



## Management Council Meeting Agenda

Thursday, December 14, 2023

10:00 AM– 11:30 PM via Zoom

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1. **(10 min) Welcome - Richard Dodds, Chairman – Introductions and Land Acknowledgement- (5 min)**
  - We would like to acknowledge that our work as a Council is on the traditional lands and home of the Lenape People, Lenapehokink, and we pay our respects to those who have stewarded this land from time immemorial and are still doing so today. We commit to improving this relationship, supporting Lenape recognition in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, and working together on programs and projects to benefit the Delaware River.
  - Approval of September 2023 Minutes (attached)
  
2. **(15 min) Ron Gilliland – Delaware Canal Work**
  
3. **(10) Council Projects – 20 min**
  - **Next Steps on River Use Workgroup** – Sarah (10 min)
    - NPS Financial support for consulting - Slides (Sarah)
    - Reengaging workgroup. Committee members wish to join the effort?
  - **Outreach materials - JR Ranger booklet and logo process-** Alison
  - **Visual Resource Inventory** – Sarah
  - **Expanding MC membership** and keeping contact info up to date – Cindy
  
4. **(15 min) Council Input on Allocations for Next Budget Cycle**
  - Thoughts on other activities?
  - Any Council priorities for the 2024 budget? – Richard
  
5. **(15) Delaware River Tributaries and new designations presentation–** Robert McEwan and Tara
  - Major milestones
  - Areas needing MC support?
  
6. **(5 min) Mini-Grant Projects** – Cindy
  - Applications due 12/18 at 5 P.M.
  - [Announcement](#) and [application](#)
  - New: recipients are required to make a 5-minute video to submit with final reports (video doesn't need to be professionally edited)
  
7. **(20 min) Ongoing Matters**
  - Warehouses
    - White Township/Jaindl – [Warren](#) County to purchase land for preservation.
    - RPL Mt. Bethel, supervisors grant preliminary approval. PA DEP November permit meeting. LDWS submitted comments.
  - Paunacussing gas line and Aqueduct– Sarah
  - Rockfall mitigation – Tara and Stephen
  - New business – Other issues?



## 2024 Dates:

- Thursdays 10 A.M.: March 28, June 27, September 26, and December (TBD)

## Attachments/Handouts

- September Minutes
- December Agenda
- Budget (this year)

## ISSUES being tracked with no update:

- a. Route 46 Bridge DWG Amtrak (no update)
  - i. Going through the last review cycle.
- b. Headquarters Rd Bridge (no update)
- c. Canal Bridge by Golden Pheasant Inn, Tincum, PA (no update)
- d. Nockamixon Dam water release evaluation (no update)
- e. Hal Clark boat launch (no update)
- f. [H & K's \(Center Valley Materials\) quarry application](#) Springfield Township (no update)
- g. The [Landing in New Hope](#)

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