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STANHOPE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION
Minutes: Regular Meeting
July 11, 2024

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MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: at 7:35PM by Nicole Member with flag salute.

OPEN PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE: In compliance with the New Jersey Assembly Bill No. 1030, notice for this meeting was sent to the *New Jersey Herald* and the *Daily Record* on January 11, 2024 and was posted on the bulletin board in the municipal building on the same day.

ROLL CALL: Present: **Nicole Member**, Owen Newson, Rudy Shlesinger,
Rick Jacob, Anthony Riccardi
Absent: Michael Balogh, John Rogalo

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:
The April 11, 2024 minutes were approved.
Motion made by Rick Jacob and seconded by Rudy Shlesinger (UC)

OPEN PUBLIC DISCUSSION:
None

CORRESPONDENCE:
Received:
None
Sent:
None

CURRENT ACTIVITY:
ANJEC Grant: Our application was submitted 4/17/24 but we have not heard from ANJEC. Winners have been announced, and we did not win. However, EC has not received a yes or no response which it typically does. Owen will check with ANJEC and make sure our application was received and reviewed.
MSA Field Trip: EC will re-address this in the Fall.
Sussex County Grant implementation: No movement
Green Team: Nicole will email mayor for an update.
Clean Communities: Nicole stated that the guidance counselor at Valley Road School never got back to her regarding a Clean Communities school assembly. Owen will investigate shed purchase. EC consensus is a wood, 10x12 minimum, no build unit. It will be placed at DPW.
Facebook: Topic for Month: Invasive Ambrosia Beetles/Nicole's discovery. Anthony will post.
Open Space Plan Committee: EC requested Owen send an email to mayor to remind him of the need to update the plan.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned with a motion by Anthony Riccardi and a second by Rudy Shlesinger. (UC)

Respectfully submitted,
Owen Newson, Secretary