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CHESTER COUNTY, PA

Township



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Monday through Friday
8:00am to 5:00pm
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(Memorial Day to Labor Day)
Monday through Thursday
8:00am to 5:00pm
Friday – 8:00am to 2:00pm

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Holiday Schedule

The township building will be closed on the following days due to holidays.

Good Friday April 7, 2023
Memorial Day May 29, 2023
Juneteenth June 19, 2023
Independence Day July 4, 2023
Labor Day September 4, 2023
Columbus Day/ Indigenous Peoples Day October 9, 2023
Veterans Day (Observed) November 10, 2023
Thanksgiving November 23, 2023
Thanksgiving Day After November 24, 2023
Christmas Day December 25, 2023

Meeting Schedule

Board of Supervisors – first and third Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm

April 4, 18, May 2 & 16, June 6 and 20, July 18, August 1 and 15, September 5 and 19, October 3 and 17, November 7 and 21, December 5 and 19

Park and Recreation Commission – first Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm

April 6, May 4, June 1, July 6, August 3, September 7, October 5, November 2, December 7

Municipal Authority – Second Monday of the month at 7:00pm

April 10, May 8, June 12, July 10, August 14, September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11

Conservancy Board – second Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm

April 12, May 10, June 14, July 12, August 9, September 13, October 11, November 8, December 13

Pipeline Task Force – Second Thursday of the month at 5:30pm

April 13, May 11, June 8, July 13, August 10, September 14, October 12, November 9, December 14

Futurist Committee – Third Thursday of the month at 7:00pm

April 20, May 18, June 15, July 20, August 17, September 21, October 19, November 16, December 21

Environmental Sustainability Advisory Committee – fourth Monday of the month at 6:30pm

April 24, May 22, June 26, July 24, August 28, September 25, October 23, November 27

Planning Commission – fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm

April 25, May 23, June 27, July 25, August 22, September 26, October 24, November 28, December 26

Other meeting dates including Zoning Hearing Board may be added as needed. For verification of dates call the Township, check the website or sign up for Constant Contact



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Spring Greetings from the Chairman

Hello Neighbors!

As the weather warms up from an already mild winter (my apologies to all the snow lovers!), I wanted to share with you what is happening in and around East Goshen as well as provide some updates on important issues that we will continue to deal with throughout 2023.

Large infrastructure projects and ongoing maintenance/ repairs of existing infrastructure continue to dominate staff's effort and time. Public Works Director Mark Miller and his crew are tackling much needed repairs to many miles of sewer pipe here in the township by proactively televising the system and repairing exposed issues in order to keep non-sewage water intrusion to a minimum. The "infiltration and inflow" of this ground water into our sewer system can have an enormous impact on the bottom line costs of a sewer system.

We remain diligent in this task so that we meet our environmental obligations while also providing the most economical solution for a wastewater utility option to residents and businesses. Though we do see some municipalities selling their systems to private entities, the current board believes that the best way to keep rates stable while also providing our township with a well-functioning system is to have an "in-house" approach and retain ownership of sewer operations as we have a great team comprised of staff, the Municipal Authority, and the Board of Supervisors.

Besides this long-term approach, we have also had to deal with a large swath of sewer pipe totally failing in the Hershey's Mill Estates section of the township. While it was an expensive repair for which we needed to go out to bid for as well as an impactful one to the surrounding community, it was necessary and the project has been moving along quite nicely.

The largest and most expensive project on the horizon continues to be the Milltown Dam Park project which has been in discussions for 5 years. Unfortunately, there were extreme delays due to the necessary construction permit from the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) taking over 2 and a half years to receive. There are continued postponements due to grant agencies lack of direction on extensions for already approved grants. However, the Board of Supervisors, Township Manager, and Finance Director have made it a priority to get this project through the current phase and out to bid as soon as possible so that the Board of Supervisors can evaluate the true cost and allow work to start in some way, shape, or form in 2023. The project is a standing issue at every board meeting and we welcome any and all public input.

While that project gears, another one comes to a close. The Hershey's Mill Dam Park, at the intersection of Hershey Mill Road and Greenhill Road, is now open to the public and provides a unique experience by being able to walk and explore a distinct wetland ecosystem.

The township is seeing a steady amount of applications with regard to zoning variances, land developments, and conditional uses. They can range from small requests for items such as a variance for an in-ground pool to larger land developments that require much more of a process. Proposed ordinance changes also come up from time to time. Please join us on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month at 7:00 PM to learn about the issues that come across our desk and provide feedback welcomed by all of the citizenry. Our meetings are always open to the public.

On a fun note, our Parks and Recreation team comprised of Jason Lang and Jess Wilhelmy, with help of a terrific group of volunteers, continue to come up with innovative programming while still making sure our longstanding and beloved events shine! The ever popular East Goshen Community Day will be take place this year on Saturday, June 24th from 5:00 PM to dusk. The fireworks are always a hit. Please call the township building at 610-692-7171 for more details on this event. Additionally, be sure to follow the calendar for a full list of events as the year continues.

In closing, I would be remiss not to mention two retirements that took place in February 2023. The township said goodbye to Barbara Phillips (Staff Accountant) and Sue Smith (Public Works Administrative Assistant), two long-time employees who were an integral part of our team. Their contributions to East Goshen were immeasurable and very much appreciated. We wish them health and happiness in their well-deserved retirement.

Everyone have a safe and enjoyable spring/summer!

John Hertzog
John Hertzog, Chairman

East Goshen Board of Supervisors



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U.S. Flag Disposal: Any U.S. Flag that is torn or faded and needs to be disposed of properly can be dropped off at the Township for a proper retirement. A local VFW will conduct a proper flag retirement ceremony to dispose of it.

State Roads: Boot Road, Greenhill Road, N. Chester Road, Strasburg Road, West Chester Pike and Paoli Pike.

