MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP AGRICULTURAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES APRIL 26, 2022

Chairperson Butewicz called the Meeting to Order at 7:46 p.m.

Reading of Adequate Notice

ROLL CALL:

Present: Ms. Butch, Ms. Butewicz, Mr. Rueter **Absent:** Mr. Asprocolas, Mr. Peck, Ms. Posten

PUBLIC COMMENTS: No public present

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: March 22, 2022

Councilperson Rueter made a motion to approve the minutes from March 22, 2022 and Vice-Chairperson Butch offered a second. Amendments to the March minutes were made by Vice-Chairperson Butch and accepted by Mr. Rueter.

Roll Call: Ms. Butch, Ms. Posten, Mr. Peck and Mr. Rueter voted in favor

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: February 15, 2022

Vice-Chairperson Butch noted some corrections to the minutes that were approved.

Councilperson Posten made a motion to approve the minutes from February 15, 2022 and Councilperson Peck offered a second.

Roll Call: Ms. Butch and Mr. Rueter voted in favor

CORRESPONDENCE: None

Finance Report: Vice Chairperson Butch requested a running total on open grants especially Millstone Park Phase 2 on a quarterly basis.

OLD BUSINESS:

Deer Spotlight Survey: The State has not provided the results yet of the recent survey that was conducted.

Clam Bake: The clambake is scheduled for May 22nd at Wagner Farm Park. We are looking for additional sponsors. Ms. Butch, Ms. Butewicz and Mr. Asprocolas will be attending the event for the entire time to assist with Open Space. Mr. Rueter offered to help wherever he is needed. The cut-off for ticket orders is May 19th.

NEW BUSINESS:

Landowner Meet & Greet: The Council in conjunction with Open Space will hold a landowner meet & greet to educate large landowners on the various programs available from Farmland Preservation, Open Space Preservation and Green Acres. The week of November 14th through 18th would be the best time frame with the 14th or 17th being the preferred dates. Ms. Butch will assist with creating a list of landowners to invite. Some form of catered food will be provided. In 2016, approximately 25 people attended a similar event which was held at the Millstone Township Elks lodge.

There is no executive session scheduled for this month. The Executive minutes from March will be carried to the next executive meeting.

Seeing no further business, Councilperson Rueter motioned to adjourn. Vice Chairperson Butch offered a second. Meeting adjourned at 8:32 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Andrew DeFelice