

**RARITAN TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION/GREEN TEAM**  
**MEETING AGENDA FOR MEETING TUESDAY, JUNE 5 2018**

**CALL TO ORDER** – The meeting was called to order by Michelle Cavalchire, Chairperson, at 7:30 pm at the Raritan Township Municipal Building, One Municipal Drive, Flemington, NJ 08822.

**ROLL CALL** – In attendance were commission members: Michelle Cavalchire, Amy Green, Ray Simonds, Grace Mitchko and Jayne Gilbert. Absent members include: Lori Kugler, Kathy Hale, Rezaul Karim, Rob Ivanoff and Township Committee Liaison.

**PUBLIC COMMENT** – Ms. Sauchau discussed the land owned by the N.J. Dept. of Transportation. She commented that many of the trees and plants have virus affecting them. She also commented that the NJDP is killing animals. Township Committee member Louis Reiner commented on the issue of deer killed on the roads.

**COUNTY HEALTH DEPT. TICK EDUCATION PROGRAM** – The Tick Education flyers are ready for distribution to Parks and Recreation.

**GREEN TEAM** – No report.

**COMMUNITY FORESTRY** – – No report

**OPEN SPACE** – Amy Green reported that 42 acres was purchased with 30% funding from the County, 60% funding from Non-Profit organization and 10% from Hunterdon County. The Lenape Park run-off to the stream has algae and invasive species of plants along the shore. The Township is storing dirt on the property. The Cemetery proposal (off rt. 523) was discussed.

**TREASURER** – No report

**PLANNING Board** – The letter requesting an application for a permit for 118 Featherbed Rd was discussed. The Hollenback property sub-division was approved go to the Planning Board

**CORRESPONDENCE** – None

**OLD BUSINESS** – Rain Garden Maintenance is ongoing. Volunteers are needed for June 16.

**NEW BUSINESS** – Emerald Ash Borer training provided by Hunterdon Land Trust June 18 at Dvoor Farm 7 pm. Electric Vehicle webinar is June 14, 6 – 7pm. Raritan Township Community Day will be 9/29/2018. County Fair will be 8/22 – 26, 10am to 10 pm. College of NJ will have a Sustainability Summit on 6/29.

**SITE PLAN REVIEW** – None

**ADJOURNMENT** – The meeting was adjourned at 8:43 pm. The next meeting will be July 2.