Any residents living on a state road that needs road repair or has trees down or pot holes may call PennDOT at 484-340-3200.

Call Before You Dig: If you have to dig or excavate on your property, please remember to call before you dig. 1-800-242-1776 or 811 PA One Call



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Broken Water Main: Call Aqua Pennsylvania at 610-525-1402, 24 hours a day. **Clogged or leaking sanitary sewer lines; sewage smell in the creek:** Contact East Goshen Municipal Authority at 610-692-7171 during regular business hours. During weekends or after hours on weekdays, call 911

Web Site: The answers to most questions about the Township can be found by visiting www.eastgoshe.org. In particular, the FAQ section, which can be found under the "About Us" tab, is a very useful resource for residents.

East Goshen Township 2023 Schedule for:



Yard Waste

April: Apr. 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th
May: May 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th
June: June 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th
July: July 12th, 19th, 26th
August: Aug. 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th
September: Sept. 13th, 20th, 27th
October: Oct. 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th
November: Nov. 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th
December: Dec. 6th, 13th, 20th

Bulk Trash

April: Apr. 13th & 14th
May: May 11th & 12th
June: June 15th & 16th
July: July 13th & 14th
August: Aug. 17th & 18th
September: Sept. 14th & 15th
October: Oct. 12th & 13th
November: Nov. 16th & 17th
December: Dec. 14th & 15th

Hauler Holiday Schedule

May 29th
 Memorial Day (Monday)
July 4th
 Independence Day (Tuesday)
Sept. 4th
 Labor Day (Monday)
November 23rd
 Thanksgiving Day (Thursday)
December 25th
 Christmas (Monday)

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Conservancy Board

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Even though you may not live close to a creek, you live in a creek watershed. What you spray or spread on your lawn affects the quality of the creek's water and the plants and wildlife that depend on it. Rains commonly wash lawn care chemicals into streams and creeks and pollute them, particularly if these products are not properly used. Many synthetic pesticides (insect and weed killers) broadcast over lawns affect the soil as well. They harm the micro-organisms that give soil life, creating nutrients for plants and texture to improve the soil's ability to absorb and retain water. Pesticides applied to shrubs also may poison the food chain, harming beneficial insects, such as ladybugs, and the birds which feed on them.

The way we take care of our lawns effects our neighbors, our air, our ponds, our streams, and us.

To begin with the ponds and streams, fertilizers and pesticides frequently applied to lawns drain into them, resulting in algae blooms and chemicals damaging to insects and fish.

Fortunately, *The Chester County Water Authority and The Penn State Cooperative Extension* has come up with some suggestions:

- 1) **Mow High.** Set the mower as high as it will go--3-4" is recommended and it slows growth and discourages disease. When grass is cut low it grows more rapidly, weakening the plant and encouraging disease and pests. Also, taller turf produces more grass plants and shades out weed seedlings.
- 2) **Leave the grass clippings** on the lawn when left on the lawn return moisture and nitrogen to the soil, thus feeding the lawn's root system. They decompose rapidly with no thatch buildup.
- 3) **Water infrequently.** Water only when the grass shows signs of drought stress and then water deeply. It reduces water used for maintaining a healthy lawn, forces the grass roots deeper than weed roots, so that the grass draws on moisture below while the weeds die in the dry surface soil. In our area showers and thunderstorms usually provide enough water for lawns.

Remember **never** to mow near streams or in wetlands. In East Goshen, an unmowed buffer of 50' of natural grasses, shrubs or trees is recommended along a stream or pond.

Thank you - *The East Goshen Conservancy Board*

Thank you

To The Businesses

The Board of Supervisors would like to thank the businesses that appear in this newsletter and to recognize them each as supporters and cornerstones of our community. For it is with their contributions that this newsletter has been produced at minimal charge to our residents.

GREEN GOSHENVILLE

*Welsh Quakers fled homeland for freedom
to worship on Penn's royal tract.
They christened their wilderness Goshen,
after biblical Promised Land Grant.*

*Sacred traditions would guide them,
unadorned in their scriptural dress,
farming fertile soil often left fallow
with Lenape Native largesse.*

*Furrowing plows followed horse hooves.
For harvest, unmechanized scythes.
Sustainable farming's lost formula
preserving earth's bountiful prize.*

*For centuries Goshen farms flourished;
no chemicals sprayed as they tilled.
Mother Earth's glad genuflection
on Abraham's symbolic hills.*

*The blacksmith still hammers his anvil.
The Meeting House door flexes wide,
inviting descendants of settlers
long honored with unboastful pride.*

*Goshenville flourished in Friend-ship.
That provenance deep-roots us still.
The original Valley of Love and Delight
is our legacy and our ideal.*

Note: my deepest gratitude for the opportunity to serve East Goshen Township as Poet Laureate for this 2 year term. I'm looking forward to welcoming our next Poet!

Christi Marshall

East Goshen Poet Laureate





Bring one take one library

Is located in the lobby of the township building. The book selection has been restocked courtesy of Second Reading in the Parkway Shopping Center. This free library is open to adults in our township. Please do not drop off a large quantity of books. We want to keep this as it is....bring one you've read and then take one from our selection you want to read.

Happy Reading!



Latest News from the Malvern Public Library

Find us on the web at www.malvern-library.org

Lots of fun will be springing up at the Malvern Public Library.

For adults, our monthly book club meets on the back lawn (weather permitting) every 3rd Tuesday at 9:30 am.

Love poetry and want to create your own? Join our Poetry Writing Circle on the 3rd Monday of each month at 2 pm, hosted by 2022 East Goshen poet Laureate Christi Marshall. Prefer to read poetry? She also hosts our Poetry Circle on the 1st Monday of the month at 2 pm. Both programs also provide a virtual option.

We are also getting ready for our May book sale on the side lawn.

