# Salisbury Township Environmental Advisory Council December 17, 2014 @ 7:00 PM

## **Order of Business**

#### Call to Order

Roll Call		]	P N
•	Kreg Ulery, Chair Person		
•	Glenn Miller, Vice-Chair Person	[	
•	Jane Benning	[	<b>-</b>
•	Mary Anne Stinner	[	
•	Karen El Chaar		
•	Joseph Hebelka (PC Rep)	[	
•	Joanne Ackerman, (BOC liaison)	[	o c
•	Cynthia Sopka (Secretary)	Ε	3 0
•	Robert Agonis (Task Force Member)	Ε	
•	Katherine Velekei (Task Force Member)	Ε	

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Review Minutes: November 19, 2014

## Report of officers and committees

- Zoning: November 5<sup>th</sup> the LVHN appealed to Zoning Hearing Board for variances to accessory use of a parking lot in the R2 Zoning district and maximum number of parking spaces without being separated by a landscaped island.
- Planning: The Township conducted a public meeting regarding the New Zoning Ordinance for public comment. The PC made recommendation to approve the New Ordinance contingent upon making the necessary technical and grammatical changes discussed during the meeting.
- Board of Commissioners Meet the <sup>2nd</sup> and <sup>4th</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:00.

#### **Old Business:**

1. Salisbury Township Storm water Basin Retrofit – activity deferred until 2015 due to weather limitations

### **New Business:**

- 1. Work on the Annual Report to the Board of Commissioners
- 2. Salisbury Township Basin Retrofit:

- a. Anticipate work on basin to commence in April 2015 (depending upon weather) which could also coincide with our Earth Day recognition.
- b. 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
- 3. 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
  - d. January 7<sup>th</sup> at 3:15 PM meeting with LCCD Kevin Frederick and Laura Hopek regarding the role of STEAC with MS4 educational programs and projects
- 4. Prepare a formal recommendation to the Board of Commissioners to consider hiring an individual (part-time basis) to manage the criteria associated with the MS4 compliance order.
- 5. Status of potential STEAC applicants to fill WARD 1 representation.
- 6. PUBLIC COMMENT