

Springfield Township
Environmental Advisory Council
August 8th, 2018

- Convened Meeting: 7:36 pm
- Attendance: Lorna Yearwood, Arianne Elinich, Jim Gill, Barb Scattergood, Kim Kruchinski
- Correspondence: Community Day Registration – already addressed
- Review of Minutes from July 2018
 - Barb motions to approve July minutes
 - Jim seconds
 - All in favor
- No Public Comment
- No Council Member Agenda Additions
- 1. Bucks County Waste Management Plan
 - a. Supervisors decided not to ratify the plan
- 2. Adelpia Pipeline Update
 - a. Adelpia will be having a meeting with the township supervisors on August 16th
 - i. Township Engineer, Solicitor, EAC liason and the BOS to attend the meeting
 - ii. EAC’s list of questions for Adelpia to be submitted (see end of minutes)
- 3. Spotted Lanternfly
 - a. Ongoing Public Outreach / Community Awareness
 - i. Barb and Sue set up display at Springtown Post Office
 - ii. Barb approached Penny Power about starting to spread Spotted Lanternfly awareness in their publication
 - b. During this school year, focus on outreach to fifth graders
 - i. Contests, creative projects, etc.
 - c. Palisades High School Project
 - i. The sticky traps at Nockamixon still showed no signs of Lanternfly
 - 1. Jeremy Wolf has been replacing them every two weeks
 - d. Gather resources for Lanternfly Sticky Tapes to do demos at Community Day
 - i. Invite the High Schoolers to participate in Lanternfly awareness that day
 - ii. Kim will do the Lanternfly Community Day Presentation
- 4. Tire Recycling

- a. Metzger trailer availability – confirmed
 - i. Trailer arrives week before the event and is removed a week after
 - 1. Advertise event via printed flyers, Penny Power, township newsletter, social media, etc.
 - ii. Ask Mike to reach out to the community service helpers
5. E-Waste Recycling
- a. Funding Options
 - i. Lorna acquired info on other e-recycling efforts throughout the county
 - ii. The options are to: Have the residents pay, the EAC pay or the township pay
 - iii. Jim Nilsen will share info on a possible recycling lead that would not charge any fees for collection services that we can also evaluate
 - iv. Collaboration with other municipalities is also an option
6. EAC Budget Request
- a. Request that the EAC can use their funds - as needed – throughout the calendar year
7. Peppermint Park
- a. There are concerns about the future of the park and there is no longer a Parks and Recs Board to collaborate with
 - b. Rain garden
 - i. Arianne motions to recommend that the BOS acquire a professional consultant to properly evaluate the rain garden and implement any recommendations
 - ii. Barb seconds
 - iii. All in favor
 - c. Bird boxes
 - i. Two bird boxes should be replaced
8. Hans Memorial
- a. The benches will be arriving very soon
9. Upcoming Events
- a. Community Day – Sep 22
 - b. Tire Recycling – Oct 13
 - c. Citizens Climate Lobby - Stormwater Management Meeting – Oct 18th
- Next Meeting – Sep 13th, 2018, 7:30pm
 - Adjourn Meeting: 9:39 pm