Check out our online events calendar to stay up to date on all of our spring storytimes and special kid's events like Lego Club and Read to a Dog! Then, get ready to gear up for our annual Summer Reading Program and the 11th year of GoWilMa!, celebrating all the nature Willistown and Malvern offer. Remember to keep an eye on our calendar in summer too, as we'll have lots of special performers dropping by!

And don't worry; kids don't get to have all the fun as we have our annual Adult Summer Reading program with chances to win prizes all summer long!



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Westtown-East Goshen Regional Police Department

Officer Kenneth Frascella, Westtown East Goshen Regional Police Department

As the West Chester Area School District continues to prioritize the safety and security of their staff and students and looks for ways to strengthen our community, we are excited to share the hiring of the Rustin High School's first full-time School Resource Officer (SRO). This role is in addition to the existing Campus Security Officers employed in the WCASD. Officer Kenneth Frascella, Rustin High School's SRO, began on Monday, February 6, 2023.

Officer Frascella has been a police officer with the Westtown East Goshen Regional Police Department for the past 10 years. During that time, Officer Frascella has served as a patrol officer, and a Community Service Officer (CSO). As a CSO, Officer Frascella taught the Life Skills program in local parochial schools and assisted the WCASD with many special events. Officer Frascella is looking forward to this new opportunity as Rustin's SRO to work with students, families, and staff.

Officer Frascella grew up in southern New Jersey and the West Chester Area. He spent his summers at the Jersey shore and attended college at Penn State University. Upon graduation, Officer Frascella was employed by Vanguard, a financial services firm located in Malvern, for 15 years. During his time at Vanguard, Officer Frascella was a supervisor in the Brokerage Department, New Business Development, and Business Operations. After an enjoyable career with Vanguard, he decided to switch gears and pursue a career in law enforcement.

Officer Frascella is a resident of the WCASD community and a parent to two recent graduates of Rustin High School and two children currently in the district. He enjoys traveling with his family and fills up his free time volunteering within the community.

In his role as Rustin's SRO, Officer Frascella hopes to accomplish the following:

- Ensure all students and staff feel safe and protected at school
- Help students understand the role of police in the community
- Show students how the police can help them if they are ever the victim of a crime
- Teach lessons on driver safety, the harmful effects of drugs and alcohol, and understanding the judicial system
- Provide an example to students of the importance of being a good citizen and giving back to their community



Handicap Parking Reminder

The white-striped section located next to a signed handicapped parking spot is not for parking. This includes those with handicapped parking permits. This area is designated to allow more room for those who need assistance getting in and out of vehicles, such as handicapped vans.

New Hires

Please join the Westtown-East Goshen Regional Police Department in welcoming our newest part-time officers, Devon Hindman and Nicholas Ruggeri.

Welcome Devon & Nicholas!

Devon Hindman

Devon Hindman was born and raised in Langhorne, PA, and graduated from Neshaminy High School. He attended West Chester University and earned both his bachelor's in criminal justice with a minor in white-collar crime and his master's degree in criminal justice. While at West Chester University Devon was the President of the Criminal Justice Student Association, a member of the American Criminal Justice Association, and a member of the Criminal Justice Honor Society. During the summer of his senior year in college, Devon was an intern at the Delaware County District Attorney's Office Criminal Investigation Division. After graduating from West Chester University, he went on to complete his Act 120 certification at the Delaware County Municipal Police Academy in December 2022.



While not at school or work, Devon enjoys spending time with his friends and family. Furthermore, Devon is an Executive Board Member of the Uptown String Band. He plays the alto saxophone and marches in the annual Philadelphia Mummers Parade. Through the band, he participates in numerous community events and fundraisers.

Nicholas Ruggeri

Nicholas was born and raised in West Chester, PA and attended West Chester Henderson high school. He received both his bachelor's and master's degrees from West Chester University, majoring in criminal justice. While pursuing his degrees, Nicholas served as an intern at the Chester County Detectives in 2019. Nicholas was also an employee of the Chester County District Attorney's Office where he was assigned to the pretrial unit shortly after his internship. Before coming to Westtown-East Goshen Police, he graduated the Delaware County Community College Municipal Police Academy in December of 2022.



Nicholas enjoys spending his time with friends and family and is an avid Philadelphia sports fan. He also enjoys going to the gym, watching movies, and learning about science.

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SAFE TRADE ZONE

Residents are encouraged to conduct transactions for online sales that were completed through websites such as Facebook Market Place, Craigslist, and eBay at the police department.

The police department has designated two parking spaces in front of the building as "Safe Trade" locations. These marked spaces are subject to twenty-four-hour video recording.

Additionally, the lobby of the police department, which is also under 24-hour video recording, will be open to persons wishing to conduct online transactions Monday - Friday, 9:00am to 3:00pm.

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What's Happening at Goshen Fire Company?



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Easter Flower Sale ☘ 4/7, 4/8 and 4/9

Mother's Day ☘ 5/12, 5/13, 5/14

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Pipeline Task Force

Please be aware that a formerly unused pipeline is now actively carrying natural gas through East Goshen. It cuts through the middle of Hershey Mill and crosses Paoli Pike by Tallmadge Drive, not far from the East Goshen Municipal building, before continuing into Westtown following Route 352. Just a few feet from Paoli Pike is a "blowdown" valve for this pipeline. A blowdown allows the pipeline operator, Adelphia, to safely vent methane into the air either as part of routine maintenance or a problem with the pipeline. The venting of gas is extremely loud. We have asked to be notified when this will happen. When given prior notice, East Goshen will use Constant Contact to email residents who have signed up to receive these notices. You can sign up for Constant Contact here: <https://eastgoshen.org/services/communication/constant-contact/> This is a short video that illustrates a blowdown so we all know what to expect: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vPBBfOy0GHw>



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May 6th, 2023

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9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

East Goshen Township

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Electronics will be recycled by eForce Compliance, Philadelphia's first Certified Responsible Recycler.

