HUNTERDON COUNTY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT MONTHLY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING

October 4, 2022 @ 8:00 AM

PRESENT: SUPERVISORS: Manners, Hill, Engisch, Mathews

STAFF: DePalma, Schwenderman

AGENCY REPS: Bianca Diaz-Deliz (NRCS)

OTHER:

OPEN PUBLIC MEETING ACT: "This meeting is being held in accordance with the provisions of the Open Public Meeting Act. Adequate notice has been provided by prominently posting and maintaining so posted throughout the year in the Hunterdon County Soil Conservation District Administrative Office 687 Pittstown Road, Frenchtown, New Jersey, as well as on the Hunterdon County Soil Conservation District's website, and by e-mailing to the Hunterdon County Democrat newspaper and by filing with the Hunterdon County Clerk a schedule of the times and dates of such meetings."

CALL TO ORDER: @ 8:00 AM by Greg Manners, District Chairman

MINUTES:

MOTION: Hill, 2nd Engisch; "To accept the minutes of the September 6, 2022 meeting as mailed." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

REPORTS:

REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE – There were no Request for Assistance presented.

PLANS: There was four (4) Conservation Plans submitted

Tracts 97 & 7002 (CSP) – Alexandria Twp. - 49.3 acres – Early Successional Habitat Management and Structures for Wildlife.

Tract 6914 (EQIP) – Holland Twp. - 21.4 acres – Invasive Control.

Tract 10357 (EQIP) – East Amwell Twp. - 73.38 acres – Prescribed Grazing Management and Associated practices (pipeline, waterers, forage, and biomass planting).

Tracts 941 & 950 – (CSP) – Readington Twp. - 256 acres – Structures for Wildlife and Cover Crop

MOTION: Engisch, 2nd Hill; "To approve all the Conservation Plans as presented." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

NRCS Application sign up cutoff dates: FY23

- **Application Cut off for programs:** EQIP, AMA, RCPP, CSP and EQIP-Accelerated funding now have closed.
 - o 141 Applications Received. (125 Hunterdon County Clients)
- October 31, 2022 Agriculture Conservation Easement Program (ACEP).

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business to report

CORRESPONDENCE:

Bank of America – Visa Bill – August 18, 2022 through September 17, 2022 - \$370.97 – All visa expenses were reviewed and approved.

MOTION: Hill, 2nd Mathews; "To approve all monthly visa expenses as presented for the period of August 18, 2022 through September 17, 2022." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

BKC, CPA's, PC – Continued Work on FY22 Audit - \$3,007.50

MOTION: Hill, 2nd Mathews; "To pay invoice for continued work on FY22 Audit as billed." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

251 WORK:

CERTIFICATION REPORT:

MOTION: Mathews, 2nd Engisch, with Manners abstaining; "To approve the Certification Report for the month of September 2022." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

CERTIFICATIONS:

1. Pearce Property, 22-01-022

Block 15, Lot 9.20, Alexandria Twp.

Plan Date: August 24, 2022

Latest Revisions: September 1, 2022

Certified: September 8, 2022

2. Blackwell Property, 22-02-008

Block 38.01, Lot 2, Bethlehem Twp.

Plan Date: August 21, 2022

Latest Revisions: September 7, 2022

Certified: September 8, 2022

3. Robillard Property, 22-15-011

Block 13, Lot 77, Holland Twp.

Plan Date: May 26, 2022

Latest Revisions: August 31, 2022 Certified: September 8, 2022

4. Brown-Emilie Property, 22-24-021

Block 11, Lot 34, Tewksbury Twp.

Plan Date: June 16, 2022

Latest Revisions: August 30, 2022 Certified: September 8, 2022 **5.** Pascale Property, 22-24-022

Block 7, Lot 11, Tewksbury Twp.

Plan Date: June 2, 2022

Latest Revisions: August 30, 2022 Certified: September 8, 2022

6. Aneskewich Property, 22-26-020

Block 11, Lot 27, West Amwell Twp.

Plan Date: August 17, 2022

Latest Revisions: September 1, 2022

Certified: September 8, 2022

7. Cohen Property, 22-16-014

Block 40, Lot 15, Kingwood Twp.

