

Approved 9/9/21


STANHOPE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

Minutes: Regular Meeting
August 12, 2021

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MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: at 7:34PM 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 14, 2021 and was posted on the bulletin board in the municipal building on the same day.

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

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

July 8, 2021 minutes were approved. Motion made by John Rogalo and seconded by Nicole Member. (UC)

OPEN PUBLIC DISCUSSION:

None

CORRESPONDENCE:

Received:

7/23/21 Dana Mooney CFO: Budget

7/29/21 Dana Mooney CFO: Budget, Receipting and Purchasing

7/29/21 D. Kuncken: Invitation to 9/11 Memorial Service

Sent:

None

CURRENT ACTIVITY:

2022 Budget: Discussion tabled until September meeting.

EC Project Ideas for Grants: So far: Restore bridge at Foot; Native plantings at basketball courts; Riparian buffers; Fencing behind Tannery. No movement at August meeting.

Green Team: No movement

Clean Communities: April 24, 2022. Nicole would like to have an E-recycle and Shredding Day on the day of the Lake clean-up. She will check with the Lake Board for the scheduled date.

Facebook: Topic for Month: Same as last month

Open Space Plan Committee: No movement

CURRENT ACTIVITY: (Cont.)

Trail Maintenance: Nov. 7, 2021. The EC would like to remove invasives and plant native plants on Trail Maintenance Day. We need to check with Mayor and Council for permission.

Trex Recycling: No movement.

OLD BUSINESS:

Lakeside Park plantings: This month, the EC will meet at Lakeside Park on Wednesday, August 18 or Tuesday, August 24, at 6:30PM to dig out the grass from another planting bed so it may be mulched.

Furnace Pond Trails/DEP approval:

No movement

Invasive Plant Species workshop:

Nicole stated that she wants to reschedule the August 22, 2021 Furnace Pond hike. New date has yet to be decided.

Lutheran Church easement:

No movement.

NEW BUSINESS:

None

BILLS:

None

LIAISON REPORTS:

Board of Health:

Mayor and Council:

Lake Musconetcong Planning Board: Rudy stated that the board is considering buying a new weed harvester. Also, they are trying to sell their dredging machine. Minimum sale price is set at \$210,000.

Land Use Board:

Terry Webb/Blk 10605/Lot 10: Subdivision Application:
Reviewed/No comment

Musconetcong Foundrymen Historical Society:

Musconetcong Sewage Authority:

Recreation Commission:

Shade Tree Commission:

Plaster Mill:

Water Quality:

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:03PM with a motion by John Rogalo and a second by Nicole Member. (UC)

Respectfully submitted,

Owen Newson, Secretary

