

## Elverson Trails Public Meetings - Lisa Palser

The Borough's Trails Project Task Force has continued to work with the Chester County Planning Commission to complete the draft of the Active Transportation Plan (ATP), and it will be presented to Borough Council for adoption in December. This Plan reflects the feedback received from 2 public meetings, at the information booth on Elverson Day, and the survey; as well as the ideas put forth by the project Task Force and the Elverson Planning Commission. Overall, people seemed genuinely excited about the prospect of living in a place with more opportunities for safely walking and biking around town. There are two upcoming public meetings you are invited to attend to see the latest and provide any comments or questions before adoption by Borough Council:

1. The public information meeting hosted by the Planning Commission on November 16 at 7PM,
2. The final public hearing as part of the Borough Council meeting on December 7<sup>th</sup> at 6PM.

Location for both meetings will be in the Community Room in Hopewell Manor.

Please RSVP to Lori at [secretary@elversonboro.org](mailto:secretary@elversonboro.org) if you wish to attend so that we can be sure we have the appropriately sized room and so that we can determine if it will be necessary to hold a Zoom meeting based on the expected number of participants or a change in Covid guidelines. And if attending, check the day before on the Borough site <https://elversonboro.org/news/event-calendar/> for the location or Zoom information.

You may also review the Plan on the Borough website: <https://elversonboro.org/news/> and if you wish to jump right to the updated map, the "Connections Inside Elverson Borough" recommended map is on Pages 30 and 31; and for comparison purposes the existing conditions map is shown 18. If you have comments or questions, please send an email to [elversontrails@outlook.com](mailto:elversontrails@outlook.com) or [secretary@elversonboro.org](mailto:secretary@elversonboro.org) and these will be incorporated as input to the Public Meetings. We respectfully request you send in any comments or questions as soon as you can, ideally on or before Nov 14 for our first public meeting and at least before December 1<sup>st</sup>, so that these can be addressed before the Borough Council Meeting. The following is a picture of the recommended map but is difficult to read in black and white – please go to the link provided above and page 30/31 to see and understand this more clearly.

