

Township of West Milford
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION
AGENDA
October 6, 2014
7:30 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 continuously on the bulletin board in the main corridor of the Town Hall and on the Township's website. The Main Meeting Room is ADA accessible; special needs may be accommodated by contacting the Planning Department at (973) 728-2798. Please take note of the Fire Exits located in this room in the event of an emergency.

ROLL CALL

Regular Members: Andrew Abdul, Tim Dalton, Gary Oppenheimer, Douglas Ott, Thomas Tamayne, Don Weise, Chairman Stephen Sangle.
Alternate Members: Jennifer Easterbrook, Lucas Slott.

PRESENTATIONS – None.

APPLICATIONS FOR REVIEW – None.

GRANT MANAGEMENT AND STATUS REVIEW

2007 GWL NPS 319(h) Grant: Update.

NJDEP Green Comm.\$3000.00 Grant for Community Forestry Management Plan:
Update from Ron Farr, Certified Forester.

NJDEP NNL Reforestation Grant - \$620,197.00: Update.

Trails Master Plan: Update.

ON GOING BUSINESS

Lakes Committee: Report.

Open Space Committee: Report.

Environmental Contamination Issues: Report.

Green Team–Sustainable Subcommittee:

- Report on Sustainable Jersey Re-certification.
- Update on Small Grants Project.

Beaver Dam at Environmental Boardwalk: Update.

NEW OR CURRENT BUSINESS

Bear Education Presentation: Report.

2014 Governor's Environmental Excellence Award Nominations: Update.

NJ Shade Tree Conference: October 24 & 25, 2014.

Autumn Lights Festival: Update.

MINUTES

Approval of Minutes of the June, July, August, and September 2014 Regular Meetings of the West Milford Environmental Commission.

CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED:

Highlands Water Protection And Planning Act Correspondence

1. Highlands Exemption #4, Water Quality Mangement Plan–Consistent, dated September 25, 2014, received from the NJDEP for Greenwood Lake Marine Supply, Elena Dykstra, 538 Lakeside Road LLC, for property at 1141 Greenwood Lake Turnpike, regarding a proposed marine supply facility project.

NJ Department Of Environmental Protection Correspondence

1. Freshwater Wetlands Letter of Interpretation/Line Verification Extension, dated September 10, 2014, received from the NJDEP for Jonathon Frank, Shiloh Bible Camp, 753 Burnt Meadow Road, Block 6002; Lot 47, with regard to wetlands delineation, extending the L.OI. to April 21, 2019.

2. Freshwater Wetlands Letter of Interpretation/Line Verification Extension, dated September 11, 2014, received for Donald Davies, 70 Rockburn Pass, Block 5003; Lot 9, advising that the wetlands value classification is Exceptional and require a 150 ft. buffer. A Highlands Exemption has been issued for a proposed single-family residential dwelling.

3. No Further Action letter from the NJDEP, dated September 9, 2014, regarding 684 Lake Shore Drive, Block 1810; Lot 11, for removal of a 275 gal #2 H.O. AGST.

4. Remedial Action Report – Notice of Deficiency, dated September 15, 2014 received from the NJDEP regarding 65 White Road, Block 6902; Lot 10, regarding failure to implement interim remedial measures to remove, contain, or stabilize a source of contamination to prevent contaminant migration.

5. Freshwater Wetlands General Permit #18, dated September 8, 2014, received from the NJDEP for Vacamas Youth Program, 256 Macopin Road, Block 12501; Lot 41.01, regarding temporary disturbance of wetlands for the rehabilitation of the existing Henion Pond Dam (NJDEP #22-18).

6. Freshwater Wetlands Transition Area Averaging Plan, dated September 8, 2014, received from the NJDEP for Chelsea Senior Residences, Block 5310; Lot 1, regarding the addition to an existing senior assisted living facility building, concrete sidewalks, concrete patio area, creating wall and grass pavers for emergency vehicle parking.

7. Notice of an application to the NJDEP, dated October 1, 2014, from LAN Associates, regarding Grace Fellowship Church, 37 Stephens Road, Block 9801; Lot 1, for a Wetlands Footprint of Disturbance Letter of Interpretation, for the proposed construction of a new driveway and maintenance garage.

Miscellaneous Correspondence Received/Sent

1. Passaic County Heritage Tourism Meeting, October 21, 2014, 6 – 8 pm at West Milford Town Hall, proving an overview of Passaic County’s Heritage Tourism Plan and Tourism Economics, RSVP–giancarlod@passaiccountynj.org.

2. Sustainable Jersey Small Grants Program Announcement – Applications due November 5, 2014.

3. Ordinance # 2014-007 – Ordinance of the Township of West Milford, County of Passaic, State of New Jersey to Amend Chapter 500, “Zoning”, Article III, “Residential Districts” Section §500-13, “Sewer and Water Facilities” of the Township Code – adopted on September 17, 2014.

4. Notice from the Borough of Ringwood advising of a public meeting with Passaic County regarding the Route 511 & Skyline Drive Intersection Improvement Program. The meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October 9, 2014 at 7:30 pm at the Martin J. Ryerson Middle School, 130 Valley Road, Ringwood, NJ.

PUBLIC COMMENTS -

ADJOURNMENT