MALVERN BOROUGH PLANNING COMMISSION In-Person & Via Zoom Conference Malvern, PA 19355

1. CALL TO ORDER - 7:30 PM

PLANNING COMMISSION PRESENT: Carroll Singuett, Chair Christopher Mongeau, Commissioner David Knies, Ph.D., Commissioner Geoff Rubino, Commissioner Scott Oswald, Commissioner Brian Hamilton, Commissioner Lynne Frederick, Alternate Commissioner October 5, 2023 7:30 PM

ABSENT: Zoe Warner, Ph.D., Vice Chair

Staff & Professionals Present: Corinne J. Badman, Assistant Borough Manager and Ken Kynett, Esq., Planning Commission Solicitor Assistant Zoning Officer

ABSENT:

1. MINUTES

A motion was made by Dr. David Knies, Ph.D., seconded by Mr. Geoff Rubino, and carried by a vote of 4-0, to approve the minutes from the September 7, 2023 meeting of the Planning Commission as submitted. Chairman Carroll Singuett and Mr. Christopher Mongeau abstained due to not being present at the September 21, 2023 meeting.

2. OLD BUSINESS

• Dark Skies Initiative.

The Borough Traffic Engineering firm, McMahon and Associates came to give a presentation on lighting requirements for safety and traffic control. Mr. John Yurick joined via Zoom and gave his presentation to the Planning Commission.

The MPC discussed with Mr. Yurick questions they had regarding the difficulties in implementing a Dark Skies Initiative. The MPC will look into the costs of capping off some of the fixtures that do not have a top to help with the reduction of light pointing upward. Mr. John Yurick left the meeting at 8:00 PM.

The MPC will discuss this matter further at the next meeting in October.

3. NEW BUSINESS

• No new items for discussion.

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4. PUBLIC COMMENT

Mr. John Buckley, Church Street, commented on the streetlight in front of this home.

5. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

A motion was made by Mr. Christopher Mongeau, seconded by Dr. David Knies, Ph.D., and carried by a vote of 6-0, to adjourn the meeting at 8:07 PM.

Respectfully submitted by,

Corinne J. Badman Assistant Borough Manager & Assistant Zoning Officer Secretary