# Salisbury Township Environmental Advisory Council November 19, 2014 @ 7:00 PM

# **Order of Business**

### Call to Order

Roll Call		-	P	$\mathbf{N}$
•	Kreg Ulery, Chair Person			
•	Glenn Miller, Vice-Chair Person			
•	Jane Benning			
•	Mary Anne Stinner			
•	Sandra Thomas (resigned)			
•	Joseph Hebelka (PC Rep)			
•	Joanne Ackerman, (BOC liaison)			
•	Cynthia Sopka (Secretary)			
•	Robert Agonis (Task Force Member)			
•	Katherine Velekei (Task Force Member)			

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**Review Minutes:** 

September 17, 2014 minutes

October 15, 2014 meeting was cancelled due to lack of quorum

## Report of officers and committees

- Zoning: No meeting.
- Planning: Review Minor Subdivision 1431 Salisbury Road received approval of the minor subdivision contingent upon BOC approval of alley vacation.
- Board of Commissioners Meet the <sup>2nd</sup> and <sup>4th</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:00.

## Old Business: Salisbury Township Storm water Basin Retrofit

- 1. Meeting was held with Keystone Engineers regarding the basin design: present were Dave Tettemer and Jason (landscape architect).
- 2. Plans of the Basin have been submitted to the Township Planning/Zoning Office.
- 3. Cynthia had a brief meeting with John Andreas regarding some initial work to commence on the basin.
- 4. Cynthia placed "One Call" to the utilities as required.

#### **New Business:**

- 1. Salisbury Township Basin Retrofit:
  - a. Communicate with Laura Hopek Watershed specialist of Lehigh County Conservation District

- b. We received a copy of the basin retrofit design from Keystone Consulting Engineers
- c. Time ran out in October to coordinate with DPW and the STEAC to start work on the basin.
- d. Anticipate work on basin to commence in April 2015 (depending upon weather) which could also coincide with our Earth Day recognition.
- e. We need to coordinate a plan of who will be involved and to what capacity:
  - i. Laura Hopek of LCCD
  - ii. Lehigh Watershed Master Watershed Stewards
  - iii. Penn State Master Gardener Group
  - iv. Boy Scout group to help with plantings
  - v. DPW to help with grading, tree/shrubbery removal, excavation
  - vi. STEAC representatives and volunteers
- 2. Municipal Storm Sewer System (MS4) and the involvement of the STEAC.
  - a. MS4 Current and Future
  - b. Question is to what extent can the STEAC realistically participate in the MS4 criteria requires discussion by the STEAC
  - c. What resources will be required to help educate the public on MS4
- 3. Update on the Township community map
- 4. Consider contacting RRS Responsible Recycling Services to evaluate what would be required by the Township to utilize RRS for an Electronic Recycling Event in 2015.
  - a. Coordinate with RRS first
  - b. Coordinate with Salisbury Township School District
  - c. Contact for RRS is phone 484-641-5156 or their website <a href="http://www.responsiblerecyclingservices.com">http://www.responsiblerecyclingservices.com</a>
- 5. Status of potential STEAC applicants to fill WARD 1 representation.
- 6. PUBLIC COMMENT