

**ASTON TOWNSHIP
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING
WEDNESDAY JUNE 18, 2014
7:00PM
AGENDA**

1. CALL TO ORDER.
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.
3. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF BILLS AND PAYROLL.
4. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF TREASURER'S REPORT.
5. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF MAY 21, 2014.
6. COMMITTEE REPORTS.
7. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC (AGENDA ITEMS ONLY) - ONE HALF HOUR.
8. OLD BUSINESS

A: CONSIDER AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ASTON, DELAWARE COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA TO FURTHER AMEND, SUPPLEMENT, CHANGE AND MODIFY THE PROVISIONS OF DRAFT ORDINANCE NO. 815, CHAPTER 23, KNOWN AS "STORMWATER MANAGEMENT", DATED MARCH 28, 2014, AS HERETOFORE AMENDED BY RESCINDING ORDINANCE NO. 815, CHAPTER 23 AND ADOPTING A NEW CHAPTER 23, TO BE ENTITLED "STORMWATER MANAGEMENT."

THE TEXT OF THE ORDINANCE RUNS TO MORE THAN 100 PAGES. IN SUMMARY, THE MAJOR REVISIONS ARE:

1. EXEMPTIONS - THE CURRENT ORDINANCE DOES NOT PERMIT EXEPTIONS FROM STORMWATER CONTROL; HOWEVER, THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE PERMITS ACTIVITIES PROPOSING 0 TO 499 SQUARE FEET OF PROPOSED (NEW, ADDITIONAL OR REPLACEMENT) IMPERVIOUS SURFACE, OR 0 TO 4,999 SQUARE FEET OF EARTH DISTURBANCE TO BE EXEMPT FROM THE ORDINANCE REGULATIONS.

2. SIMPLIFIED APPROACH - THE CURRENT ORDINANCE PERMITS A SIMPLIFIED APPROACH, OR LESS RESTRICTIVE REQUIREMENTS, FOR ACTIVITIES PROPOSING LESS THAN 10% OF THE TOTAL SITE ARE, UP TO A MAXIMUM OF 2,000 SQUARE FEET OF ADDITIONAL IMPERVIOUS COVER; THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE PERMITS A SIMPLIFIED APPROACH FOR 500 TO 999 SQUARE FEET OF PROPOSED IMPERVIOUS SURFACE.

3. BMP OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE (O&M) FUND - THE CURRENT ORDINANCE REQUIRES DEVELOPERS TO POST A DEPOSIT TO THE O&M FUND FOR MUNICIPALLY-OWNED OR DEDICATED BMPS ONLY (FOR A SPAN OF 20 YEARS). THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE ADDITIONALLY REQUIRES DEVELOPERS TO POST A DEPOSIT TO THE O&M FUND OR PRIVATELY-OWNED BMPS (FOR A SPAN 10 YEARS). NOTE PER THE PROPOSED ORDINANCE, NO DEPOSIT TO THE BMP O&M FUND IS REQUIRED FOR THOSE ACTIVITIES UTILIZING THE SIMPLIFIED APPROACH (I.E., 500 TO 999 S.F. OF PROPOSED IMPERVIOUS SURFACE).

9. NEW BUSINESS

- A: CONSIDER A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE COMMONWEALTH FINANCING AUTHORITY FOR THE NEWSOM POND RESTORATION PROJECT.

- B: CONSIDER A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE COMMONWEALTH FINANCING AUTHORITY FOR THE RESTORATION OF VINSMITH PARK.

- C: CONSIDER A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A GRANT APPLICATION TO PENNDOT FOR AN ARLE GRANT.

- D: CONSIDER A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE ASTON TOWNSHIP TRAFFIC CALMING POLICY.

- E: ANNOUNCE A REQUEST TO PENNDOT TO INSTALL A CAUTIONARY SIGNAL ON CONCORD ROAD AT MOUNT HOPE CHURCH.

- F: CONSIDER A MOTION ACCEPTING THE LOW BID OF AF DAMON INC, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$273,889.20 FOR THE 2014 ROAD PROGRAM.

- G: CONSIDER A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACQUISITION OF THE LISTER PROPERTY.

- H: ANNOUNCE THE 4TH OF JULY FIREWORKS.

10. ESCROW RELEASE.

11. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC - ONE HALF HOUR.

12. OTHER BUSINESS.

13. ADJOURNMENT.