

## Open Space Report February 2008

The Open Space Committee met on Thursday, February 21. Minutes from the January 2008 meeting were approved. Copies of the Chadds Ford Open Space Plan were given to the members of the committee.

### New business/agenda

\*Developing a letter to be sent to PECO stating our concerns regarding Heyburn Road/clear cutting trees as it relates to the Open Space Plan. Letter is to be copied to BOS and legal for comments/release.

\*Work on Fee-In-Lieu Ordinance. Ordinance must relate to Chadds Ford's Plan. Use other Township ordinances to create sound document and consider implementation of fees/scales. Forward ideas to legal and update as new information presents itself. (Dave Poston to lead)

\*Discuss report on feasibility trails walk with the Brandywine Conservancy.(Janet Ebert to lead)

\*Chadds Ford would be represented at two upcoming conferences.

\*February 26...King of Prussia Radison Hotel Convention Center. DCNR (Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources Bureau of Recreation and Conservation) "Developing an Excellent Project" 2008 Grant Workshop. In attendance: Maryann Furlong, Kathleen Goodier, Debbie Reardon, Lois Saunders.

March 5...Penn. State Great Valley. Activate Chester County "Creating Connections between Trails and Health: A Workshop". In attendance: Kathleen Goodier, Debbie Reardon, Lois Saunders.

\*Brandywine Conservancy partnership to trails. Email attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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