

**Township of West Milford**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION**  
**AGENDA**  
**February 5, 2024**  
**7:00 P.M.**  
**Main Meeting Room**

**Legal:** In accordance with Chapter 231, Public Laws of 1975 of the State of New Jersey, adequate advance notice of this meeting of the West Milford Environmental Commission of Passaic County, New Jersey was sent to the Herald news. A copy has been filed with the Township Clerk's office and posted on the bulletin board in the main corridor of the Town hall and on the Township's website. Please take note of the Fire exits located in this room in the event of an emergency.

**ROLL CALL**

**Regular Members:** Tim Dalton, James Lyons, James Rogers, Thomas Tamayne, Douglas Trainor, Don Weise, Chairman Stephen Sangle

**Alternate Members:** Alt #1 Vacant; Alt #2 - Vacant

**MINUTES**

Approval of Minutes from previous Environmental Commission meeting

**CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED:**

PSEG- Certified Mail 7022-2410-0000-1106-4679 Notice of permit application to State of New Jersey.

G Environmental GECP Inc- Remediation WM Town Hall Groundwater Completed & Closed

**PRESENTATIONS**

None

**APPLICATIONS FOR REVIEW**

None

**ON GOING BUSINESS**

**Greenway Project /Belcher Creek Trail Study** – Review/Update.

**Belcher Creek Testing:** Update.

**Community Forestry Mgt. Plan:** Update, if available.

**Greenwood Lake Bi-State Commission:** Report, if available.

**Lakes Committee:** Report.

**Open Space Committee:** Update.

**Environmental Contamination Issues:** Report.

**Maple Road Environ Center Boardwalk:** Update on condition following phragmites treatments.

## **NEW OR CURRENT BUSINESS**

**NJDEP Model Tree Ordinance** – May 1, 2024, Deadline for municipalities to adopt tree removal/replacement ordinances as part of the Municipal Stormwater Permitting Program

**Christine Court-** Thinning of Pine Tree Stand

**Suspected Hazardous substance Discharge – 23 Meadowview Court** – NJ DEP Case# 24-01-26-1252-29

**Suspected Hazardous substance – 18 John Street** - NJ DEP Case# 24-01-25-1330-10

**Property Transfer Eric Hastings:** Discussion of the recent transfer of property from Eric Hastings to another owner on Greenwood Lake Turnpike property. It is zoned LMI and sold as commercial, however, is in wetlands.

**NJ Dept of Agriculture Funding Available for Spotted Lanternfly Treatment** - \$20,000 grants available

**Volunteer of the Year** – Deadline to submit March 8, 2024

**Land Conservatory Scholarships-** Deadline to apply April 1,2024 Qty 6 \$10,000 scholarships available.

**NJ Shade Tree Federation Tree Talk-** Zoom meeting Feb 7,2024 7-8:30pm

## **Miscellaneous**

## **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

## **ADJOURNMENT**