

OCEAN TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION  
Regular Meeting  
August 30, 2010  
7:00 PM

Meeting began at 7:02 PM.

Chairman Lippincott called the meeting to order.

Flag Salute

Open Public Meeting Act – Pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meeting Act, sending copies of the notice of the meeting properly provided adequate notice of the meeting to the Times Beacon and the Asbury Park press. Notice was posted on the bulletin board in the Administration Building.

Roll Call:

Members present:	Ed Covitz	Don Lippincott	Jack Henderson
	Bob Knowles	Pat McCarty	
	Tom Leaming	Bill Rossnagel	

Members absent: Geary

**ADMINISTRATIVE:**

Chairman Lippincott asked for a motion to take action on the August 2, 2010 Regular meeting minutes. Bob Knowles made a motion to approve the August 2, 2010 Regular meeting minutes. Jack Henderson seconded the motion. All in favor: (aye).

Correspondence was reviewed. Chairman Lippincott reminded the Commission that the correspondence is always available with the Secretary.

A document received from Greenbriar Oceanaire, Mr. Ritter, was reviewed regarding the golf course and fertilizer application. The Commission suggested that Mr. Ritter be invited to attend a meeting to answer several questions that were raised regarding wells and fertilizers. Commission suggested Mr. Mercuro attend who is having an issue with his pond behind Greenbriar and also Cliff Kean from the MUA.

**OLD BUSINESS**

ANJEC article still needs to be addressed by the advertisement sub-committee.

Chairman Lippincott and Jack Henderson will discuss putting together a meeting with other Environmental Commissions in the future at the Lighthouse Center.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

**Adopt-A-Spot** – A good project which was reviewed by the Commission. Mr. Knowles suggested the Rail Trail as a location or park locations. Cleaning up after dogs is a concern. Matt Ambrosio will be contacted by the secretary to see if the dog waste containers could be installed and also check with the county to see if any spots could be adopted along the trail and beautified with plantings.

**Rail Trail Clean Up Walk** – A date was set for October 11<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM at the entrance at the park. It was decided after some review to keep to the Environmental Commission walking the trail. The trailer and golf cart will be provided again by Mr. Leaming and Mr. Knowles for larger items. The Commission suggested contacting Bob Vossler to try and get some press coverage. Township Committee will be invited to join us on the walk.

Mr. Rossnagel addressed the Commission. Mr. Rossnagel commended Chairman Lippincott on his excellent leadership. Mr. Rossnagel submitted his letter of resignation from the Commission. This will be his last meeting.

The Commission spoke briefly about the emailing of the packets. After a brief discussion it was decided that unless you notify the secretary via email, it will be assumed that you will attend each meeting. Packets will be continued via email.

A brief discussion took place regarding another alternate member and also a replacement for Mr. Rossnagel. The Township Committee will be notified.

A motion was made by Mr. Leaming, seconded by Mr. Knowles to adjourn. All in favor: (aye).

Meeting was adjourned at 7:55 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

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Beth O'Connor  
Secretary