

**BORDENTOWN TOWNSHIP  
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION  
MEETING MINUTES**

**September 22, 2017**

<b>MEMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
Roger A. Plew	<i>Chair</i>	X	
Martha Vesselka	<i>Vice-Chair</i>	X	
Carole Cann	<i>Secretary</i>	X	
Kelly Lozito		X	
Glenn Ashton		X	
Eugene Fuzy	<i>Committeeman Liaison</i>	X	
Dean Buhner	<i>Director of Public Works</i>		
Tom Hendrickson	<i>Student Representative</i>	X	

1. **SALUTE TO FLAG:** Chairman Plew called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM and led those present in a salute to the flag.
  
2. **OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ANNOUNCEMENT BY CHAIRMAN:** In compliance with the open Public Meetings Act, this is to announce that adequate notice of this meeting was provided in the following manner: On February 12, 2016 advance written notice of this meeting was posted on the bulletin board opposite the main entrance of the meeting room in the Municipal Building; was mailed to the Register-News and the Burlington County Times; was filed with the Clerk of Bordentown Township, and was mailed to all persons who requested and paid for such notice.
  
3. **MINUTES:** Motion to table the minutes of the August 2017 meeting was made by Vice-Chair Veselka and seconded Chairman Plew. Motion carried unanimously.
  - **LIAISON REPORT:** Committeeman Fuzy gave an update on the proposed Elcon project. There is no timeline to finish Phase II. Once Elcon submits its application DEP will have 90 days to review it. The Township is going to e-mail other municipalities to gain support in opposing the project. The Philadelphia Water Department is opposed to this facility. Water waste from fracking could be transported through the Delaware River Basin.
  
4. **OLD BUSINESS: Team 85 Site Plan:** Members continued the review of the application to the Planning Board and noted questions and concerns.  
**Master Plan/Master Plan Report:** This has been sent via e-mail to EC members.
  
5. **NEW BUSINESS: Paris Agreement:** Members discussed preparing a resolution that would be reflective of Bordentown's efforts. A final draft will be voted on at the October meeting
  
6. **FOR DISCUSSION: Community Day:** The winner of the drawing for the rain barrel is Judy Keuper.  
**Community Garden work schedule:** Work sessions will be held every Saturday at 9:00 am until the end of October.  
**Wailing Woods:** October 27.  
**Free seedlings** continue to be available.

7. **MOTION TO ADJOURN:** Motion to adjourn was made by Chairman Plew and seconded by Vice-Chair Lozito.  
Meeting adjourned at 10:15