

Salisbury Township Environmental Advisory Council
November 16, 2016 @ 7:00 PM

Order of Business

Call to Order

Roll Call

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• Kreg Ulery, Chair Person	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Rodney Conn	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Jane Benning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Mary Anne Stinner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Karen El Chaar	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Joanne Ackerman, (BOC liaison)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Cynthia Sopka (Secretary)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Robert Agonis (Task Force Member)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• Katherine Velekei (Task Force Member)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Notifications: *All public sessions of the Salisbury Township Environmental Advisory Committee regular meetings are electronically monitored (tape recorded) for the purpose of taking the Minutes.*

Review/Approve Minutes:

Minutes from October 19, 2016

Report of officers and committees

1. Zoning Hearing Board – There was a meeting in October to address the request for variance and special exception on 2775 Honeysuckle Road.
2. Planning – Meeting cancelled due to no submissions.

Old Business:

- Acquisition of the plants has been completed.
- We used Ernst seeds that were specific for Stormwater basins all seeds are for native plants
- Prepared a flyer to send out to list serve, etc. to request volunteers to help with the planting.
- Godshalls landscaping hydro-seeded the basin as requested then the matting was placed over the seeds to prevent erosion.

New Business:

- The Salisbury Township EAC would like to continue open discussion with residents regarding storm water issues. For additional information on MS4 projects or guidance please feel free to contact Sandy Nicolo MS4 coordinator for Salisbury Township at 610-797-4000 to express concerns, report an incident or just request more information.
- The EAC needs to prepare the proposed public education component for 2017. This needs to be addressed and presented to the MS4 Coordinator.

- This issue of illegal dumping was discussed at the last meeting but this is a topic that needs to be addressed and finalized.
- The STEAC in conjunction with the Friends of Allentown Parks have partnered on a grant from Pennsylvania DEP regarding 2017 Environmental Education Grant. The traditional mini-grant of up to \$3,000.00 will be available and would not require a match. The intent of the grant is to acquire the Enviroscape and supportive carrying case as it pertains to Stormwater impacts. The grant has been submitted.
- The EAC needs to finalize the plantings that have occurred in the basin. We had few volunteers to assist however we did have three individuals who are part of the Master Watershed Stewards. We are not finished but need to finalize by November 20th, 2016.
- PUBLIC COMMENT