

**BORDENTOWN TOWNSHIP  
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION  
MEETING MINUTES**

**Tuesday July 22, 2014**

<b>MEMBER</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>PRESENT</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>
Roger A. Plew	<i>Chair</i>	X	
Livia Popko	<i>Vice Chair</i>	X	
Marilee Ryan	<i>Secretary</i>	X	
Will Bancroft	<i>Treasurer</i>	X	
Sid Morginstin			X
Jill Popko	<i>Committeeman Liaison</i>	X	
Dean Buhner	<i>Director of Public Works</i>		X

**1. SALUTE TO FLAG**

Chairman Plew led everyone present in the 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 was provided in the following manner: On February 11, 2014 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, People Papers and the Burlington County Times; was filed with the Clerk of Bordentown Township, was mailed to all persons who requested and paid for such notice.

**3. MINUTES**

The minutes of the June 16, 2014 meeting. Chairman Plew moved to accept, Will Bancroft seconded, motion passed.

**4. OLD BUSINESS**

**Sustainable Jersey submission:** Comments for revision were received from Sustainable Jersey on our certification application. We have until September 14, 2014 to update and re-submit.

**July 4<sup>th</sup> Fishing Derby hot dog donations.** Chairman Plew reported we netted \$231.00 in donations for our hot dog stand. It was suggested a Thank you letter be sent to Russ Ayers. It was brought up by Chairman Plew that the hot dogs and buns were for his Supporter Program participation and if any Thank You letters go out, it should be to all Business Supporters. Chairman Plew will forward and mailing list to Marilee of all support addresses.

5. **NEW BUSINESS**

No new Planning Board or Zoning Board applications to report.

6. **LIAISON REPORT**

**County wide single stream** recycling will begin September 1<sup>st</sup>, our first single stream pickup will be September 8<sup>th</sup>. **The Public Works expansion** is in progress and now open accepting some items such as electronics, white goods as well as paper/cardboard, bottles and cans. These items will bring in a lot of money to the Township. The EC is asked to help get the word out of the opening. **Tidy Town** is a contest program in Ireland where towns compete for who is the 'tidiest'. This was seen by PW Director Dean Buhner while on vacation and feels this would be good for the Township. Dean will attend next month's meeting to discuss if we feel it's something we would like to look into further. All agreed to discuss further. **Anti-idling signs** are ordered, Chief needs map of locations and we may need to get State approval for some locations.

7. **FOR DISCUSSION**

**Shredder Day** is confirmed for Saturday October 11<sup>th</sup> and will be held at the PW Recycle Center. **Discussion** held on possibly expanding EC membership from 5 to 7 members. This would require an ordinance change. Committeewoman Popko will research details.

**Marilee** stated she feels a Presidents Report agenda item should be on the agenda.

**Final** revisions are being made to the Annual Report and Marilee stated she feels EC members should have input to it.

8. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

No Public in attendance.

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

Marilee moved to adjourn, seconded by Livia. All was in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:50PM.