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Cameras	Keyboards
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\$10 per microwave, dehumidifier, air conditioner
All Data Media Will Be Destroyed or Wiped!



Environmental and Sustainability Advisory Council

SAVE THE DATE! Join us for an exciting Family event.
 Saturday April 15th from 1 to 5 pm. at the East Goshen Park.
THE FUTURE OF EVERYDAY LIFE:
A HEALTHIER PLANET AND A HEALTHIER YOU



Come participate in this free event jointly sponsored by both East and West Goshen Townships. Fun and informative for the entire family. Environment and sustainability focused vendors. Videos, demos, and local residents sharing their green home improvement experiences. Crafts and games for kids. Native plant gardening tips. EV cars and bikes to view.

We have prepared some helpful videos to preview before you attend. (Not a requirement for admission.) Contact Henry at henry.deh.alexander@gmail.com if you wish to view them. You'll be glad you did!

Jointly sponsored by both the West Goshen SAC, Sustainability Advisory Committee, and the East Goshen ESAC, Environmental and Sustainability Advisory Council.

(Sunday, April 16th is the Rain Date)



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Join us at the Marydell Pond Ribbon Cutting!

Township leadership and members of the Marydell Pond Project Committee would like to invite you to a ribbon cutting on Saturday, June 3rd at 10am. This simple, but important event, will mark the end of a very successful project. In 2016, the Township completed a comprehensive pond study, noting that many of our neighborhood centric bodies of water were in need of remediation. The Township created a plan to systematically improve these ponds, one at a time, beginning with Marydell Pond. The improvements included dredging the bottom to remove silt build up and the addition of a bubbler to improve and maintain high quality water levels. Acres of native plantings and low mow areas were added to improve the riparian buffer zone and ecological health of the natural space. It was also stocked, so we encourage everyone to come with a fishing pole as well! The Township will next move to Bow Tree Pond II in 2023, details to be announced as they are finalized. Please join us at the Marydell Pond for some remarks and a walk along the water's edge and perhaps some line casting!



East Goshen Township Electronic Payment Program – Sewer/Trash Bill

This optional program is offered as a complimentary service to our residents. If enrolled in the electronic payment program, we will still mail the utility bill so you know how much it is, but the invoice will indicate "STATEMENT ONLY". Utility bills are mailed on/around January 15th, April 15th, July 15th, and October 15th and are due at the end of the following months. When enrolled, we will pull the quarterly utility bill amount, from the bank account provided, on February 20th, May 20th, Aug 20th, and November 20th (or the next business day if these are a weekend).



To enroll in the electronic payment program, please complete the form found on our website at www.eastgoshen.org, select SERVICES, FORMS AND APPLICATIONS, ELECTRONIC PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION FORM and include a voided check.

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<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/electronics-recycling-anything-with-a-plug-tickets-515048613267>



November 4th, 2023

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1661 Paoli Pike

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

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is proud to offer local residents the opportunity to responsibly recycle obsolete electronics on Saturday, November 4, 2023.

This service is available to all residents and small businesses with fewer than 50 employees.

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Typewriters	Mice
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Microwaves	Fax Machines
Cameras	Keyboards
Cell Phones	Printers
Calculators	Air Conditioners

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East Goshen Municipal Authority

The Municipal Authority Embraces Sustainability

The EGMA has focused on managing the wastewater and major sewer assets of the Township to build a more sustainable operation for over a decade. The approach has been a multi-pronged effort with the goal of providing the expected level of service to meet regulatory requirements as well as the expectation and needs of residents. These major assets include 86 miles of sewer lines connecting the many Township neighborhood sewer systems, pumping stations, and the Ridley Creek Sewer Treatment Plant. The Municipal Authority upgraded and expanded the Plant (originally constructed in 1984) in 2010 to treat 750,000 gallons per day at a cost of **\$8.6M**. Currently there is **\$10.9M** of outstanding sewer obligations (including principal and interest). Additionally, we send an average of 800,000 gallons per day from the western portion of the Township via the Chester Creek Interceptor to West Goshen's Westtown Way Pump Station that pumps to the West Goshen Sewage Treatment Plant. This agreement contractually obligates ongoing Operating & Maintenance (O&M) costs as well as capital improvement costs paid to West Goshen Sewer Authority. Since 2017, this includes our portion of the **\$28M** comprehensive West Goshen Sewer Authority capital improvement plan (CIP) and upgrade of the Westtown Way Pump Station for over **\$5M**.

Mark Miller and the Public Works Department lead the proactive effort managing the sewer assets on the behalf of the Municipal Authority. Public Works is constantly conducting assessments of the entire sewer and pumping station system to plan, budget, and schedule repairs prior to failure occurring. The visible efforts for residents is the televising of sewers to assess structural sewer issues and eliminating non-sewage flows from the system, performing emergency repairs, and responding to calls from users. Even with preventative maintenance, unforeseen events occur such as the necessary replacement of the Hershey's Mill Estates Trunk Sewer, estimated to cost over **\$1M**. Future improvements and upgrades include the Ashbridge, Hunt Country, and Hershey Mill pump stations as well as relining old cement pipe in Supplee Valley, Lockwood Lane, Waterview, and Grand Oak. **Based on industry depreciation standards, we estimate that the majority of equipment at the Ridley Creek Sanitary Treatment Plant will have exceeded its anticipated life within 10 years and need replacement.**

