

Environmental Commission Meeting

Minutes

March 5, 2013

A. Open Meeting- Meeting is called to order at 7:35 p.m. and it is announced that all laws governing the Open Public Meetings Act have been met and that the meeting had been duly advertised.

Members present:

Judy Tutela

Jason Giroud

Steve Foster, Chair

Jerry Cook

Christina Albrecht via telephone

Public - None

B. Minutes:

1. May 15, 2012 –

2. June 5, 2012 -

3. January 15, 2013

3. September 4, 2012

4. February 5, 2013 Judy Tutela made a motion to approve all of the minutes.

Jerry Cook seconded the motion. All in Favor, No Nays recorded.

C. LOI/Freshwater Wetlands :

1. LOI for B. 21.13, L. 6 - This was reviewed at the last meeting.

D. Correspondence:

1. Letter to Cindy Ehrenclou, Executive Director of Raritan Headwaters – Noted. Everyone expressed their thanks to Steve Foster for creating a comprehensive letter.

2. Letter from State of NJ regarding B. 73, L. 4 - Noted

3. Letter from State of NJ regarding B. 30, L. 6 – Noted

4. Letter from State of NJ regarding 291 Route 22 East - Noted

5. Letter from JM Sorge, Inc. regarding B. 20, L. 6 - Noted

E New Business: None

F Educational Opportunities-

1. Funding for Environmental Commission Projects – Noted- This item will be addressed by Steve Foster and Jay Kelly in the near future.

2. NJWSA Public Hearing of the NJ Clean Water Council – Noted

G. Site Plan Review and Comment

PLANNING BOARD – HEARING FILES –

None

PLANNING BOARD – COMPLETENESS FILES

None

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT – HEARING FILES –

1. Ryland Office Park, LLC/Walgreens

Minor subdivision/lot line adjustment

Block 8, L (s) 4, 5, 6, & 7

2. Merck Day Care Facility

Preliminary/Final Site Plan/D Variance

B. 4, L. 99

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT – COMPLETENESS FILES

None

H. Publications

None

I. Minutes

Board of Adjustment

Planning Board

J. Public Comment- The EC is concerned about the stream litter and will seek assistance from the Township Committee.

K. Adjournment – Jason Giroud made a motion made to adjourn, Judy Tutela seconded, no Nays recorded.

Respectfully submitted,