

AGENDA
EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP
CONSERVANCY BOARD MEETING
1580 Paoli Pike, 2nd Floor
October 9, 2024 - 7:00 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE / MOMENT OF SILENCE
2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. **September 11, 2024**
3. CHAIRMAN’S REPORT
 - a. **Update on creek water quality and testing**
 - b. **General Comments**
4. Tree City USA
 - a. **2024 Application Update and Growth Award**
5. EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS
 - a. **Status of 2nd Workshop**
6. OLD BUSINESS:
 - a. **Blue Bird Boxes – current status/future outlook**
 - b. **New tree plantings in Applebrook Park/Supplee – Springtime issues, Future tree**
 - c. **Stream water testing**
 - d. **Newsletter Winter/Spring 2025 Article due October 29th**
7. NEW BUSINESS
 - a. **Open input**
8. SUBDIVISION / LAND DEVELOPMENT REVIEW
9. VARIANCES/CONDITIONAL USES – None
10. LIAISON REPORTS
11. CORRESPONDENCE
12. DATES OF IMPORTANCE

<i>Date</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Time</i>
October 10	Pipeline Task Force	7:00pm
October 14	Township Office Closed	
October 15	Board of Supervisors	7:00pm
October 21	Municipal Authority	7:00pm
October 22	Planning Commission	7:00pm
October 28	ESAC	6:30pm
November 5	Election Day/Township Office Closed	
November 7	Park & Rec Commission	7:00pm
November 11	Veteran’s Day Event @ EGT Park	10:00am
November 13	Conservancy Board	7:00pm
November 14	Pipeline Task Force	7:00pm
November 18	Municipal Authority	7:00pm
November 19	Board of Supervisors	7:00pm

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- 13. BOARD MEMBER CONCERNS
- 14. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 15. ADJOURNMENT

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CONSERVANCY BOARD MEETING
September 11, 2024

The East Goshen Township Conservancy Board held a regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, September 11, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Building. Members in attendance are indicated in **BOLD**:

Dan Flynn, Chairman
Karen Martynick, Vice Chairman
Erich Meyer
Julie Ross
Sandra Snyder
Walter Wujcik

Others present were:

Cody Bright, Township Supervisor
Ashley Nowak, Office Administrator
Eunice Alexander, Goshen Tree Tenders
Peg Friese, Goshen Tree Tenders
Christi Marshall, Chairman of ESAC

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 first responders especially those who died on 9/11/2001.

Minutes

The minutes of the August 14, 2024 meeting were approved as drafted.

Chairman's Report

Dan thanked Ashley for her help with the notice for the Community Dog Walk this Saturday.

Educational Workshops -

There will be a walk through Applebrook Park this Saturday September 14, 2024 for people and their dogs. It will start at 9:00 a.m. in the Chamber parking lot. They will walk from there to Clymer's Woods. Shelley LeMarquand from the East Goshen Veterinary Center will lead the walk.

The next workshop will be in the spring.

Old Business

1. Blue Bird Boxes - Dan mentioned that 10 new blue bird boxes have been installed. The future outlook is to have them clean and ready in the spring/end of March 2025.

2. KEGBD 2025 - At the October meeting they will select a date so an article can be ready for the township newsletter by 10/25 for the January newsletter. There was discussion about different ways to advertise mostly on social media/Facebook.

1 **3. Tree Plantings** – Dan commented on all the work Eunice has done with the new trees in
2 Applebrook and thanked her for it. She supplied a survey she did in May listing the location
3 of the trees, type, size, and condition. Eunice spoke about the deer, mice, and Japanese
4 beetles. Also, the trees need to be weeded and watered. She feels we are in a drought.
5 There was discussion about watering the new trees. Dan will email Mark Miller. Sandy also
6 thanked Eunice for the report.
7 Tree planting is usually done the first weekend in November. Sandy made a motion to
8 spend \$1,800- 2,000.00 to plant trees in November. Walter seconded the motion. The
9 motion passed unanimously. They will take a walk in October to stake the area. The species
10 will be selected later.

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12 **2. Stream Water Testing** – Dan contacted the office of our State Representative, Chris Pielli.
13 They provided Dan with information about possible grants. Lauren McGrath, of the
14 Willistown Conservation Trust, could not be here tonight but will be at next month’s
15 meeting. There was discussion about the local streams.

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17 **New Business**

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20 **Liaison Reports**

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24 **Public Comment**

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28 **Adjournment**

29 There being no further business, Sandy moved to adjourn the meeting. Walter seconded the
30 motion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m. The next meeting will be Wednesday,
31 October 9, 2024 at 7:00 pm.

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37 Ruth Kiefer, Recording Secretary