# TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION GREEN TEAM ADVISORY

# Regular Meeting October 1st 2018

6:00 PM

### Call to Order – Flag Salute

Open Public Meeting Act – Pursuant to the provisions of the New Jersey Open Public Meeting Act, adequate notice of this meeting was properly provided by sending a copy Notice of Meeting to the Asbury Park Press and the Press of Atlantic City Press. Notice was posted on the bulletin board in the Administration Building.

Roll Call:	Donald Lippincott, Jr.	X
	Thomas Leaming	X
	Lorraine Flohr	X
	Heide Geary	X
	Patricia L. Mosier	X
	Mary Anne Sadecki	Absent
	Robert Sadecki	X
	Diane B. Ambrosio (G.T)	Absent
	Jack Henderson Alt. #1	X
	Bob Knowles Alt. #2	X

Chairman asked for a motion to approve to approve the minutes of the June 4th meeting Thomas Leaming made a motion, seconded by Lorraine Flohr. All in favor (ayes)

#### **OLD BUSINESS.**

Board discussion had a recap of cleanup day. Tires and electronics are still not able to be accepted, as the vendor won't take them. Board acknowledged the late Edward Covitz and the roles he took while on the commission. No new suggestions for next year at the moment.

Discussion took place on the Roundtable. Also discussed the Music on the Bay Event.

Discussion took place on the removal of ghost crab traps from the bay. This year over 1,700 traps were removed. Several traps were removed and lobsters were found in some.

Discussion took place on the Blind Camp. Board praised Pat on the excellent job she does there.

Discussion took place on invasive species of plants in the area, particularly bamboo.

Discussion took place on raising the Monarch butterflies and milkweed.

Discussion took place on state grants for the living shoreline & dredging projects.

Discussion took place on creating a gardening club in the spring.

Discussion took place on the decommissioning of the Oyster Creek power plant. Concerns were raised about a third party coming in to complete the work and the shortened decommission times. Chairman wished to look into whether or not there was a panel for the decommissioning project, and if so it would be a good idea for a representative from our Township/Commission to sit in on.

Discussion took place on the proposed solar project the late Joe Lackowitz had proposed.

# **NEW BUSINESS.**

None.

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT.**

## **COMMISSION COMMENTS**

No comments.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn meeting was moved by Don Lippincott. All in favor: Aye. None opposed.

Respectfully submitted,
Stephine Capaccio, Board Secretary