

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY COMMISSION (ESC) MEETING MINUTES

September 14, 2021 AT 7:00 PM

The regular meeting of the Willistown Environmental Sustainability Commission came to order at 7:08 at the Willistown Township Building on 688 Sugartown Road, Malvern, PA.

Members present: Mark Angelo, Ken Lehr, Karl Malessa, Susan Vogel,
Township Staff: Jennifer Jacobs

Old Business

- The Minutes from the August meeting were reviewed and approved.
- Susan reported that she submitted one of three Zero Waste Initiative grant applications and has had positive feedback. She will submit the other two shortly.
- We decided to end the discussion of changing meeting day.
- We tabled discussion of Brendan's idea about email invites to residents for the upcoming recycling events since Brendan was not in attendance.
- Pollinator Pathways discussion will be continued by Planning Commission.
- We discussed ideas for the township's Guidelines for Growth to help in John Gaadt's efforts. Mark A. and Susan presented some short-term and long-term ideas, and both agreed to take a deeper dive and add substantive copy to the existing guidelines for the next meeting.

New Business

- We discussed the upcoming recycling events scheduled for October, and decided to go with the same traffic pattern that we used for the last event (fall 2019) for the e-waste event on October 2, and if it works well, to continue using it for the remaining events. Jennifer will get us the sandwich boards to use for reminding folks to stay in their car. Mark Bem or Karl (TBD) will get the boards the week before the e-waste event and set them up on Saturday, Oct. 2.
- Susan to contact police to direct traffic on all three dates.
- Personnel for e-waste event: Mark B., Ken, Karl
- Personnel for chipping event: Bruce, Susan, Brendan
- Personnel for shredding event: Mark A., Karl, Ken, Brendan, Mark B.
- Members are to wear the (Recycling) Commission orange T-shirts for the events, and to contact Susan with any conflicts for those dates.
- Susan to submit Act 101 Recycling Grant application by 9/24.

- **Citizen's Comments:** None

Next Meeting

The next regular meeting of the Willistown Environmental Sustainability Commission will be held on October 12, 2021 at 7:00 at the Township Building.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:02 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Susan Vogel, Chair