Historical Commission of Birmingham Township Minutes of the meeting of February 25, 2020

The regular meeting of the Birmingham Township Historical Committee was called to order by Chairperson, Mike Forbes at **7:18pm** in the township building.

PRESENT: HC Members: Kelly Fleming, Mike Forbes, John Ponticello

ABSENT: Matt Bedwell

Others present: Dan Hill

Mr. Forbes made a motion to approve the minutes from the January 28, 2020 meeting. Mr. Ponticello seconded the motion and it passed unanimously. (one abstention Kelly Fleming who was not at the January meeting).

Update on Vision Partnership Program

No update this month as Matt Bedwell is not in attendance this evening.

New Business

Mr. Forbes will be attending the Birmingham Hill Master Plan steering committee on February 28, 2020 and he will have an update on that next month. This group is working to determine the plan for the entire O'Dell property and Birmingham Hill in conjunction with the Brandywine Conservancy.

Ms. Fleming noted that she received a mailing as a neighbor of the property. The mailing came from the Brandywine Conservancy and contained as overview of what they hope to do on the property in terms of trails, interpretative signage and possible timeline for implementation. The have established a Steering Committee. They are going to have public engagement meetings and also involve neighbors in the direction they take.

Mr. Forbes is going to contact the office about a replacement for Jeff Janofsky.

Mr. Forbes made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:32pm. Seconded by Mr. Ponticello and voted unanimously. The next meeting will be March 24, 2020 at 7:15pm.

Respectfully submitted, Jennifer Boorse HC Secretary