Plan Date: June 24, 2022

Latest Revisions: August 24, 2022 Certified: September 13, 2022

8. Schlotterbeck Residence, 22-24-024

Block 15, Lot 23, Tewksbury Twp.

Plan Date: June 22, 2022

Latest Revisions: August 29, 2022 Certified: September 13, 2022

9. Sullivan Pond Dredge, 22-08-013

Block 18, Lot 23, East Amwell Twp.

Plan Date: January 4, 2021

Latest Revisions: September 7, 2022

Certified: September 20, 2022

10. Clacher Inground Pool, 22-22-039

Block 70, Lot 31.34, Readington Twp.

Plan Date: August 3, 2022

Latest Revisions: September 12, 2022 Original Certification: August 31, 2022 Recertification: September 20, 2022

11. Schock Pool. 22-24-028

Block 6.04, Lot 41.01, Tewksbury Twp.

Plan Date: March 10, 2022

Latest Revisions: September 15, 2022

Certified: September 21, 2022

12. JCP&L Repaying Project, 22-21-046

Block 15, Lot 79, Raritan Twp.

Plan Date: September 2, 2022

Latest Revisions: None

Certified: September 21, 2022

13. New Hunterdon County Vocational School, 22-05-030

Block 79, Lot 1, Clinton Twp.

Plan Date: August 8, 2022 Latest Revisions: None

Certified: September 21, 2022

14. Stirberg Inground Pool, 22-15-018 Block 25, Lot 3, Holland Twp. Plan Date: August 17, 2022 Latest Revisions: None Certified: September 22, 2022

15. Gonzalez Pole Barn, 22-02-011 Block 8, Lot 2, Bethlehem Twp. Plan Date: September 8, 2022 Latest Revisions: None Certified: September 23, 2022

16. Hauser-Inground Pool, 22-02-010 Block 47, Lot 4.14, Bethlehem Twp. Plan Date: August 29, 2022 Latest Revisions: None Certified: September 23, 2022

17. Fabriczi Inground Pool, 22-21-044 Block 63.03, Lot 6, Raritan Twp. Plan Date: August 16, 2022 Latest Revisions: None Certified: September 23, 2022

18. Sweatt Property, 22-05-031
Block 30, Lot 13.10, Clinton Twp.
Plan Date: September 9, 2022
Latest Revisions: September 19, 2022
Certified: September 28, 2022

19. Hill Property, 22-12-005
Block 16, Lot 4, Glen Gardner Boro.
Plan Date: August 22, 2022
Latest Revisions: September 9, 2022
Certified: September 28, 2022

20. Palla Property, 22-24-030 Block 47, Lot 35, Tewksbury Twp. Plan Date: September 2, 2022 Latest Revisions: September 13, 2022 Certified: September 28, 2022

21. Ravasy Property, 22-24-029 Block 33, Lot 25, Tewksbury Twp. Plan Date: October 9, 2018 Latest Revisions: September 19, 2022 Certified: September 28, 2022

22. Hockenbury Driveway, 22-23-002 Block 7, Lot 35, Stockton Boro. Plan Date: May 10, 2022 Latest Revisions: None Certified: September 29, 2022 **23.** Lessard Residence, 22-26-021

Block 17, Lot 20.07, West Amwell Twp.

Plan Date: August 24, 2022 Latest Revisions: None Certified: September 29, 2022

24. Grecco Residence, 22-02-009

Block 47, Lot 2.07, Bethlehem Twp.

Plan Date: June 5, 2022

Latest Revisions: August 31, 2022 Certified: September 30, 2022

COMPLIANCE REPORT:

MOTION: Engisch, 2nd Mathews, with Hill abstaining; "To approve the Compliance Report for the month of September 2022." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

COMPLIANCES:

1. Willows at Junction Road, 19-21-035

Block 27, Lots 22 & 23 – Building #5, Raritan Twp.

Certified: October 23, 2020 Complied: September 1, 2022

2. Dhillon Property, 22-05-006

Block 28.01, Lot 12.03, Clinton Twp.

