



Milton Economic Development **Sustainability Subcommittee**
Meeting Minutes – Tuesday, April 25, 2017
2nd Floor – Milton Public Library – 5:30 PM
Milton, DE 19968

1. Call Meeting to order: 5:40 PM
2. Roll call of members: Michela Coffaro, Lou Colon, Shannon Maner, Anita Capparell, Frank Capparell
3. Corrections/ Approval of Agenda: Approved
4. Approval of minutes of the 3/28/2017 meeting: Approved
5. Guest/Speakers: Dam Melina, Tom Diorio
6. Announcements: May 9, 2017: 1PM Milton's Women's Club meeting at Prime Hook, Lou Colon speaking. April 29, 2017: 10:30AM – 12:30PM committee working retreat
7. Old Business
 - Lou sent talking points out for Women's Club meeting using the comprehensive plan as an outline to tell the members about sustainability
 - Lou will pass out the work plans at the working retreat
 - Working retreat will focus on events and plans through the summer and the coming year
 - Members talked about recruitment for new members
 - Shannon will be reminding members when they are scheduled to volunteer for an event
8. New Business
 - May 1, 2017 town council meeting to ask council to approve the Sustainability Subcommittee as a standalone Committee Lou will make a handout on the committee
 - Tom spoke about his research on GMO and how to gain support of politicians on environmental issues recommended finding a statistician/economist to provide economic benefits on sustainability
 - Dam spoke about his work on getting Milton certified as an Age Friendly Community through AARP

- Michela has found someone willing to write the newsletter possibly to go out quarterly with the town water bill featuring a getting to know the members section
- Lou will contact Kristy to get an email address for the committee to use
- Shannon will maintain the email address

9. Next meeting: 5/22/17 5:30 PM

10. Adjournment: 6:45 PM