

**East Goshen Township**  
**Sustainability Advisory Committee**  
**Meeting Agenda**  
Monday, April 22, 2019  
7:00 PM

1. Call to Order – David Shuey
2. Pledge of Allegiance – David Shuey
3. Moment of Silence – David Shuey
4. Ask if anyone is recording the meeting – David Shuey
5. Approval of Minutes – March 25, 2019 Meeting
6. Chairman’s Report - NA
7. Staff Reports - NA
8. Old Business –
  - a. Discuss Recycling Center questions
  - b. Discuss Energy Usage Information
9. New Business
  - a. Elect Chairperson and Vice Chairperson
    - i. *Note - After the Chairperson has been elected the Chairperson will take over running the meeting.*
  - b. Discussion of PA legislative initiatives
10. Public Comment
11. Adjourn Meeting

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**EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP  
SUSTAINABILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING  
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MONDAY, March 25, 2019  
DRAFT MINUTES**

**Present:** Jeff O'Donnell, Monica Close, Mary McCloskey, Christi Supple, Kipp Happ David Shuey (Liaison, Township Supervisor); Michael Lynch (Township Supervisor); Director of Parks and Recreation Jason Lang, Pat Carroll, Kim Barker, and Ann DeNadai. Had a brief meet and greet with the Township's Futurist Committee

**Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance**

David called the meeting to order at 7:09 p.m. and led the pledge of allegiance.

**Moment of Silence**

David called for a moment of silence to honor our troops.

**Recording**

David asked if anyone was recording the meeting. No one was recording.

**Approval of Minutes**

David reviewed the minutes from the February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 meeting and made a motion for approval. Christi Supple seconded and the minutes were approved.

**Reports**

No reports given.

**Old Business**

Jason Lang led a discussion of the Sustainability Program. Some areas to focus on include green business initiatives and building energy use.

**New Business**

A. Elect Chairperson and Vice Chairperson

Tabled until a future meeting.

B. West Chester COG Energy Transition Plan RFP and CADMUS proposal review

David noted that the Board of Supervisors approved the fee and committed to the

Plan. Mike Lynch commented that the SAC will be instrumental in identifying key

stakeholders that should be part of the ET Plan. David Shuey raised questions

regarding the scope of work and associated project timeline. Mike Lynch agreed that

the timeline was aggressive and be revisited early in the project. Karen Scenare

(CADMUS) should be targeted to be the primary CADMUS project contact given that

she lives in East Bradford Township and would be personally invested in the

project, and has an exceptional resume.

C. Discuss potential SAC initiatives

Christie Supple discussed single use plastics and whether a Township ban was

feasible. Also discussed was banning plastic straws and encouraging businesses to

1 not offer Styrofoam cups and allow customers to bring reusable cups from home.  
2 The Merchant of Menace garbage artwork project was discussed as a template for an  
3 exciting public education program to emulate. David Shuey suggested the SAC draft  
4 an article for the next Township newsletter. Two work products will be completed  
5 before the April meeting. Mary is going to collect questions to ask the recycling  
6 center, and Christi will begin drafting information regarding energy usage.

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8 **Public Comment**

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10 Ann said that recycling cans should have a sticker very prominently stating that  
11 plastic bags should not be thrown in with recycling. David said we would look into  
12 that. Kim said she is interested in sustainability and was glad to attend the meeting.

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15 **Adjournment**

16 The meeting was adjourned at 9:02 pm.

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19 *Jason Lang, CPRE, MS*

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