

**EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP
CONSERVANCY BOARD MEETING
JANUARY 10, 2018**

The East Goshen Township Conservancy Board held a regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Building. In attendance were: Chairman Erich Meyer, Sandy Snyder, Walter Wujcik, Patti Brown, and Scott Sanders. Others in attendance: Mike Lynch, Township Supervisor.

Call to Order

Erich called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence

Erich led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance and then asked for a moment of silence to remember those who serve in our military and our first responders.

Minutes

The minutes of the December 13, 2017 meeting were approved.

Zoning Hearing Board Notices

Erich acknowledged receipt of the notices for 1665 E. Boot Road and the Malvern Institute.

New Business

1. Keep East Goshen Beautiful – The Board members agreed to have this event on Saturday, April 21, 2018. April 22nd is Earth Day. Erich will notify Township staff so it can be put on the Township calendar and the electronic board. Sandy suggested editing last year's flyer and putting it in the next Newsletter.
2. Spring Planting – Several locations were discussed. Erich reviewed the type of trees that were planted in November along E. Boot Road. The Board members were very happy with the trees from Sam Brown Nursery. On Saturday March 17, 2018 the Board members will walk the area along E. Boot Road to check the trees and see what needs to be done. Mark Miller will be asked to make a PA 1 call for Clymers Woods so the Board can continue to work there.
3. Pond Study – Mike mentioned that this study should be done by the end of January. Rick Smith will ask Toth Brothers to prioritize the Ponds. The Board of Supervisors plans to set up 3 committees for residents from the 3 areas, Hershey Mill Estates, Bow Tree and Marydell/Pin Oaks. They also want input from the Conservancy Board. Rain Gardens were discussed. Scott suggested using a pond that is accessible and put signs up that describe what is being done and why. Mike suggested that a representative from Toth Brothers attend a CB meeting. Sandy suggested adding the Pond Study as an agenda item.

Old Business

Serpentine Rock- Sandy spoke with Jason Lang about this project. The CB will take the lead on this project. Need to contact Mark Miller about doing a burn.

Board Member Concerns

Sandy reported that the beavers are back and have built a dam on the stream in Supplee Valley again.

Liaison Reports

Municipal Authority – Walter reported that the meeting was postponed to January 22 because of the weather this Monday.

Adjournment

There being no further business, Scott moved to adjourn the meeting. Walter seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 p.m. The next meeting will be February 14, 2018 at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth Kiefer
Recording Secretary