The Municipal Authority is 100% funded through East Goshen Township's Sewer Operating Fund and Sewer Capital Reserve Fund. **These necessary investments in maintenance, capital improvements, and ongoing capital replacements has strained the financial stability of the MA to manage our sewer assets, producing a funding gap.** Asset Management can be defined as a "process for maintaining a desired level of customer service at the best appropriate cost." This process has the primary focus of long-term life cycle performance, rather than short-term, day-to-day aspects. Meeting our fiscal responsibility requires us to meet the annual operating budget, build sufficient reserves to address short-term and long-term needs, and provides us the opportunity to borrow monies under favorable rates and conditions. To address the funding gap, in 2022 the Municipal Authority requested that David Ware, the Township Finance Director, undertake an in-depth review of the monies needed to meet level of service and maintenance goals, current debt financing, and the forecasting of near and long-term capital investments with the assistance of the Public Works Department. The review indicated that the primary reason for the funding gap was due to the manner of sewer rate calculation – focusing on satisfying an annual budget, rather than a rolling full 10-year direct and indirect cost accounting of our assets. Sewer rates had only increased **0.5% per year** from 2012 to 2019, whereas annual inflation increased **1.6% per year**. After this analysis, East Goshen Township approved a **\$20 per quarter** increase in the fixed rate portion of the sewer rate, a first step in addressing the funding gap. **Our intention is that each July, Dave will evaluate the forecasted 10 year revenue, expense, and balance of the Sewer Operating Fund, Sewer Reserve Fund and the life-cycle of our sewer assets to ascertain whether the Municipal Authority's fiscal responsibilities are sustainable at the current sewer rates.** The goal is to maintain ownership of the sewer system, provide necessary regulatory and expected customer service levels, and sustain the system for the fore-seeable future through ongoing, modest rate increases rather than sell to a large water utility company and relinquish management of both service and rates. Continued Asset Management and proper funding will allow the East Goshen Municipal Authority and East Goshen Township to provide the level of expected wastewater treatment services at a reasonable cost.

Dana Pizarro – Municipal Authority Vice Chairman

David Ware – Finance Director

Mark Miller – Director of Public Works



Letter from Park and Recreation Commission

Spring is finally here and we couldn't be happier that sunny skies and chirping birds have returned to East Goshen Township parks. With the mild winter we had, the parks didn't actually venture into slumber mode, we had an unusually large number of people in the parks, which was great! But while the park remained busy, we were busy behind the scenes getting ready for a wonderful 2023 in the parks! We will kick things off on April 1st with our traditional Egg Hunt. It's always so wonderful to see so many kids race around collecting eggs, all searching for that magical golden egg with the top prize! And by the time the Egg Hunt "rolls" around, our sports leagues will all be kicking off their seasons! We have over fifteen sports organizations that use EGT Park throughout the spring and we love being their home fields.

Speaking of home..."hometown pride" is one of the categories in our first ever Township Photo Contest! What makes you proud about living in East Goshen Township? Capture it on film and send it on in! The Photo Contest is open only to Township residents, email submissions to egtphotocontest@eastgoshen.org by June 1st. We have great prizes in the youth category as well, but our winning Adult photo will be added to Locust Lane Brewery's beer can at this year's Food Truck Festival, similar to our "Blacksmith Shop" beer shown here!

We would like everyone to mark their calendars for June 24th for our favorite summer kickoff, Community Day! Fireworks, moon bounces, pony rides and more! But, we are especially thrilled that the JeffSTAT helicopter will be making its first landing at the event since 2019, should be fun!

Anyone like the movies? Of course you do! New in 2023, we're adding a VIP General Admission experience to the SE PA Teen Filmmakers Showcase! Tickets are just \$7, and include commemorative ticket, red carpet entrance, watching two hours of original film from local teens and a social afterwards where you can meet the teens and industry insiders!

All of our special events are made possible by a tremendous community organization, the Friends of East Goshen (FOEG). FOEG works with community leaders, businesses and organizations to financially support all of our big events like the Egg Hunt, Community Day and Pumpkin Festival. It is through their efforts that most of our larger events are 100% free to attend! They are also host super creative fundraisers like the Reindeer Meet and Greet and the upcoming EGT Park Camp Out! Speaking of the Camp Out, we are thrilled to be hosting this first time ever event! In order to ensure it is safe and fun in its first year, we are limiting ticket sales and it will likely be sold out by the printing of this newsletter. But, we look forward to expanding the event to allow for more residents to attend long into the future!

Last, but not least, we are pleased that the pickleball/tennis court renovation project will take place late spring/early summer. There has been tremendous growth in both tennis and pickleball, and we look forward to the installation of six permanent pickleball courts and one additional tennis court lined for two more pickleball courts. This is the best use of the space, and we look forward to a ribbon cutting in the future! For more information about the project's history, visit the township website.

That's it, we have another great year of programming in store for EGT Park and beyond! If you want the full run down of programming and special events, we encourage you to visit our websites!

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Parks & Recreation

CLASSES/PROGRAMS/CAMPS

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Junior Beekeeper Program

Age: 7-10

Session 1: May 2 and 3, 3:00pm-4:00pm

Session 2: May 9 and 10, 4:00pm-5:00pm

Description: This two day program will teach kids all about honey bees! They'll learn the parts of a bee hive, how to properly wear the beekeeper outfit and helmet, the bee colony annual cycle and interact with the bees! All Junior Beekeepers will wear a youth -sized beekeeper outfit and helmet. Our Junior Beekeeper Program will be led by Carmen Battavio of Carmen B's Honey.

Fee: Free

Register at eastgoshenpa.myrec.com



1/2 Day Crafting

Easter Candy Session: Thursday, April 6

Spring Session: Friday, April 21

Memorial Day Session: Tuesday, May 16

Time: 1:00pm to 4:00pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Children can spend the afternoon creating arts and crafts inspired by the session name.

Fee: \$35

Max Participants: 10 **Minimum Participants:** 4

Register at eastgoshenpa.myrec.com

Robotic Lego ½ Day

Age: 8 to 12

Session 2: Monday, April 10

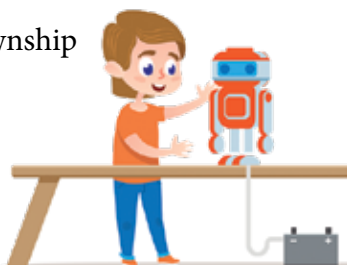
Session 3: Friday, April 21

Session 4: Tuesday, May 16

Time: 9:00am to 12:00pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Do your kids enjoy playing with Legos? Sign them up for our Robotics Lego program!



