

Springfield Township Environmental Advisory Council

December 13th, 2018

- Convened Meeting at 7:38 pm
 - Attendance: Lorna Yearwood, Arianne Elinich, Jim Gill, Kim Kruchinski, Barb Scattergood
 - No Correspondence
 - Review of Minutes from November 2018
 - Arianne motions to approve the minutes
 - Kim seconds
 - All in favor
 - No Public Comment
 - Council Agenda Additions
 - Special Note: Going forward all minutes should be filed with the township in PDF format, and double-sided when printed for council review
 - Mike Brown said the township is considering their options for solar again
 - The EAC now has a Dropbox Account
1. EAC Expenses
 - Memorial Scholarship
 - Barb makes a motion that we create the Hans O Reiman Memorial Scholarship
 - This is a one-time \$1,000 scholarship award (for the Palisades SD graduating class of 2019)
 - Arianne seconds that motion
 - All in favor
 2. EAC Acknowledgements - Gratitude for Kim Kruchinski's Years of Service
 - The EAC is immensely grateful for the many years of service Kim Kruchinski has devoted to the betterment of our community
 - Kim joined the EAC in the Spring of 2013 and has been integral in helping to maintain and establish many of the projects and initiatives that the EAC continues to facilitate in the present day
 3. Adelphia Pipeline Update
 - The PADEP hearing on December 4th in West Rockhill (regarding the Quakertown Compressor Station) was well attended and several Springfield Township residents presented their concerns about this proposed project's potential (and existing) impacts on Springfield Township

4. Peppermint Park

The Vegetation Management Recommendations will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration

A location for the bench will be determined on Sunday

5. Electronics Recycling Event

More info on vendors is still forthcoming for our consideration

6. Spotted Lanternfly

Lorna was asked to defer the SLF presentation to the BOS to another time in the future

7. EAC T-Shirts/Caps

Ariane will get a quote for the t-shirts under consideration

8. Bird Town/Springfield Elementary

No updates

9. Climate Change Planning

Sue and Lorna went to Climate Change planning meeting in City of Bethlehem

These initiatives seem to be a progressive regional effort to model our climate change efforts after

Formulate a Climate Change committee

- Upcoming Events
- January 1st – Pork and Sauerkraut at the Rod and Gun Club
- No Council Comments
- No Public Comments
- Next Meeting – January 10th 2019, 7:30 pm
- Adjourn Meeting at 9:35 pm