Matawan Environmental Commission

Meeting Agenda Tuesday, April 11, 2023 – 7:00pm Municipal Building – Council Chambers

I. Call to Order

II. Review and Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes

a. Meeting Minutes of March 14, 2023

III. Spring Clean-Up (Community Outreach/Events) (Meredith/Ginny)

- a. Saturday, April 22nd 9:00am 11:00am beginning at Lake Lefferts
- b. Volunteer assignments in preparation and for day of clean-up

IV. Upcoming Events

- a. Informal Earth Day Celebratory Walk at Freneau Woods Park Saturday, April 22nd 2:00pm
 - Hosted by Matawan Environmental Commission & Aberdeen Environmental Board
- b. Arbor Day Celebration MMCC Saturday, April 29th 10am
- c. Sustainable Jersey Sustainability Summit Bell Works, Holmdel Friday, May 5th 9-4pm

V. <u>Community Garden (Ginny)</u>

- a. Grant application status update
- b. Parks & Recreation collaboration update

VI. Logo (Dan)

VII. Ongoing Discussions/Projects Updates

- a. NRI/Budget Status/Update ()
- b. Energy Aggregation (Malini/Diane)

VIII. Reports on Affiliate Organizations

- a. Matawan Town Council (Charlie)
- b. Planning Board (Sharen)
- c. Additional Reports from Meetings/Newsletters:
 - Aberdeen Environmental Advisory Board
 - Monmouth County Environmental Council
 - ANJEC
- d. Other Events

IX. Open Floor

X. Adjournment

ADDENDUM:

The following items may also be discussed if members/guests have comment:

Reports on Meetings of Affiliate Organizations:

- Aberdeen Environmental Advisory Board
- Matawan Shade Tree
- Bayshore Regional Watershed Council
- Monmouth County Environmental Council
- Matawan Aberdeen Educational Foundation

Additional Projects of Interest:

- Burrowes-Forman Path
- Lefferts Waterfront Cleanup/Expansion/Nature Trail
- Rain Garden
- Signs marking our water shed
- Single Use Plastic Awareness/Education
- Osprey Platform
- Community Clean-up
- Storm Water
- Environmental Working Group

Meeting Calendar:

- Tuesday, January 10, 2023 (Cancelled)
- Tuesday, February 14, 2023 Re-Scheduled to Monday, February 13, 2023 at 7:00pm Virtual
- Tuesday, March 14, 2023 Council Chambers
- Tuesday, April 11, 2023 Council Chambers
- Tuesday, May 9, 2023 Council Chambers
- Tuesday, June 13, 2023 Council Chambers
- Tuesday, July 11, 2023 Council Chambers
- NO AUGUST MEETING
- Tuesday, September 12, 2023 Council Chambers
- Tuesday, October 10, 2023 Council Chambers
- Tuesday, November 14, 2023 Council Chambers
- Tuesday, December 12, 2023 Council Chambers