Certified: March 2, 2022 Complied: September 2, 2022

3. Schuster Property, 21-05-050

Block 28.01, Lot 14, Clinton Twp.

Certified: August 3, 2022 Complied: September 2, 2022

4. Perryville Ridge Estates, 21-25-022

Block 22.02, Lot 34.35, Union Twp.

Certified: October 21, 2021 Complied: September 6, 2022

5. Perryville Ridge Estates, 21-25-022

Block 22.02, Lot 34.40, Union Twp.

Certified: October 21, 2021 Complied: September 6, 2022

6. Lima Dwelling, 21-08-013

Block 21, Lot 11.01, East Amwell Twp.

Certified: July 15, 2021 Complied: September 8, 2022

7. Green Property, 22-02-006

Block 16, Lot 12.01, Bethlehem Twp.

Certified: August 18, 2022 Complied: September 9, 2022

8. Storms Property, 22-24-025

Block 45, Lot 15, Tewksbury Twp.

Certified: August 3, 2022 Complied: September 9, 2022

9. Workman Associates, LLC – Warehouse, 21-16-004

Block 6, Lot 20, Kingwood Twp. Certified: September 1, 2021 Complied: September 12, 2022

10. DeTores Property, 22-15-013

Block 9, Lot 21, Holland Twp.

Certified: July 18, 2022

Complied: September 12, 2022

11. Spinks Property, 22-25-014

Block 22.02, Lot 38, Union Twp.

Certified: May 24, 2022

Complied: September 12, 2022

12. Cirelli Property, 22-13-004

Block 24, Lot 11.01, Hampton Boro.

Certified: May 12, 2022

Complied: September 13, 2022

13. Reyes Property, 21-02-24

Block 13, Lot 11, Bethlehem Twp.

Certified: August 18, 2022 Complied: September 13, 2022

14. Picasso Property, 21-22-056

Block 69, Lot 7, Readington Twp.

Certified: October 21, 2021 Complied: September 13, 2022

15. Country Classics at Frenchtown, 19-11-002

Block 3, Lots 1.05 & 1.06, Duplex #1, Frenchtown Boro.

Certified: November 8, 2019 Complied: September 13, 2022

16. Country Classics at Frenchtown, 19-11-002

Block 3, Lots 1.07 & 1.08, Duplex #2, Frenchtown Boro.

Certified: November 8, 2019 Complied: September 13, 2022

17. Country Classics at Frenchtown, 19-11-002

Block 3, Lots 1.09 & 1.010, Duplex #3, Frenchtown Boro.

Certified: November 8, 2019 Complied: September 13, 2022

18. Morse Property, 22-25-020

Block 15.03, Lot 21, Union Twp.

Certified: August 3, 2022 Complied: September 13, 2022

19. Herson Property, 22-12-003

Block 30, Lot 46, Lebanon Twp. Certified: September 2, 2022 Complied: September 13, 2022

20. Crivello Property, 22-15-004

Block 5, Lot 69.01, Holland Twp.

Certified: August 30, 2022 Complied: September 14, 2022

21. Rosa Property, 22-22-011

Block 72, Lot 16, Readington Twp.

Certified: May 12, 2022

Complied: September 15, 2022

22. Stoneman Property, 21-08-031

Block 20, Lot 17.02, East Amwell Twp.

Certified: January 20, 2022 Complied: September 19, 2022

23. Baxter Property, 21-08-028

Block 27, Lot 43, East Amwell Twp.

Certified: December 17, 2021 Complied: September 20, 2022

24. Claussen/Martucci Property, 22-21-043

Block 6.03, Lot 7, Raritan Twp. Certified: August 30, 2022 Complied: September 20, 2022

25. Scheuerman Property, 22-22-035

Block 46, Lot 6.01, Readington Twp.

Certified: August 30, 2022 Complied: September 20, 2022

26. Fueling Station & Dunkin w/Drive-Thru, 20-06-002

Block 6, Lot 1.01, Town of Clinton Certified: November 30, 2020 Complied: September 21, 2022

27. Denichilo Property, 22-13-006

Block 15, Lot 9.1, Hampton Boro.

