

WEST HANOVER TOWNSHIP

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ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

MINUTES FOR JANUARY 11, 2022

CALL TO ORDER

IN ATTENDANCE

Jeff Bridi, Evelyn Burton, Paul DeVincenzo, John Miele, Marcel Smullen

ABSENT: Jay Megonnell

FRIENDS OF THE EAC

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the December 14, 2021 meeting were approved as read.

PUBLIC COMMENT / PRESENTATIONS: Richard Enck

SUBDIVISION/LAND DEVELOPMENT REVIEWS

None

BUSINESS

- * Election of Officers - Chairman: John Miele
Vice-Chairman: Marcel Smullen
Treasurer: Jeff Bridi
Secretary: Evelyn Burton

- End of Year Donations- John announced \$50 EAC donations to Manada Conservancy, Horseshoe Trail Association, and the Bay Journal
- 2022 Project Suggestions - Evelyn made a spotted lantern fly trap using instructions from Penn State and found that having a township workshop to construct them would not be feasible. If a more practical design can be found, one could be scheduled at a later date. In the spring of 2020 a workshop on container and small space gardening was cancelled due to COVID, and rescheduling this was discussed. The Council members decided to not plan any indoor activities until the pandemic situation improves.
- Pre-App Meeting for Hillcrest Business Center - 10:00Am Jan 14- Evelyn will attend.
- Authority Meeting Update - Richard Enck reported on a Zoom meeting at which the Authority discussed forming a partnership with East and South Hanover Townships and Dauphin County to reduce the nutrient load in Manada Creek. The EAC discussed governmental structure that is responsible for oversight and regulation.

COUNCIL COMMENTS and/or OTHER BUSINESS

The EAC discussed the recycling of plastic bags and their end products as well as the recycling and disposal of recycled plastic containers.

MEETING ADJOURNED

Next Meeting – Tuesday, February 8, 2022 at 6:30 pm