

LITTLE EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP  
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

Municipal Building  
7:00 P.M.

Regular Meeting  
January 12, 2016

A workshop meeting of the Little Egg Harbor Township Environmental Commission took place in the Municipal Building at 7:00 p.m. on January 12, 2016 with the following present: Walt Doherty, Donna Doherty, George Garbaravage, Bill Armitage, Robert Burr, and Joy MacDonald, Secretary.

Absent: Bettyann Resch

Nomination of Chairman, Vice Chairman and secretary:

1. Nomination was made by George Garbaravage that Donna Doherty stay as Chairman and that Robert Burr stay as Vice-Chairman, second by Walt Doherty, all in favor. Both Donna Doherty and Robert Burr accepted.
2. Nomination was made by Bill Armitage for Joy MacDonald to be secretary, second by George Garbaravage, all in favor. Joy MacDonald accepted.

Motion made by Bill Armitage to accept October 13, 2015 minutes, second by Walt Doherty, all in favor. George Garbaravage abstained.

O.C. Environmental: No updates at this time.

Planning Board: Reorganization took place. A storage with offices approved for Rt 539 across from Parkertown Drive.

Pinelands Municipal Council: BPU speaker advised that money is being given for energy audits with small business loans. Also energy upgrades are available for all.

NFWF: Robert Burr spoke about the current projects and currently there has been a slow down. Sediment sampling has been approved. Possible completion for project is June 2017.

New Business:

1. ANJEC Dues: Motion to approve by Walt Doherty, second by George Garbaravage, all members approve.
2. Annual Report was read to members.
3. Quality of life issues: Donna Doherty to speak with Lt. Hart in reference to possible items that can be done by the COP's.
4. Earth Day 2016: Earth Day is April 22, 2016 Donna Doherty to make call to set up date for event. Commission to order bracelets and paper for pamphlets, trees to be ordered once date has been set.

No public present

Old Business:

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1. Blue Bird Trail: Patrick Donnelly Supervisor of Public Works offered poles to assist in making of the trail at the Townships Sports Complex. Commission members feel this project should start off small with 2 or 3 houses and expand from there. Donna Doherty spoke with Mr. Magnum, Ocean County Park Director, who expressed interest in the Trail at the Freedom Fields Park as the current bluebird boxes are not being maintained. Robert Burr is going to speak with Allen Jackson in regards to getting this project started.

Secretary Voucher: Motion to approve by Walt Doherty, second by Bill Armitage, all members in favor.

Adjourn Meeting: Motion to adjourn by Bill Armitage, second by Robert Burr, all members in favor. Meeting adjourned 7:55pm.

Respectfully Submitted.