

# **ABINGTON TOWNSHIP**

**JULY 12, 2023**



## **ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING**



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### **A G E N D A** **July 12, 2023** **7:00 PM**

There are two ways for the public to participate in the meeting: online or by phone. Residents can access the meeting online, by a computer, iPad, iPhone or Android at <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87991855571>. This link will enable residents to hear the meeting and see presentations. There will be no video capabilities. Residents, who are unable to join online, can listen to the meeting by calling 1-929-436-2866 and entering the meeting ID number 879-9185-5571 when prompted.

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#### **CALL TO ORDER**

#### **ROLL CALL**

#### **CONSIDER APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- A. Motion to approve minutes from Environmental Advisory Council meeting of June 14, 2023

#### **ACTIVE BUSINESS**

- A. New member welcome
- B. Associate Member Nominations
- C. Rain Barrell Program Updates (Karin)
- D. LD 23-02 – Mt. Carmel Ave. Subdivision plan review (Susan)
- E. [2023 CDP Cities Annual Questionnaire Response](#) due July 25, 2023, [2022 Feedback Report](#) and [previous Abington Township responses](#) (Cakky)
- F. Composting Coalition Update (John/Andrea)
- G. Plastic Coalition Update (Karin/Andrea)
- H. Township Recreation, Parks, and Open Space Board update (Karin)

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Meadowbrook Nature Preserve (AS) - aka Boy Scout Preserve
- B. Abington Township EAC web page updates (AS)
- C. Abington Township GIS (AS)
- D. Birdtown Mini Grant Application
- E. EAC Network Fall Gathering (Oct 21) and Survey
- F. July and August Volunteer Opportunities
  - A. July 31 – Abington Pre Night out – DID YOU KNOW theme
  - B. August 09 – Education Program at Abington Township Library

## **CITIZENS' COMMENTS AND RESPONSES**

**NEXT MEETING** *Wednesday, August 9, 2023 at 7:00 pm*

## **ADJOURNMENT**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS**

**Abington Township Environmental Advisory Council (EAC)**

**email:** [EAC@AbingtonPA.gov](mailto:EAC@AbingtonPA.gov)

**website:** [AbingtonPA.gov/EAC](http://AbingtonPA.gov/EAC)

[facebook.com/Abington.EAC](https://facebook.com/Abington.EAC)

**All are welcome to our public meetings on the second Wednesday of every month, at 7:00 pm**

## **BOARD POLICY ON PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

### **For Information Purposes Only**

The Township shall conduct business in accordance with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Laws governing the conduct of public meetings and only establish guidelines that shall govern public participation at meetings consistent with the law.

Each commenter shall:

- Direct their comments to the Presiding Officer;
- Speak from the podium or into a microphone designated by the presiding officer;
- State their name for the record;
- Either orally or in writing provide their address for the record;
- Have a maximum of three minutes to make their comments. Each commenter when speaking to a specific agenda item, is to keep their comments relative to that identified agenda item;
- Speak one time per agenda item;
- When commenting on non-agenda items, the commenter is to keep their comments related to matters of the Township of Abington, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.
- State a question to the Presiding Officer after all commenters have spoken, and;
- Be seated after speaking or upon the request of the presiding officer;
- Not engage in debate, dialogue or discussion;
- Not disrupt the public meeting, and;
- Exercise restraint and sound judgement in avoiding the use of profane language, and the maligning of others.