Certified: May 24, 2022

Complied: September 21, 2022

28. Leidich Property, 22-21-037

Block 73.04, Lot 3, Raritan Twp.

Certified: August 18, 2022 Complied: September 22, 2022

29. Rhodes Property, 20-18-043

Block 24, Lot 38, Lebanon Twp.

Certified: January 14, 2021 Complied: September 22, 2022 **30.** Perryville Ridge Estates, 21-25-022

Block 22.02, Lot 34.36, Union Twp.

Certified: October 21, 2021 Complied: September 22, 2022

31. Perryville Ridge Estates, 21-25-022

Block 22.02, Lot 34.46, Union Twp.

Certified: October 21, 2021 Complied: September 22, 2022

32. Perryville Ridge Estates, 21-25-022

Block 22.02, Lot 34.19, Union Twp.

Certified: October 21, 2021 Complied: September 22, 2022

33. Weil Property, 22-18-017

Block 46, Lot 20, Lebanon Twp.

Certified: July 18, 2022

Complied: September 23, 2022

34. Robillard Property, 22-15-011

Block 13, Lot 77, Holland Twp. Certified: September 8, 2022

Complied: September 26, 2022

35. The Ridge at Readington, 19-22-028

Block 4, Lots 51 & 52, Building #9 Only, Readington Twp.

Certified: November 18, 2019 Complied: September 26, 2022

36. The Ridge at Readington, 19-22-028

Block 4, Lots 51 & 52, Building #8 Only, Readington Twp.

Certified: November 18, 2019 Complied: September 26, 2022

37. The Ridge at Readington, 19-22-028

Block 4, Lots 51 & 52, Building #3 Only, Readington Twp.

Certified: November 18, 2019 Complied: September 26, 2022

38. Auriemma Property, 21-22-057

Block 67.01, Lot 19.35, Readington Twp.

Certified: November 8, 2021 Complied: September 26, 2022

39. Pennisi Property, 20-18-031

Block 61, Lot 34, Lebanon Twp.

Certified: October 19, 2020

Complied: September 28, 2022

40. Hunterdon Medical Center HPP, 19-21-068

Block 15, Lot 14, Raritan Twp. Certified: December 20, 2019

Complied: September 28, 2022

41. Milford Road Duplexes, 21-11-002

Block 12, Lot 5, Frenchtown Boro.

Certified: October 15, 2021 Complied: September 29, 2022

42. Featherbed Lane Farms Property, 22-16-009

Block 26, Lot 27, Kingwood Twp.

Certified: May 24, 2022

Complied: September 30, 2022

43. Palchanes Property, 22-05-028

Block 13.02, Lot 26, Clinton Twp.

Certified: August 18, 2022 Complied: September 30, 2022

44. Haley Pool, 21-05-036

Block 82.10, Lot 3, Clinton Twp. Certified: August 26, 2021 Complied: September 30, 2022

REASSESSMENTS:

MOTION: Engisch, 2nd Hill; "To accept the Reassessment Report for the Month of September 2022 and bill the projects for uncompleted portions as per District policy and current Fee Schedule." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

NEW BUSINESS:

NJACD Annual Meeting – Supervisor/Employee Training – Thursday, November 17, 2022, 7:00 am to 3:00 pm at the Freehold Conservation District – There may be the option to attend the meeting virtually or in person. The decision is pending the State meeting.

FINANCIAL:

Treasurer's Report – **August 2022** - The Treasurer's Report for August 2022 was discussed. Manager DePalma would like to close the Northfield Platinum Savings account and put the money into a Federal Treasury Bond since the rates are higher than what Northfield Bank is offering. He spoke to Alfred Richter from Merrill Lynch and he said this was a good option for one year.

The following motion was made:

MOTION: Stothoff, 2nd Hill; "To accept statement of revenue and expenses and to approve the August 2022 Treasurer's Report as presented and to have Manager DePalma close the Northfield Platinum Savings account and put the money into a Federal Treasury Bond." MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

With no further business to discuss, a motion to adjourn was made:

MOTION: Mathews, 2nd Hill; "To adjourn the district meeting at 8:47 am" MOTION APPROVED BY UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Respectfully Submitted,

R. Gregory Manners District Chairman