Holland Township Agriculture Advisory Committee Meeting

Thursday, Mar 2, 2017 Holland Twp. Municipal Building, 6:30 PM

<u>Agenda</u>

• Call Meeting to Order

Adequate notice of this meeting was given pursuant to the open public meeting act by the Twp. Clerk on December 8, 2016.

- Approval of January Minutes
- Farmland Preservation Applications: Brown: Grant agreement completed. Freeholders must approve. Kerr (B15 L1): No update.

Other Land Preservation: Silva Farm: B10 L43 (97.25ac) and B14 L20 (32.99ac): Larry met with Bill Rawlyk and Jackie Middleton at HLT on Jan 10. Bill mentioned a few ideas for funding to purchase, e.g. Dirt Capital, and agreed to check for others and get back to us. Gombosi (B25 L30, 48.5 ac): Bret Berlinger may be interested in purchasing and preserving. Rothenberg Farm (B17 L20, 122 ac): No update. Slate (B24 L6, 65.88 ac): Very positive meeting with the Slates on Feb 21. They want to pursue farmland preservation, which will probably be a MPIG application. However, the pipeline crosses the northern edge of their farm, which will be a consideration during appraisals. Gravel Hill, B22 L52, 23 ac/Tilstra:

- PASA Conference, Feb 1-4, State College, PA
- Other Business: 2017 Budget? Ironbound!
- Pipeline Update:
- Public Comment:
- Next Meeting(s): Apr 6th, May 4th.
- Adjournment