

TOWN OF HAMMONTON
Hammonton Lake Water Quality Advisory Committee
Minutes

Tuesday, July 14, 2015

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

Members Present:

Robert Reitmeyer, Chairman
John Sciani
John Keenan
Bill Parkhurst
Dan Bachalis
Jen Mayer

Members Absent:

Dr. Tait Chirenje
Paul Galletta
John Fortis
Steve Mortelliti
Robert Roesch

Others Present:

Steven Furgione – Council Representative

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the minutes of the June 2015 meeting made by D. Bachalis, seconded by B. Parkhurst. All In favor, J. Keenan abstained. Motion Approved

Correspondence: None

Committee Reports:

Town Council: Councilman Furgione reported that lake water sampling is being performed, that Clean Flo is not currently working and still requires maintenance, that a large amount of woodchips from the Town's storm cleanup have been placed at 8th Street property, the Town has received a grant for bike path construction, that the Town has received grant funding towards purchasing the St. Martin's property, that a meeting was held to request cleanup by NJ Transit and that a presentation will be made by South Jersey Gas on the Lincoln Street groundwater cleanup.

Parks & Recreation Commission: It was reported that Hammonton Lake Park upgrades are being made for the Little League World Series scheduled for last week of July and the first week of August and that bike path design is underway.

Environmental Commission: R. Reitmeyer reported that two bike racks purchased at the end of 2014 have been received and that the Commission is putting together its plans for the remainder of the year including involvement in Green Day.

Old Business:

1. Public Forum- The Committee discussed scheduling the forum for October or November so that the lake sampling data from this year could be incorporated into the discussion.

2. Bladderwort Spray Schedule- Councilman Furgione indicated that J. Barberio is proceeding with his certification requirements and that spraying is on schedule for 2016.

New Business:

1. 2015 Items: J. Sciani presented a compilation of the lake water sampling data from the previous two years. The Committee discussed the content of the data and will continue to review the findings.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Reitmeyer
HLWQAC, Town of Hammonton