



Environmental Advisory Committee

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Date: Wednesday, January 04, 2023

Location: 1014 Darby Rd, Havertown, Pa., 19083 - Room C

Time: 7:30 P.M.

EAC AGENDA

Haverford Twp EAC – Wed. Jan 4, 2023 at 7:00 pm, ConfRmC/Conf. Call

EAC Members 2021-2022: Noel Smyth (1 - Gondek) – Joy Baxter (2 - Forste-Grupp) – vacant (3 - McClusky) – Melisa Romano (4 - Trombetta) – Victor Barsky (5 - Cavender) – Rob Graff (6 - Holmes) – Henry Eichman (7 - Quinn) – Peter Puglionesi (8 - Hart) – Hank Schwab (9 - Wechsler) – EAC Appointees – Steven Clark; Commissioner Liaison – Judy Trombetta; Eileen Mottola - Township Liaison.

1. Meeting Minutes - Review/Approval

2. Priority for Action

- Reorganization: Select Chair/Co-chairs for 2023
- Nominations and voting for EAC Appointees
- PECO home energy audit booths for events – they are willing to come to block parties on up – how to spread the word?

3. Calendar of EAC or related workshops/events/outreach

The website created as suggested in the climate action plan, Haverford Climate Action: **419** visitors in the last 30 days (6,232 total), our biggest outreach tool

January 16th 7pm Backyard Composting Workshop [virtual]

Jan 28th 10am: Haverford Recycling Workshop (in person at CREC)

February 16th 7pm: Solar for your home [virtual]

February 22nd 7pm: Heat Pumps 101 [virtual]

March 9th 7pm: Demystifying EV ownership

March 25th 8-11am: Shredding event [township building]

April 23rd, 7pm: Climate Adaptation Discussion for Haverford Township [

May 8th 7pm: Backyard Composting Workshop [virtual] (tentative)

May 11th 7pm: Heat Pump 101 [virtual] (tentative)

June 24th 9am-1pm: Large E-waste event [township building]

Summer Haverford Recycling Workshop [virtual] (tentative)

August 26th 8-11am: Shredding event [township building]

October 11th 7pm: Backyard Composting Workshop [virtual] (tentative)

Nov 25th 9am-1pm: Large E-waste event [township building]

Fall 7pm Heat Pump 101 [virtual] (tentative)

Fall EV (if well attended in Spring)

4. Social Media & Outreach Subcommittee Update. JB, MR

Signs and (half sheet) info scheduled for shredding and Large E-waste events

5. Climate Action Subcommittee Update. SC, RG, JB, NS, JS, MR to report:

Quarterly Climate Meeting –next meeting March 10th 11am

Township Solar Committee – In budget

Solarize marketing– (MR, NS, AM, JM), other PR.

Regional municipal/county update (DelCo Sustainability Commission, Solar PPAs).

Expand Residential Tree Canopy - (NS)

Ordinance subcommittee- have not met yet not started (NS, JB, PP)

6. Recycling and Composting Subcommittee Update. MR, AD, JB, HE to report:

Composting grant award tentative – JB working on RFP for consultant, working out logistics of township incentives with composting companies

Beyond the Blue Bin recycling group –yearly totals

-reusable and paper bag (take a bag/leave a bag) added at an individual home

Recycling/Composting Technical Assistance Grant (PA DEP, – still on hold by state)

7. Storm Water & Rain Garden Subcommittee: County model ordinance is out

Updated Stormwater / Curb Connection Ordinance and Twp. Subdivision Design Standards).

100 Rain Gardens Initiative. raingarden grant money

8. HHS Liaison on Env. Club Collaboration

HHS Liaison on HHS Env. Club on planned and possible future collaboration projects.

9. Superfund Site: There will be a public comment period coming soon due to construction of a permanent water decontamination plant to replace the temporary unit.

10. Volunteer opportunities: Solarize Delco: Volunteers needed to screen calls/ online support,
Waste Diverter Volunteers for HavTwp Day/ other festivals

11. New Business