Recommendation:** Recommend approval for the following waivers:

Waiver from Section 502.5 A.2 Reconstruction of existing streets.

Waiver from Section 502.11 Curbing

Waiver from Section 503.4 B Emergency access requirements

Waiver from Section 510.3 B.3 Requiring street trees

Waiver from Section 305 Storm water rate control requirements

Motion by Mr. Copenhaver, seconded by Mr. Weidman. Motion passed.

- 7. **Recommendation:** Recommend a deferred waiver from section 502.12 in two parts.
  - (1) Deferred waiver for sidewalk to the east of the entrance until the rail trail is relocated to the east of Connection to the rail trail to the east.
  - (2) Deferred waiver for sidewalk to the west of the entrance until the adjacent property gets developed. Motion by Mr. Weidman seconded by Mr. Funk. Motion passed.
- 8. The Planning Commission is OK with the parking shown on the Lebanon Quittie Park plan.

- 9. Announced next meetings February 28th, 2024 at 7 pm.
- 10. **Adjournment** The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken Funk Secretary