

The Abington Township  
Economic Development Committee  
Meeting Agenda

**Tuesday, May 5, 2015 - 7:30AM**

A. Welcome

- a. Moment of silence for Jack Thalheimer

B. Penn State Housing

- a. Presentation to EDC June 2, 2015 7:00PM
- b. Timeline of Events
  - i. May 4<sup>th</sup>: Code Enforcement Committee Meeting – there will be a motion to advertise a Public Hearing
  - ii. May 14<sup>th</sup>: Board of Commissioners Meeting: will confirm the motion to advertise the hearing
  - iii. May 26<sup>th</sup>: Planning Commission Meeting
  - iv. June 2<sup>nd</sup>: PSU Presentation to EDC
  - v. June 24<sup>th</sup>: Special Hearing for PSU Housing

C. EDC Interviews for vacant seats

- a. 5 interviews were conducted on 4/28/15
- b. Recommendation to EDC

D. Montgomery County Planning Commission Walkability Audit

- a. Stakeholders Meeting, date TBD in late May/early June
- b. Audit, date TBD, after stakeholders meeting
  - i. Location in Noble for meeting before the walking tour

E. Old York Road / Susquehanna Road

- a. 1100 & 1102 Old York Road – Appraisal: 5/1/15

F. EDC General Report Presentation to Public Affairs Committee

- a. May 6, 2015 - 7PM

G. Business Improvement District: Area within which businesses pay an additional tax in order to fund projects within the district's boundaries.

- a. Welcome:
  - i. Graham Copeland, Principal Downtown Dynamics
  - ii. Eric Goldstein, Executive Director of the King of Prussia District

H. Old Business

- a. Roslyn Valley Business Association
- b. Joint symposium with neighboring communities – 4/29/15

- c. Economic Development Partnership with Penn State
- d. Schedule Presenters for upcoming EDC meetings:
  - 1. Willow Grove Park Mall - PREIT
  - 2. Rydal Park
  - 3. Abington Shopping Center
  - 4. Abington School District
  - 5. Baederwood Shopping Center
  - 6. Developer's Diversified
  - 7. SPS
  - 8. YMCA
  - 9. Penn State
  - 10. Jim Scully
  - 11. Abington Hospital
  - 12. Franklin Residential – Steven Balin

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**NEXT MEETING: Tuesday June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00PM**