

AGENDA
EAST GOSHEN TOWNSHIP
CONSERVANCY BOARD MEETING
1580 Paoli Pike, 2nd Floor
April 8, 2026

1. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/MOMENT OF SILENCE
2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. 3/11/26 meeting
3. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT
 - a. Review of '26-27 Goals
4. NEW BUSINESS
 - a. Applebrook tree planting and maintenance
 - b. Discussion of potential public workshops/sessions for 2026
 - *The Trees of Clymer's Woods: Tree identification and tree labeling in Clymer's Woods* by Goshen Tree Tenders
 - *Bring Back the Pollinators* by Peg Friese
 - *Bioblast in the Park*: use iNaturalist and set a challenge: identify 100 species EGT Park; maybe challenge West Goshen Township?
 - Dog walk with ?? theme
 - c. Highlighting the Clymer's Woods Restoration Project
 - d. Applebrook tree maintenance
5. OLD BUSINESS
 - a. Confirm KEGB/Arbor Day Plans
 - b. Update on Wood Duck Box project
 - c. Tree City application update
 - d. Bird Town PA update
6. SUBDIVISION/LAND DEVELOPMENT REVIEW – None
7. VARIANCES/CONDITIONAL USES – None
8. LIAISON REPORTS – None
9. BOARD MEMBER CONCERNS
10. PUBLIC COMMENT
11. ADJOURNMENT

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CONSERVANCY BOARD MEETING
March 11, 2026

The East Goshen Township Conservancy Board held a regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, March 11, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Building. Members in attendance are indicated in **BOLD**:

Julie Ross - Chairman
Walter Wujcik - Vice Chairman
Jackie Ahlborn
Julieta Calmon
Erich Meyer
Sandra Snyder
Susan Vanesse

Others present were:

Ann Duffield, Township Supervisor
Ashley Nowak, Office Administrator
Eunice Alexander, Goshen Tree Tenders
Peg Friese, Goshen Tree Tenders
Nada Neskovic, West Chester East Environmental Club
Robert Murray, ESAC Member

Call to Order

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

Pledge of Allegiance & Moment of Silence

Julie led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance and then asked for a moment of silence to remember our First Responders.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the February 11, 2026 meeting were approved.

Chairman's Report -

Julie spoke about the Biennial Planning Session that was held last night. She commented about how interesting it was and how much all of the ABCs do for the township. She feels the CB should work more with ESAC. Ann encouraged members to go online and see the reports that were given by the ABCs and learn what they do.

New Business -

1. Public Workshops - There was discussion about when to have a public workshop. May or September were mentioned. Topics mentioned were "Mow the Meadows" "Invasives". Walter commented on the success of the Dog Walk in Applebrook Park. Eunice mentioned that Peg Friese does presentations about native bees. Ashley suggested checking the Newtown website for speakers.

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2 2. Tracking Goals - Julie mentioned that she feels the goals listed for 2026 & 2027 should
3 be a new item on the agenda. Everyone agreed.
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6 **Old Business**

7 1. 971 Cornwallis - Julie reported that the CB members met on February 27, 2026 and took
8 a site walk of the area. They had an arborist that walked with them. Walter mentioned that
9 there are a lot of dead trees on the property. Julieta commented that there was a lot of
10 water in the area. She mentioned the Beech Tree disease. Eunice attended a meeting about
11 the Beech Tree disease. She will write an article about it for the township newsletter.
12 Ashley noted that the deadline is June 30 for the September newsletter.
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15 2. KEGB Day - It is scheduled for April 25, 2026. Participants can come to the Township
16 building to get supplies. CB members should be there at 8 am. Ashley has sent out notices
17 about KEGB Day. Julieta checked that participants can pick up trash anytime that weekend.
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20 3. Arbor Day - It is scheduled for April 24, 2026. Walter mentioned that they usually
21 replace a dead tree in Clymer's Woods. A Supervisor is there for the ceremony and reading
22 of the proclamation. Susan suggested replacing a tree in Applebrook Park. Eunice feels the
23 tree replacement can be done anywhere in the township. This will be decided at the next
24 meeting
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27 4. Wood Duck Box Project - The boxes have been constructed and areas marked in
28 Applebrook near Bellingham.
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31 5. PECO Tree Give Away - Ashely reported that they will have the trees at the Veterans
32 Pavilion on April 23, 2026. Of the 100 trees, the CB will get 5 and any that are not taken.
33 Eunice suggested that the residents fill out a form to tell where they want to put the tree.
34 Then they can get advice on how to plant it.
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37 6. Tree City USA - Ashley reported that the application for this year is in final review.
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40 **Subdivision/ Land Development Review** - None
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43 **VariANCES/Conditional Uses** - None
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46 **Liaison Reports** -

47 1. BOS - Ann will remind the BOS at their meeting next week about KEGB Day. She asked
48 everyone to attend BOS meetings when they can. She mentioned that the Comprehensive
49 Plan review is being discussed.
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1 **Correspondence - None**

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4 **Board Member Concerns – None**

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7 **Public Comment** –

8 1. Eunice introduced herself to the new board members. She encouraged lots of advertising
9 for KEGB Day and Arbor Day. She met with Ashely and Mark Miller about Supplee Valley
10 and Mark did the work that had to be done. Many of the new trees are 5 – 6 inches wide
11 now and don't require the wire fencing. She commented that the CRC should have a
12 manager assigned to the trees that they planted in Applebrook.

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15 **Adjournment**

16 There being no further business, Walter moved to adjourn the meeting. Erich seconded the
17 motion. The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m. The next meeting will be Wednesday,
18 April 8, 2026 at 7:00 pm.

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25 Ruth Kiefer, Recording Secretary

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