MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING ON THE PROPOSED MAPLE RIDGE ROAD ACTIVE TRASPORTATION PROJECT AND PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE HELD ON JUNE 6, 2024, AT 6:00 P.M. IN THE SENIOR CITIZEN'S CENTER

Present: Mayor Marguerite Sherman

Trustees Jessica Marciano, Diana Baker, Deborah Padoleski and Mark Prawel

Trustee Marciano introduced Jonathan Walczak and Nicholas Carr from Barton and Loguidice.

Mr. Walczak said that the Village had been awarded Federal Tap funding and Barton and Loguidice had been working on Phase 1 of a pedestrian bridge project that would go over Oak Orchard Creek. He said they were working with the Department of Transportation and following their guidelines as it is their corridor.

The project would consist of a five-foot concrete sidewalk to Crosbys from the business park with a five-foot-wide shoulder with a pedestrian bridge installed as part of the sidewalk spanning over Oak Orchard Creek.

Mr. Walczak said the bidding on the project would begin in the fall after the design is complete and they would begin the project in the Spring of 2025. The project should only take two to three months to complete.

Mr. Ed Zelazny asked if there was any consideration down the road if they decided to widen the road.

Mayor Sherman asked if the study would hold for future phases of the project. She said she is concerned about the safety of the pedestrians on Maple Ridge Road. Mr. Walczak said the framework is already in place which helps with future grants.

Mr. Walczak offered those in attendance to view the drawings on the project, which they did.

The informational meeting was closed at 6:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jada A. Burgess Clerk-Treasurer