

**GREEN TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING  
MINUTES  
REGULAR MEETING  
OCTOBER 27, 2015**

**PUBLIC NOTICE:** Adequate notice of this public meeting has been made in accordance with the 1975 Open Public Meetings Act inasmuch as a notice has been published in the New Jersey Herald, transmitted to the Star Ledger and posted at the Municipal Building, 150 Kennedy Road, Tranquility, NJ.

**ROLL CALL:** Matt Fox, Michael Viersma, Richard Vohden, Cindy Moyano, Jeff Wilson, and Dennis Walker.

Members Present: M. Fox, C. Moyano, D. Walker and J. Wilson. Also present was P. DeClesis, Fill-in Secretary. Members absent: R. Vohden, M. Viersma, and C. Licata, Secretary.

**MINUTES:**

Approval of minutes of August 25, 2015:

Motion to approve the August 25th minutes was made by J. Wilson, second by C. Moyano. All in favor, motion passed.

**COMMUNICATION AND ANNOUCEMENTS:**

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

- M. Fox updated the committee on information table at Green Twp. Day. J. Wilson was present to talk to the residents in regards to invasive species. Both M. Fox and J. Wilson answered questions from homeowners in regards to easements. M. Fox and J. Wilson suggested to the residents to attend an Environmental meeting and referred them to the Green Grapevine for the upcoming dates.

**PLANNING BOARD/BOA BUSINESS:**

- M. Fox discussed that the Township is looking to abolish the BOA and PB and combine them one Land Use Board. The Land Use Board will consisted of members from the PB and BOA.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

- Storm Drain Marker Locations – The committee agreed that this subject can be removed from the agenda. C. Moyano questioned if the project was not done would it interfere with receiving any grant money. M. Fox spoke with R. Vohden. R. Vohden confirmed that this project is not a requirement as a result to any grant agreement.
- Conservation Easements- The committee will put together an article to publish in the spring Green Grapevine.

- Macro-Invertebrate- The committee would like to schedule this project in the spring. The committee will start to discuss an action plan at the December meeting.
- Invasive Species project- Article was posted in the fall Green Grapevine. C. Moyano asked if any comments have come in after the article was posted. No calls have come into the office at this time. The committee will continue to educate the residents through articles and mailings.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- J. Wilson suggested an Agenda item for April is to find an expert to coordinate the Marco- Invertebrate project. It was suggested that M. Muller would be a great person.
- M. Fox commented that the Open Space Committee is looking to connecting trails with the neighboring towns.
- The November meeting will be cancelled.
- It was suggested to move the December meeting to the 15<sup>th</sup>. C. Licata will send out an email to confirm if members can attend. Otherwise the meeting will stay on for December 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS AND/OR QUESTIONS:**

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 22, 2015.

**ADJOURN:**

At 8:45pm a motion to adjourn was made by C. Moyano, second by D. Walker, all in favor, motioned carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Christine Licata, Secretary



Date