

# **Town of Barnesville**

## **Town Meeting Minutes October 18, 2010**

- Meeting Called to order 7:30pm
- 10 People in Attendance
- Read and Approved Minutes from September Meeting.
- Monthly Financial Statement Approved.

### **Committees**

#### **Alternative Energy**

No new Reports.

#### **Beautification**

Lisa Hilton has joined the Committee.

Fall flags have arrived. Commissioner Fedders will hang them this week.

Beautification Committee met and will report to Commissioners when more committee members are in attendance to make Standing decisions.

#### **Board of Appeals**

No one has come forward to replace Susan Pearcy . Anyone interested in joining this committee can submit their name to the Commissioners.

#### **Capital Improvements**

Barbara Davidson suggested circulating a survey for community suggestions. Possibly, a hard copy could be posted at the post office for Citizen and Community members to participate. This would promote community involvement.

The commissioners will post the committee's Memo on the website.

There was also discussion with regards to monies available which will be discussed with Mayor Menke.

### **Planning and Zoning**

Meg Menke was not in attendance. The Master Plan was approved and will be submitted to the State of Maryland. The Amended Plan will be posted on Town Website.

### **Safety**

Mayor Menke is in contact with the Company repairing sidewalks and Barnesville Road. They are raising sidewalk and diverting water in front of Shea property.

### **Old Business**

- Pete has ordered the Shoup Plaque.
- Commissioner Fedders will follow up with the Maryland Grant Committee as the Town is waiting for approval.
- Monocacy Garden Club will use the Town Hall in January for their Annual Christmas Party. Monica will contact Peg Coleman to book the event date.
- Town Halloween festivities will be October 31 from 530pm to 730pm.
- William Price will help Monica with QuickBooks in the upcoming Month.

## **New Business**

- There was discussion with regards to Posting an Agenda on the website prior to meetings. A mass email will be sent to the Town monthly to include community events, new post to the website, and the upcoming Town Meeting Agenda.
- The Meissner Property was discussed. There has been a common complaint regarding shooting of guns on the property. Luke will contact the authorities and research Noise Ordinance regulations. Cherry Barr requested shooting be banned in the Town.
- Cherry Barr requested more small Blue recycling boxes for the town. There was discussion regarding Recycling and the Titus Trash flyer that was distributed throughout our Town. Titus Trash adheres to Montgomery County rules and regulations. For further information see the Montgomery County website.
- Montgomery County Police Department has a new online system for residents to report non-emergency crimes. The new system is called On-Line Citizen System. The link is [www.montgomerycountymd.gov/poltmp1.asp?url=/content/pol/coplogic/cologic.asp](http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/poltmp1.asp?url=/content/pol/coplogic/cologic.asp) . This link will be added to our website.
- William Price suggested the Town of Barnesville have a document stating our town ordinances, and regulations. This should be presented to any potential land or home buyer in our Township, possibly as a Disclosure. This document will be researched by Commissioner Brown and Attorney William Roberts.

**Meeting Adjourned 8:20pm**