Kids will learn how to build Legos that move. There is no experience needed. This is a great introductory for our summer Lego camps.

Fee: \$35

Max Participants: 10 **Minimum Participants:** 4

Register at eastgoshenpa.myrec.com

Photography Camp

Dates: July 10 – July 14, 9a-12p, Ages 9+

For more information and to register:

<https://www.photography-workshop.net/2023-summer-kids-teens-camps>



Nature Warriors Seedlings

Date: Saturdays, May 13 to June 17

Time: 9:30am-10:30am

Age: 5 to 7

Description: Participants will learn about Seeds, Bees, Monarch's and other Pollinators, Pollinator Plants and Weeds with fun activities. There will be a kick off meeting on May 11 and we will be ending this program with a celebration on June 29.

Fee: Free – must register on myrec.com

Maximum participants: 10

Register at eastgoshenpa.myrec.com

Nature Warriors Saplings

Date: Saturdays, May 13 to June 17

Time: 9:30am-10:30am

Age: 6 to 8

Description: Participants will enjoy learning even more about Seeds as well as Pollinators and the Chain of Life, Trees, Birds and Unsung Garden Hero's. There will be a kick off meeting on May 11 and we will be ending this program with a celebration on June 29.

Fee: Free – must register on myrec.com

Maximum participants: 10

Register at eastgoshenpa.myrec.com



SPORT PROGRAMS

West Chester Junior Tennis League

Dates/times: Saturdays afternoons, starting this spring

Contact Information: Justin DePietropaolo, justin@phillyteamtennis.org or local.phillyteamtennis.org/

Tennis Camp

Age: 5-7 & 11-17

Session 1: June 19-22, rain date Friday, June 23

Session 2: July 10-13, rain date Friday, July 14

Session 3: July 24-27, rain date Friday, July 28

Time: 9:00am to 11:00am (Ages 5-7), 11:00-1:00pm (ages 11-17)

Location: East Goshen Park

Description: Our 10 and under players range from kids entering PK to the 4th grade. Kids are divided up into groups by age and ability. Our 8 and (usually 5-8 year old) will be playing and learning on 36 foot courts. Our 10 and under players (usually more experienced 8 year old and 9-10 year old will be playing and learning on 60 foot courts.

Fee: \$100

Contact Justin DePietropaolo at justin@phillyteamtennis.org with any questions!

Dates: Multiple weeks

Register at eastgoshenpa.myrec.com



West Chester Hoops Rec Basketball

Location: East Goshen Park

Dates/times: Spring

Contact Information: westchesterhoops@gmail.com or visit www.westchesterhoops.com

LevelUp Baseball Tournaments

Location: East Goshen Park

Dates/times: Weekends; July to October

Contact Information: Dan Leicht at danleicht@levelup-baseball.com or visit www.levelup-baseball.com

DubC Flag Football

Location: East Goshen Park

Dates/times: Spring & Fall Leagues

Contact Information: Steve at info@dubcflag.com or visit dubcflag.com

Healthy Kids Running Series

Location: East Goshen Park

Dates/times: Mid-April to May

Contact Information: Steve at info@dubcflag.com or visit dubcflag.com

Soccer Shots

Location: East Goshen Park

Dates/times: March to November

Contact Information: Steve at info@dubcflag.com or visit dubcflag.com



Great Valley Little League

Location: East Goshen Park

Dates/times: Spring & Fall Leagues

Contact Information: Steve at info@dubcflag.com or visit https://dubcflag.com

Yoga for Stress & Anxiety

"I am so stressed" is a common phrase heard daily from kids grade school to college as children deal with demanding schedules, pressure to excel, changing bodies, bullying and are bombarded with social media and technology. Signs of anxiety can include fatigue, muscle tension, sadness, restlessness, loss of interest, tiredness, feeling nervous, disturbance in sleep or appetite, excessive worry and depression. Yoga helps kids manage the stress & anxiety, develop healthy habits and emotional intelligence. In turn, this gives students more tools to lead healthy lifestyles as they move into adulthood. The sessions includes breathing exercises, guided relaxation and yoga poses appropriate for children.

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Instructor: Charo Evangelista

Fee: \$72

Kids: 9 – 12

Date: Tuesday, April 25 - June 6 (No class May 30)

Time: 4:00pm – 5:00pm

Teens: 13 – 17

Date: Wednesday, April 26 - June 7 (No class May 31)

Time: 4:00pm – 5:00pm



ADULT FITNESS PROGRAMS - AGES 18+

Introduction to ESSENTRICS® Aging Backwards.

Date: Saturday, April 12, 2023

Time: 10:00am - 11:00am

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Learn about this age reversing, slow paced, full body workout that will restore movement in your joints, flexibility in your muscles, relieve pain, stimulate your cells to increase energy and vibrancy and boost your immune system. Created by Miranda Esmonde-White, the New York Times best-selling author of Aging Backwards and host of the award-winning PBS special Aging Backwards, this workout draws on flowing movements of tai chi which create health and balance, the strengthening theories behind ballet which create long lean, flexible muscles and the healing principles of physiotherapy which create a pain free body.

Instructor: Charo Evangelista

Fee: \$20

ESSENTRICS® Aging Backwards

Session A: April 27 - June 8, 2023 (No class June 1)

Session B: June 15 - August 10, 2023 (no Class July 6)

Time: 5:30pm - 6:30pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: An age reversing, slow paced full body workout that will restore movement in your joints, flexibility in your muscles, relieve pain, stimulate your cells to increase energy, vibrancy and boost your immune system. This workout draws on the flowing movements of tai chi which create health and balance, the strengthening theories behind ballet which create long lean, flexible muscles and the healing principles of physiotherapy which create a pain free body. No matter your age or fitness level, this program is for you!

