

# WEST HANOVER TOWNSHIP



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## ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

MINUTES FOR JANUARY 8, 2019

CALL TO ORDER

IN ATTENDANCE

Jeff Bridi, Evelyn Burton, Paul DiVincenzo, Jay Megonnell, John Miele, Robert Nicolodi, Marcel Smullen

Friends of the EAC Carol Buskirk

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes from December 11, 2018 were approved as read.

SUBDIVISION/LAND DEVELOPMENT REVIEWS

none

BUSINESS

- Election of Officers - The officers for 2019 are: John Miele, Chairperson; Marcel Smullen, Vice-Chairperson; Treasurer, Robert Nicolodi; Secretary, Evelyn Burton.
- 2019 Projects / Workshops - The workshop on invasive insects, "Bad Bugs," is scheduled for April 6 at the Rec Center. It will be advertised in The Paxton Herald, the Township newsletter, the Parks and Rec newsletter, and on the WH Neighbors Facebook page.  
The stream monitoring workshop will be organized by Marcel. The Rec Center will be available for an opening presentation and the hands-on session will be in the adjacent stream. Marcel will contact Jen Fetter about being the presenter.  
The EAC will participate in the Township Festival with an activity about bluebirds and National Night Out.
- Plumbers and Pipefitters - John reported on the PC meeting and said that the 50-foot buffer will be required along the eastern boundary of the property except in the existing building's footprint. A lighting plan will be added. A sidewalk will be on the north side of the property only.
- Sidewalks / Ped Paths - John reported on a discussion at the PC meeting about the idea of having a FILO in a development where a sidewalk is not critical. The FILO money would be held in escrow until the Township has a need for ped paths. The EAC discussed the pros and cons. Marcel suggested further discussion about how to achieve a consistent comprehensive plan. The EAC also discussed the purposes of ped paths and the various materials that are used for them.
- MS4 Stakeholders Committee - There has been no committee activity.
- Recycling Reports - WM has not issued recycling reports since August, and John contacted them. They promise to supply the missing reports.
- Litter Pick-Up - Members of Boy Scout Troop 27 and adult volunteers cleaned up litter along Picketown Road, from route 39 to Jonestown Road.

PUBLIC COMMENTS and/or OTHER BUSINESS

None

MEETING ADJOURNED

Next Meeting – Tuesday, February 12, 2019 at 6:30 pm.0 pm