



Lehigh Valley Planning Commission

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LEHIGH VALLEY PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

Thursday, August 22, 2024, at 7:00 PM

Via Microsoft Teams

AGENDA

THE MEETING CAN BE ACCESSED AT <https://tinyurl.com/LVPC2024> OR VIA PHONE 610-477-5793 Conf ID: 928 251 831#.

Roll Call

Courtesy of Floor

Chairman's Report

1. 2024 Innovation & Collaboration Award - Government Awardee from the Water Resources Association of the Delaware River Basin (WRA)

Minutes

1. *ACTION ITEM*: Minutes and Review of Roll Call Actions of the July 25, 2024, Commission Meeting (JD)

County Subdivision and Land Development Review as Municipal Planning Commission:

1. *ACTION ITEM*: Slatington Borough – Land Development – Northern Lehigh School District Field Improvements (JS, DK)

Comprehensive Planning Committee:

1. *ACTION ITEM*: Slatington Borough – Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance and Map Update – (JD, BH, SM)
2. *ACTION ITEM*: Slatington Borough – Official Map (JD, SM)
3. *ACTION ITEM*: Washington Township (LC) – Comprehensive Zoning Ordinance and Map Update – (JS, BH, SM)
4. *ACTION ITEM*: Washington Township (LC) – Official Map (JS, SM)

Environment Committee:

1. *ACTION ITEM*: South Whitehall Landscapes Plan Review – South Whitehall Township, Lehigh County (SR, CM)
2. *ACTION ITEM*: North Whitehall 7-Year Agricultural Security Area Review – North Whitehall Township, Lehigh County (SR, CM)

Transportation Committee:

1. *ACTION ITEM*: Street Vacation Petition Review E Clay Street from N Wall Street to Club Avenue, City of Allentown (KH)

Old Business:

1. *INFORMATION ITEMS*: Activity Reports:
 - a. Highway Traffic Monitoring (BD)
 - b. Monthly Subdivision, Land Development, Stormwater and Municipal Ordinance/Plans Report (JS)

New Business:

1. *INFORMATION ITEM*: September In-Person Full Commission Reminder (BB, JD)
2. *INFORMATION ITEM*: Requests for Proposal (SG)
 - a. Electronic Plan Submission System
 - b. Organizational Strategic Plan
 - c. Copier
 - d. Open End Planning, Engineering and Landscape Architecture Services
 - e. Project Selection and Prioritization System
 - f. Route 22 Improvements Plan

Executive Director's Report:

1. *INFORMATION ITEM*: Housing Supply and Attainability Strategy Project Kick-Off (BB)

Communications, Engagement and Grants:

1. *INFORMATION ITEM*: Morning Call Business Cycle Column (MA)
 - a. Published July 28: "Managing Lehigh Valley growth requires community participation"
 - b. Next column: September 1
2. *INFORMATION ITEM*: Monthly, Plan Lehigh Valley Talk Show on WDIY, Lehigh Valley Public Radio, 88.1 (MA)
 - a. Air Date: August 5 - "Changing the Lehigh Valley's landscape with Jill Seitz"
 - b. Next show – September 2
3. *INFORMATION ITEM*: US Department of Transportation Reconnecting Communities Pilot Program
 - Deadline: September 30
 - Grants: \$607 million available for disadvantaged communities
 - More Info: www.transportation.gov/reconnecting
4. *INFORMATION ITEM*: Local Technical Assistance Program Virtual Classes (BD)
 - a. September 4: Curves on Local Roads, 8 am to noon
 - b. September 10: Traffic Signals Basics, 8 am to noon
 - c. September 11: ADA Transition Plans and Evaluations, 8 am to noon
 - d. October 1: Winter Maintenance Planning, 8 am to noon

Register at www.gis.penndot.gov/LTAP/ or by contacting Brian Hite at bhite@lvpc.org 610-264-4544

**Next Lehigh Valley Planning Commission Meeting:
In Person**

Thursday, September 26, 2024, at 7:00 pm

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