



TOWAMENSING TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

2011 MEETING MINUTES

Date: April 11th, 2011, **Time:** 7 PM, **Place:** Township Municipal Building

Members Present: Chair Connie Bieling, Vice Chair Guy Seifert, Board Members, Roy Christman, George White, David Beers, Rick Mertz, and Christine Meinhart

Solicitor, Michael Greek.

Excused: Secretary Jeremy Barbosa

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag	None	The Planning Commission began with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
Approval of the Minutes: Approval of March 14, 2011 Towamensing Township Planning Commission minutes.		Motion made by Guy Seifert to approve the minutes, with revisions from March 14, 2011, and seconded by Rick Mertz. A.I.F.
Public Participation	None	None
Old Business: Comprehensive Plan	Jill Smith and Steve Dellinger from Hanover Engineering discussed the proposal submitted by their firm to update the Township zoning, SALDO and storm water ordinances to be consistent with the new Comprehensive Plan. The proposal also includes joint revisions of Towamensing Township as well as Lower Towamensing. Since both Townships will have the revisions done at the same time, this doesn't mean that the two ordinances will be similar, but not necessarily the same. There were several members of Lower Towamensing Township's Planning commission as well as a Lower Towamensing Supervisor present. The	None

	discussion included fees, as well as the number of meetings, timing of meetings and size of the committee that will need to be formed to accomplish the task. Steve Dellinger agreed to provide the two townships a revised proposal based on this evenings discussion.	
New Business:	None at this time	
Discussion:	None	None
Officials:	Board Chair Connie reminded the board that April is approaching and that means Government Day program. Connie asked if the members wanted to participate in the program again, and they felt it was a worthy program to continue. Connie stated that she will contact the principal to see if the school still wanted to participate in the program.	None
Adjournment	None	Motion made by Roy Christman to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by David Beers. A.I.F. Meeting adjourned at 8:10pm.