

PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY BOARD (E.A.B)

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, March 20, 2012

The Plymouth Township Environmental Advisory Board held its meeting at the Plymouth Township Municipal Building at 7:00 pm, in the Engineering Conference Room A. Dave and Barry were not present. The meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm and began with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The February minutes were approved after a motion by Mike and seconded by Walt.

Events Planning/Review

1. Eco Fest at Plymouth-Whitemarsh HS - Thursday, March 1st
-Good attendance at event. Board members discussed the possibility of doing an activity at next year's event.
2. Park Cleanup - GPCC - Saturday April 28th, HWP Saturday May 19th
-Bill will e-mail EAB about attendance at these
3. Plymouth Twp Day - Sat. June 2nd 4-9pm
-Recycling activity at EAB table is an idea for Township Day

New Business:

1. GPCC, HWP updates
-Rick and Dean going on tour of HWP on 3/26/2012
-GPCC - pre-construction meeting this month. The township is planning on having the project done by 6/22/2012, in time for summer camps.
-a mechanical engineer students at Villanova University is looking to do his senior project on designing environmentally-friendly systems (i.e. HVAC, electrical)at GPCC
-looking to replace lighting in GPCC gym with either induction lighting or LED lighting
2. Bicycle/walking trails
-Mike scouted and took pictures for the possibility of a PECO right-of-way trail from Township Line Road to Gravers Road
3. Zoning Board
-Mike attended the Zoning Board Meeting on March 19th. Bimbo Bakeries requested for and received a variance to increase their impervious coverage. The owner will need to mitigate the storm water runoff with an underground detention basin that is approved by the township.
4. Storm water management
-Chris L. is reaching out the schools
5. Proposed SEPTA LED 60' x 20' sign
-discussion about SEPTA's proposal from the recent township workshop meeting

Old Business

None

At 8:00 pm, the meeting was closed with a motion from Mike and a second by Walt.