

Montgomery Township Environmental Advisory Committee July 22, 2014 7:00PM

The monthly meeting of the Montgomery Township Environmental Advisory Committee (EAC) was held on July 22, 2014 in the Montgomery Township Municipal Building. The members of the EAC in attendance included: Vere Archibald, Jeff Gibbons, Barry Baker, Beth Staab, and Terry Wilson. Also in attendance were Joe Walsh, Board Liaison and Stacy Crandell, Assistant to the Township Manager.

Pledge of Allegiance and Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:09PM.

Approval of Minutes – May 28, 2014

Barry Baker made a motion to approve the meeting minutes from May 28, 2014 and Jeff Gibbons seconded the motion. The motion passed 5-0.

Public Comment

None.

New Business

None.

Old Business

Bike Trail/Walking Routes Update

The Committee reviewed the revised cost proposal from Traffic Planning and Design (TPD). The estimated cost for the entire planning document could be \$60,000-\$80,000. However, there are grants available to fund planning projects like the Bike Trail/Walking Routes. TPD did outline smaller steps that can be taken in order to have a set of planned route maps, cost estimates, and prioritization, which can assist in applying for potential funding sources. These smaller steps could cost about \$10,000 each. The Committee recommended pursuing the smaller steps. The Committee's recommendation will be presented to the Board of Supervisors on July 28.

2014 Community Day- September 20th (Rain Date- September 27th)

Stacy Crandell gave the Committee Members the schedule for manning the EAC table at Community Day. The Committee would like to have signs that advertise the leaf waste dates and that the leaf waste bags are free. No other handouts will be distributed at the table.

Spring Seminar Update

The Committee felt the seminars were informative but poorly attended. The Committee is going to look at integrating its events with other established Township events.

Next Meeting

The next EAC Meeting will be August 26, 2014 at 7:00PM.

Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting adjourned at 7:47PM.