

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP

ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

August 10th, 2023 MEETING MINUTES-MEETING HELD IN PERSON AND VIA ZOOM

Convene Meeting: 7:07 pm

Attendance: Lorna Yearwood, Mike Clime, Barb Scattergood, Jim Gill

Also attending:

Correspondence:

Approval of Minutes: July minutes approved

Public Comment: Zoom was working. No public in attendance.

1. **Financial Report:** The cost of the books donated to Springfield was \$63.
2. **Bird Town:** Six of the new Bird Town signs have been mounted throughout the Township; Need to get a copy of the Final Bird Town resolution to forward to Bird Town personnel. Lorna will arrange a meeting with the Elementary School teachers regarding our 2023/4 focus on anti-litter.
3. **Park & Land Preservation Board Liaison:** PLPB has not met since our last meeting, awaiting to hear if they approved our May 18th date
4. **Planning Commission Liaison**
 - a. Comprehensive Plan: Requests for involvement in drafting recommendations were made. Lorna to send relevant information.
5. **Hans Reimann Scholarship:** Sierra Wright's thank you video was shown at the BoS meeting in July 25th and was well received.
6. **E-Waste Recycling:** Oct 14th 9-12noon. Location is booked, police have been notified. Advertising to start at the end of August. Barb has contacted Penny Power, Lorna will work with Lisa on the Township's facebook page and Barb will send flyer to Palisades patch.
7. **Proposed Developments with Environmental Implications:** No updates on H&K quarry; ECA Solar application hearing will be heard August 16th; Cell Tower hearing was postponed will be held Sep 20th.
8. **CCWA 50th Anniversary (River Festival):** Mike brought a list of potential food vendors for the event. Lorna has a volunteer to do a Qigong class and Joanne Mazzeo has offered to help with kids art activities. A cake walk event was suggested.
9. **Litter Prevention:** Lorna to contact PHS regarding State Litter prevention campaign. Lorna to talk to Police regarding litter signs and prevention techniques.
10. **Upcoming Events:**
 - a. Electronics Recycling Event Sat Oct 14th, Springfield Elementary School 9am-12noon
 - b. EAC Regional Event Oct 21st
 - c. River Festival Sat July 13th 2024, Silver Creek Athletic Club

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Council Comment:

Public Comment:

Next Meeting: Sep 14th, 2023 at 7 pm

Meeting adjourned: 8:45pm