

**EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP  
CONSERVANCY BOARD MEETING  
January 10, 2024**

The East Goshen Township Conservancy Board held a regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, January 10, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Building. Members in attendance are indicated in **BOLD**:

Sandra Snyder, Chairman  
**Dan Flynn, Vice Chairman**  
**Erich Meyer**  
Scott Sanders  
**Walter Wujcik**  
**Karen Martynick**  
Matthew McGeehan

**Others present were:**

**Cody Bright, Township Supervisor**  
Ashley Nowak, Office Administrator  
**Eunice Alexander, Goshen Tree Tenders**  
Peg Friese, Goshen Tree Tenders  
**Julia Ross, Resident**

**Call to Order**

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

**Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence**

Dan led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance and then asked for a moment of silence to remember our troops, first responders, military, and all veterans.

**Minutes**

The minutes of the December 13, 2023 meeting were approved as amended.

**Chairman's Report**

**1. Election of Officers**

This will be delayed until the February meeting because the BOS did not reappoint the list of ABC members which included Sandy on the CB.

**2. Review of Goals** – This will be reviewed at the February meeting. Eunice asked if the ABCs can assist each other with their goals. Karen spoke about the work the CRC Watersheds did in 2023. Eunice spoke about the ash trees that have died and need to be replaced. Cody mentioned that the plan for the Reservoir Dam area should be done by April. The CB would look at this again.

**Tree City USA**

Eunice is keeping track of the hours the Tree Tenders are doing in maintenance of the trees and gave those numbers to Ashley. Dan should check with Ashley to see if she submitted this year's application.

### **Educational Workshops**

Dan talked with Meghan at Penn State. The walking tour was discussed. Dan was thinking of just using Applebrook Park because you can see what the riparian plantings are doing. Dan thought this could be put on a residential level so people could see what they should do at their home, apartment, etc. The tour should be done in early May.

They should have the indoor presentation in March. It should cover the following:

- environmentally friendly yards
- reducing pollution
- Stormwater runoff
- Watershed friendly items

Karen suggested “We All Live Up Stream” as a title for the presentation. Dan will check with Ashley to see what dates are available for the large conference room.

### **Old Business**

None

### **New Business**

None

### **Liaison Reports -**

**1. Municipal Authority** - Walter reported that the plant was in compliance for all of 2023. He mentioned the new UV system and new auto feed system they are installing.

**2. Board of Supervisors** - Cody mentioned that Thornbury has dropped out of the WEGO Police Commission. They will use the State Police.

**Any Other Matter** - None

**Board Member Concerns** - None

**Public Comment**- When asked Julia explained that she just retired and has been involved in environmental climatology so she wanted to see what the CB does.

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business, Walter moved to adjourn the meeting. Erich seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m. The next meeting will be Wednesday, February 14, 2024 at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth Kiefer, Recording Secretary