# MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT PARTNERSHIP MEETING MINUTES October 15, 2013

The monthly meeting of the Montgomery Township Business Development Partnership (BDP) was held at 12:30 p.m., Tuesday, October 15, 2013 at the Montgomery Township Building. The members of the BDP in attendance included Allan Nappen, Larry Mastroieni Jack Fazio, Matt Roegner, and Jim Brusilovsky. Also present: Keith Grierson, Wegmans Store Manager, Ashley Pompei, Mall Marketing Manager, Michael Fox, Board Liaison, Larry Gregan, Township Manager, Bruce Shoupe, Planning Director, and Stacy Crandell, Assistant to the Township Manager. Absent from the meeting were: Tony Lizell, William Jones, Stephen Nave, Kris Field, Bob Cole, and Jay Haenn.

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 12:48pm.

September 2013 Minutes Approval: Approved as submitted.

Public Comment: None.

#### **New Business:**

## **Wegmans- Keith Grierson**

Allan Nappen introduced Keith Grierson, Wegmans Store Manager, and thanked him for providing lunch for the committee. Keith gave a brief overview of Wegmans and their core values. He also talked about his background in the company for over twenty years. Keith talked about the store which will be opening on November 3, 2013.

#### Mall Marketing Manager- Ashley Pompei

Ashley Pompei, the Montgomery Mall Marketing Manager, came to discuss marketing and advertising opportunities within the Montgomery Mall. She explained some of the different marketing opportunities as well as some of the programs and events that are hosted by the Mall.

#### **Old Business:**

#### **Meeting for November**

Allan Nappen said that John DiNome had a conflict so Joel Barras from the firm will be attending in his place.

#### Other News

Allan Nappen is meeting with the PennSuburban Chamber and asked if there is anything that the Committee wanted him to ask. Stacy Crandell asked about partnering with the chamber for Business Card Exchanges in the future so we are not competing with each other on the same date.

Michael Fox gave an update on the community center project and discussed the 2014 Budget.

### Adjournment:

• There being no further business to come before the BDP, the meeting adjourned at 1:53p.m. **The** Committee will meet next on November 19, 2013.