

**TOWN OF HAMMONTON**  
**Hammonton Lake Water Quality Advisory Committee**  
**Minutes**

Tuesday, October 13, 2015

Chairman Reitmeyer opened the meeting at 7:35 pm with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Members Present:**

Robert Reitmeyer, Chairman  
Dr. Tait Chirenje  
John Keenan  
Bill Parkhurst  
Dan Bachalis  
Paul Galletta  
John Fortis  
John Sciani  
Steve Mortelliti

**Members Absent:**

Jen Mayer  
Robert Roesch

**Others Present:**

Steven DiDonato – Mayor, Town of Hammonton  
Steven Furgione – Town Council Representative  
Mickey Pullia – Councilman, Town of Hammonton  
Paul Ordille – Parks and Recreation Commission  
Lou Cappuccio – Parks and Recreation Commission  
Angela Donio – Environmental Commission  
Dr. Michael Hozik – Environmental Commission and Planning Board  
Gordon Pherribo – Planning Board  
Jerry Barberio – Town Business Administrator  
Anthony Decicco – Hammonton Water and Sewer Dept.  
Tim McWilliams- Intern  
Kevin Troilo– Hammonton Gazette  
And numerous other members of the Public

**Approval of Minutes:**

Motion to approve the minutes of the October 2015 meeting made by P. Galletta, seconded by B. Parkhurst. All In favor. Motion Approved.

**Correspondence:** None

**1. New Business: Public Forum**

**A. Opening Remarks:** R. Reitmeyer

**B. Introduction of Committee Members:** R. Reitmeyer

**C. History of Hammonton Lake:** W.H. Parkhurst

**D. 10 Steps and Existing Best Management Practices:** P. Galletta

**E. Council Representative Report:** S. Furgione

**F. Report from Intern Tim McWilliams:**

**G. Discussion of Clean Flo:** Dr. Chirenji

**H. General Lake Health Discussion:** Entire Committee

## **2. Public Comment:**

About 30 additional members of the public and elected officials were in attendance and offered their thoughts on the health of Hammonton Lake, the status of the Smith Conservation Area and potential uses for Hammonton Lake Park among other topics. Surveys were also distributed so that additional comment could be gathered.

## **Committee Reports:**

**Town Council:** Tabled

**Parks & Recreation Commission:** Tabled

**Environmental Commission:** Tabled

## **Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

*Robert Reitmeyer*

HLWQAC, Town of Hammonton