

**East Goshen Township
Environmental and Sustainability Advisory Council Meeting
Agenda**

August 24, 2026

East Goshen Township Building
6:30 PM

1. Call to Order
2. Board Advisor Report
3. Old Business
 - A. Current Solar Update
 - B. Composting Pilot Update
 - C. Nature Challenge
 - D. Conservancy Topic Survey
 - E. Lithium Battery Collection Event
4. New Business- 20 min
 - A. Budget Request for 2027 discussion
5. Approve minutes
 - A. June 22, 2026 and July 27, 2026
6. Treasurer Report
7. Public Comments
8. Adjourn Meeting: Motion by _____ and Seconded by _____ or by
Unanimous Consent

Future Dates of interest:

Sep 19 – Lithium Battery Collection

Sep 20 – Nature Challenge kickoff

Sept 20- 27 Nature Challenge

**East Goshen Township
Environmental and Sustainability Advisory Council Meeting
June 22, 2026
DRAFT**

Present: Mary Krueger, Chairperson, Kennan Flanagan, Maria O'Hara, Robert Murray, Kimberly Schaffer, Amory Stedman, Derek Stedman, Larry Massaro (Board liaison), Jess Wilhelmy (EG liaison)

Liaison: None

Minutes:

Kennan made a motion to approve the April 27, 2026 minutes.

Derek seconded.

Motion carried 7-0.

Treasurers Report: None

Old Business

Solar Discussion

Mary stated she would like to talk with West Goshen about their solar panels.

Larry suggested looking at smaller township parcels.

Composting Resolution

Larry went over the Composting Resolution.

Derek made a motion to represent the resolution as is.

Kennan seconded.

Motion carried 7-0.

Goshen 250 Nature Challenge status

Mary updated the Goshen 250 Nature Challenge.

Finalize actions for Monarch Mayor Challenge

Amory went over the Monarch Mayor Challenge.

Support Conservancy seminar topic survey on township website

Mary discussed the Conservancy seminar topic survey.

New Business

Review article for Sept newsletter

Mary asked for feedback for the article for the September newsletter.

Review proposed plastic survey for Sept newsletter

Mary went over the survey for the newsletter.

Lithium Battery collection in conjunction with township garage sale

The Lithium Battery collection will be held on September 19, 2026.

Public Comments: None

Adjourn Meeting: Motion by Derek and Seconded by Bob (8:01PM)

**East Goshen Township
Environmental and Sustainability Advisory Council Meeting
July 27, 2026
Draft Minutes**

Present: Mary Krueger, Chairperson, Kennan Flanagan, Maria O'Hara, Robert Murray, Kimberly Schaffer, Amory Stedman, Derek Stedman, Larry Massaro, (Board liaison), Jess Wilhelmy (EG liaison)

Liaison: None

Minutes: None

Treasurers Report: None

Old Business

Current Solar status

Larry provided an update on the current solar status. There is still work to be done and they need to identify a location.

Composting Pilot

Mary announced the Board of Supervisors passed the pilot program.

Kennan suggested to start planning for what happens after the pilot program ends.

Nature Challenge

Mary announced the Nature Challenge will have a kick off meeting September 20 and start September 26.

Conservancy Topic Survey

Mary went over the survey results from the conservancy topic survey. She asked members to help with the tops. Derek, Kennan and Maria offered to help.

Lithium Battery Collection Event

Mary announced the Lithium Battery Collection Event will be in conjunction with the Fall Yard Sale on September 19. She received the paper work and has reviewed it.

Plastic Bag status

Larry provided an update on the Plastic Bag status. The Board of Supervisors would like to hold off on the ordinance so ESAC and the Board can focus on other projects this year.

Birdtown USA Status

Mary announced the Birdtown USA was approved at the last Board of Supervisors meeting.

New Business**Garbage contract input**

Mary asked the council to send a letter to the Board of Supervisors with suggestions to help with the contract and provide ways to reduce waste.

Mosquito Education

Tabled for the next meeting.

Matias G ideas

Matias provided suggestions for food waster and mowing.

Public Comments:

Amory recommended everyone read the New York Times article on Virtuous Garden that was published on July 17.

Adjourn Meeting: Motion by Bob and Seconded by Maria (8:02PM)