

## **NEXT STEPS/REVISED TIMELINE**

### **September 2020**

While this may certainly change, the likely timeline for the project now appears to be the following:

#### **Consent Agreement – September 2020 to December 2020**

The DEP will now draft a consent agreement that Borough Council, as owners of the dam, will be required to sign. That consent agreement will outline a timeline for certain activities to be completed and will describe the consequences if they are not.

One primary purpose of the consent agreement is to document exactly what was agreed to by both the Borough and the DEP. This project is likely to take several years to complete. Current borough council members may no longer be serving and DEP personnel may change. Having the consent agreement in place assures that the requirements will not change if personnel on either side changes.

#### **Engineering Design – September 2020 to June 2021**

#### **Submit Permit Application with Design Specifications to DEP – June 2021**

#### **DEP Review and Approval – June 2021 to June 2022**

#### **Advertisement, Bidding and Award – June 2022 to September 2022**

#### **Construction – October 2022 to May 2023**

*(Every effort will be made to avoid draining the lake during the summer.)*