

Holland Township Environmental Commission

April 6, 2022 Meeting

Chairman: I call to order the April 6, 2022 Regular Meeting of the Holland Township Environmental Commission. Adequate notice of this meeting was given pursuant to the Open Public Meeting Act Law by the Environmental Commission Secretary by:

Posting such notice on the bulletin board at the Municipal Building.

Publishing the notice in the December 9, 2021 edition of the Hunterdon County Democrat

And faxing to the Express-Times for informational purposes only.

Please stand for the Pledge of Allegiance.

Members identify themselves for the recording

- I would like to entertain a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the March 2, 2022 meeting and to approve the minutes as recorded.
- Discuss plans for Arbor Day (Friday, April 29, but could celebrate Sat., April 30)
 - How many trees? And where? Signs with QR code, link to info
 - Participation by Township Committee?
 - Publicize Georgia-Pacific grant for trees?
- Ban on single-use plastic bags begins May 4
 - Beginning to see publicity - Star Ledger article Sunday, April 3, 2022
 - What publicity support can EC give? BagUp logo on Facebook, township website with link to info?

ANJEC Open Space Stewardship Grants

[2022 ANJEC open space stewardship grants for environmental ...http://anjec.org](http://anjec.org)

Projects - trail building, signage, maintenance; pollinator gardens

Grant Award - \$1500

Deadline - Monday, May 2, 2022

- Discuss benches for O'sakame Preserve
- Or sign with history of Lenape, another sign with history of Gilbert Station?
- Who is interested in working on this with Mike?
- Brief review for the group of "Biggest Tree" competition publicized in article for Spring 2022 Holland Happenings
- Update on Trees of Holland changes on website

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- Status of Highlands Conformance Tasks and funding
- Subcommittee Reports:
 - Trails Subcommittee (Bowers, Note, Barna)
 - Community Forestry Plan (Harrison, Note, Barna, Kozak)
 - Highlands Conformance (Keady, Bowers, Pederson)
 - Stormwater Education (Keady, Bowers, Meacham, Kozak)
 - Community Education and Outreach (Meacham, Bowers, Pederson)
 - Bio-Inventory of Holland Flora & Fauna (Harrison, Pederson, Note)
- Comments/questions from the public

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