Instructor: Charo Evangelista

Fee: \$105 (each session)

Gentle Yoga

Date: Thursday, April 27 - August 10
(No classes June 1 & July 6)

Time: 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Suitable for seniors, beginners, and students who have taken yoga before looking for

a slower paced class. This slow paced class can help slow down the effects of the aging process by maintaining muscle softness and flexibility, keeping the mind alert and awake, encouraging relaxation and strengthening muscles and joints. Improve cardiovascular health, sleep, and balance encouraging the body, mind and spirit to remain healthy and strong.

Instructor: Charo Evangelista

Fee: \$ 105

Yoga Flow

Date: Tuesday, April 25 - August 8 (No classes May 30 & July 4)

Time: 5:30pm - 6:45pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Experience gentle Yoga flows, which combines posture, breath, focus, and meditation. With this practice you will notice that not only your body changes, but you also become aware of a subtle change in your approach to life, through persistently toning and relaxing the body and stilling the mind, you begin to glimpse a state of inner peace which is your true nature.

Instructor: Charo Evangelista

Fee: \$125

Zumba® Fitness with stationary weights, core and stretching

Date: Tuesdays 6:00pm-7:30pm

Location: East Goshen Elementary

Session 1: March 7- April 15

Session 2: April 11, 18, 25, May 9, 23

Description: 5 classes per session, \$50 per session, single class \$12

Virtual Zumba Toning with weights on zoom

Date: Wednesdays 6:00-7:00pm

Session 1: March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5, 12, 19

Session 2: May 3, 10, 17, 24, June 7, 14, 21

7 classes per session, \$50 per session, single class \$8

Virtual Zumba Toning with weights on zoom

Date: Saturdays, 9a-10a

Session 1: March 4, 11, 18, 25, April 1, 15, 22

Session 2: May 6, 13, 20, 27, June 3, 10, 17

7 classes per session, \$50 per session, single class \$8

Zumba Instructor Contact Information: Pamela Nelson at zumba2live@aol.com



ADULT/SENIORS

Adult Tennis Clinics

Dates: Spring and summer options

Description: Both beginner and advanced sessions during the day and evening available. Learn more and register at: eastgoshenpa.myrec.com

Fee: \$125

Senior MahJong

Dates: 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month

Time: 1:00pm-3:30pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Come join our beginning/intermediate Mahjong group. No instruction provided. You can come with or without tiles!

Fee: Free!



Senior Rummikub

Dates/Times: 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month

Time: 1:00pm-3:30pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Applebrook Golf Outings

Dates: Monday, May 8; Tuesday, June 27 and September 19

Format: The Monday outing is resident only, tee times starting at 9am. Residents can bring up to three guests for the June and September golf outings. The June and September outings have 1pm shotgun start tee times, preceded by a lunch on the veranda. Golfers can carry, use a pull cart (personal) or use a caddy but cannot change option once at the golf outing. To register, visit eastgoshenrec.com or contact Jason Lang at 610-692-7171.

Fee: \$115 (\$50 caddy fee)



Seniors Card Club

Date: Every Friday of the month

Time: 9:30am-12:00pm

Location: East Goshen Township Building

Description: Come join us as we play your favorite card games and more. Pinochle, Canasta, Mexican Train are very popular. We are happy to teach you if you don't know how to play.

Fee: Free!



BUS TRIPS



NYC Spring Day Bus Trip

Date: Saturday, May 13th

Departs West Chester: 7:00am

Departs NYC: 5:30pm

Description: There is no place better than NYC in the spring!

Whether you visit a museum, Central Park, the Statue of Liberty or just "people watch", there is always something new to do! To register, visit eastgoshenrec.com or contact Jason Lang at 610-692-7171. Expected arrival back in West Chester 8:00pm.

Fee: \$55

Tall Sails Trip

Date: Thursday, September 21

Departs West Chester: 10:00am

Arrives back in West Chester: 5:00pm

Description: Join us as we set sail on the Kalmar Nyckel!

We will depart mid-morning and head down to the Delaware Waterfront where you can have lunch on your own. Afterwards, we will head over to the shipyard for our private sail on Kalmar Nyckel

Fee: \$110



Jimmy Buffett's Margaritaville

Date: Thursday, October 26

Departs West Chester: 11:00am

Arrives back in West Chester: 5:30pm

Description: Join us as we go see Jimmy Buffet's Escape to Margaritaville at Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre in Lancaster. Lunch is included!

Fee: \$100



PAVILION RENTALS



Pavilion Rental Season - March 1 to December 31. Rentals can only be made for the current calendar year.

Group Size: Groups larger than 25 are required to submit a permit. Any organized group no matter the size wanting to use the pavilion for a specific date must submit a permit to guarantee the pavilion.

Pavilion Locations: Ira Hicks Pavilion is near the playground and the preferred pavilion for children's birthday parties. Veterans Pavilion is near the football field and is better for privacy and ADA Bathroom needs. Both pavilions have picnic tables, grills, electric, water access and are close to a bathroom facility. Grills are for charcoal only. No propane grills are permitted.

Time: We offer two time slots (9:00am to 2:00pm or 3:00pm to Dusk) or renting it for the entire day. Your allotted time includes set up and clean up.

Fee: Groups 25 or larger have the following fee

Time Slot (9:00am to 2:00pm or 3:00pm to Dusk)

\$100 - East Goshen Township Resident

\$200 - Non- Resident or Organization/Business

All Day (9:00am to Dusk)

\$200 - East Goshen Township Resident

\$400 - Non- Resident or Organization/Business

Payments: Checks only. Please make checks to East Goshen Township.

