



**Montgomery Township
Environmental Advisory Committee
March 28, 2023
7:00 PM**

Montgomery Township Environmental Advisory Committee (EAC) met on March 28, 2023 at the Township Administration Building.

The members of the EAC in attendance included: Maureen Mirabella, Jonathan Katz, Don Hamp, Linda Block-Love, and Scott Hemmons. Also in attendance were Beth Staab, Board of Supervisors liaison, Derek Muller, Public Information Coordinator, and Erin Landis, Water Programs Manager for Wissahickon Trails.

Regular Meeting

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:08 pm.

Approval of Minutes – February 22, 2022

- On a motion by Ms. Mirabella and a second by Mr. Katz, the minutes from the February 28, 2023 EAC meeting were approved.

New Business

- **Welcome New Member, Linda Block-Love:** Ms. Mirabella shared the purpose of the EAC with Ms. Block-Love, and Mr. Muller provided her with the bylaws. Ms. Block-Love shared her many interests related to the activities of the EAC and the protection of the environment.

Old Business

- **Single-Use Plastic Ban Survey – Responses to date:** The EAC members in attendance reviewed the results of the Single-Use Plastic Ban surveys as of 3/28/23. The surveys will remain open until March 31st.
 - Mr. Muller will present the survey results at the Board of Supervisors meeting on April 10th at 7pm in the Township Administration Building. Members of the EAC are encouraged to attend if they wish to make public comments on the topic.
 - The EAC will examine existing single-use plastic ban ordinances in nearby PA municipalities in April to develop a checklist of what they advise the Board of Supervisors and Township to include in the proposed ordinance.
- **Electronic Recycling: April 22, 2023 9am-Noon**
 - **Volunteers Needed!** Sign up at [EAC: E-Recycling April 22, 2023 \(signupgenius.com\)](https://www.signupgenius.com)

Other Business

- Roy Rodriguez Arbor Day Tree Giveaway – April 29th [Roy Rodriguez Arbor Day Tree Giveaway / Montgomery Township, PA \(montgomerytwp.org\)](https://www.montgomerytwp.org)
- Mr. Muller encouraged the EAC to look at nearby municipalities to see what events they are offering through their EAC so new ideas can be presented as we look ahead.
- Erin Landis, Water Program Manager for Wissahickon Trails, shared information about Montgomery Township's participation in the Wissahickon Clean Water Partnership and distributed informational materials. [The Wissahickon Clean Water Partnership plans for a greener future \(wissahickontrails.org\)](https://www.wissahickontrails.org)

The next meeting is scheduled for April 25th, 2023 at 7:00 pm at the Township Administration Building.

Public Comment on items not on the agenda

- There was no public comment.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:54 PM.