

**East Pikeland Township
Environmental Advisory Council**

**Meeting Minutes
April 25, 2019**

Present: Betsy Burns, Janet Burgoon & Samantha Uyeno
Absent: Milissa Hirst & Dennis Ray
Staff: Michelle Rubin

Meeting started at 7:05pm

Minutes from the April meeting were approved without changes.

New Business

1. Environmental Assessment Satiro Property
 - The assessment was approved unanimously.

Old Business

1. May Board of Supervisors Report Summary
 - Milissa attended the meeting and reported the EAC's recent accomplishments and projects
2. EAC Conference Summary
 - Michelle and Dennis attended the EAC Conference. Michelle gave a brief summary of the sessions she attended about the Spotted Lanternfly and potential grant sources. Dennis will provide a summary at the next EAC meeting.
3. Bird Walk Summary
 - Partnered with French and Pickering Creeks Conservation Trust. Around 20 people were in attendance, they saw 16 types of birds. A pair of binoculars were donated by French Creek Outfitters.
4. Shred Event Summary
 - Betsy reported that the event was successful, two truckloads of shredding were collected.
5. Tree Planting along the French Creek Trail Summary
 - The event was very successful—43 volunteers planted 200 native trees in 2 hours.
6. Kimberton Fair Update
 - The EAC has been approved to have a table. Milissa is following up with the PA Extension to see if they want to partner with us. Michelle asked committee members to find useful handouts for the table. Deliver them to the township and she will make copies.
7. Ready for 100 Updates/Resolution
 - The committee will discuss the resolution at an upcoming meeting on Thursday, May 30.
8. EAC newsletter
 - Send Michelle articles, images, handouts, etc.

Public Comment

- Michelle reported that the Township has officially purchased the 115-acre Crouse property for \$5.2M on May 14.

Adjourned at 7:45pm