How to reserve a pavilion: We will hold your time and date for one week. After one week if we do not have your completed application and payment you are forfeiting your date and time slot.

Third Party Vendors: You may have moon bounces and other inflatables from a third party vendor. You need to provide copy of their Liability Insurance naming East Goshen as an Additional Insured.

To check pavilion availability or if you have questions about pavilion permits please contact Jessica Wilhelmy at jwilhelmy@eastgoshen.org or 610-692-7171

Parks and Recreation 2023 Event Schedule

Township Egg Hunt

April 1
East Goshen Park

Spring Yard Sale

April 15
Township Building

Toddler Trick or Treat

June 2
East Goshen Park

Camp Out

June 3
East Goshen Park

Community Day

June 24
East Goshen Park

Chester County Concert Band

July 6
East Goshen Park

SE PA Teen Film Festival

August 7
Exton Movie Tavern

Fall Yard Sale

September 16
Township Building

Chester County Art Walk

September 23
East Goshen Park

Food Truck Festival

October 14
East Goshen Park

Pumpkin Festival

October 14
East Goshen Park

Toddler Trick or Treat

October 27
East Goshen Park

Holiday Celebration & Christmas Tree Lighting

December 2
East Goshen Park

Reindeer Meet & Greet

December 2



Do you like EGT Park special events?

Consider a Friends of East Goshen donation! Each year, EGT Park is the host to a tremendous amount of programming and special events, with many of the larger events like Community Day and the Pumpkin Festival, offered for free to event participants. While we work with many local businesses, organizations and companies who graciously donate, pony rides and fireworks aren't cheap! You would be amazed at how quickly small, family donations add up! My fellow Friends of East Goshen members and I ask you to consider making a donation to help make 2023 EGT Park special events the best yet! You can learn more about the Friends of East Goshen and conveniently make online donations at <https://friendsofeastgoshe.org/>

- Dan Leicht, Friends of East Goshen, Chair

Special Events

Brandywine Baseball Club, home games

Dates: 4/21, 4/29, 5/21, 6/3, 9/9 (11am – 4pm)

Location: East Goshen Township Park, past football field

Description: Did you know the Brandywine Baseball Club, that plays 1860s style baseball, has called EGT Park home since 2018! No gloves, “lemon peel” hand-stitched baseball...a very different game! The general public is encouraged to come and watch!



Chester County Concert Band performance

Date: Thursday, July 6; 7pm-8pm

Location: East Goshen Township Park, stage

Description: The Chester County Concert Band, founded in 1981, is a large community band (over 90 players) consisting of musicians from Chester County and surrounding counties. Join us in the park under a sunny sky for a wonderful performance!



Chester County Art Walk

Description: Teen Art Contest - Open to all Chester County High School Students! We've been awarded an America Walk/General Motors Grant to support a \$500 first place prize! All art mediums accepted and should be themed around “walkability” or “movement”. Email an image of your work to Assistant@chestercountyarts.org by Sept 1 to enter! All entries will be displayed at a special section of the Art Walk on Sept 23! Call for Artists: The Art Walk is currently accepting Artist applications through April 3rd at <https://www.chestercountyarts.org/events.html>



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ENTRY TIME PERIOD: **March 1 - June 1**

All Finalists displayed at Community Day, June 24!

Adult Grand Prize

PICTURE WILL APPEAR ON A
LOCUST LANE BREWERY LABEL AT THE
FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL, OCTOBER 15!

Youth Grand Prize

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PHOTO CONTEST RULES:



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Questions? Email Jason at: jang@eastgoshen.org

EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP

SPRING YARD SALE

**Saturday, April 15th
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20+ YARD SALE VENDORS AT THE
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East Goshen Township

COMMUNITY DAY

SATURDAY, JUNE 24

Rain Date June 25

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EAST GOSHEN PARK

5:00PM TO FIREWORKS

* Community Booths * Face Painting * Food Trucks

* JeffSTAT Helicopter * Moon Bounces

* Music * Petting Zoo * Pony Rides



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East Goshen Township Parks and Recreation
& Movie Tavern Exton present



SE PA TEEN

Filmmakers Showcase

MOVIE TAVERN EXTON
AUGUST 7, 2023
5:00PM

Calling all teenage filmmakers! Submit your original film or video via FilmFreeway now through June 1, 2023. Official Selections will be invited to the Movie Tavern in Exton to see their film on the big screen! For more info about this event scan the QR Code on the right or contact jang@eastgoshen.org

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Event Info



**GENERAL
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AUG. 7 @ 6PM - \$7.00



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Toddler Trick or Treat

FRIDAY, JUNE 2 & OCTOBER 28



BUSINESSES, COMMUNITY GROUPS & ORGANIZATIONS NEEDED!
SCAN QR CODE FOR MORE INFO

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Conservancy Board Events – Get Involved!

The Conservancy Board here in East Goshen Township serves to protect the Township through conservation efforts and we could use your help! We are going to be very busy this year and would love to have more volunteers to help us! Please contact cbchair@eastgoshen.org to get involved! Here are some upcoming events we would love to have your participation in:

Keep East Goshen Beautiful Day – April 22, 2023
8am-11am - meet at the township building and get a location to pick up litter around the township!

Arbor Day celebration! Come join us the same morning as the KEGB day for the Arbor Day planting in Clymer's Woods. Time TBD.

We are currently in the process of applying to be a TREE CITY! Stay tuned for our progress!

We will be doing a planting in the fall of 2023 and could use your help! Stay tuned for more information on this and the exact dates of planting!

We are looking to continue to install Bee Hives (like the ones near the Plank house and Boardwalk area) to teach more residents about the importance of bees.

Please think about coming to our monthly meetings – the Conservancy Board meets the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm – we would love to meet you and hear what areas of conservation you are interested in!

We hope to see more residents out and about in the Township and look forward to meeting you!

Sandy Snyder

Conservancy Board Chairman



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