

Team is hosting an Outdoor Hike on January 1, 2023 at 11:00 a.m. at the Skyline Drive Lower Parking Lot.

Planning Board/Board of Adjustment: Chairman Lee Haymon advised that a public hearing is scheduled for December 8, 2022.

OLD BUSINESS:

2023 Meeting Dates: Borough Secretary Michael Carelli distributed the 2023 Meeting Dates, which were previously voted upon.

NEW BUSINESS:

Term Expirations: Borough Secretary Michael Carelli distributed the Commission roster. Tony Bertuna, Karen Lanza, and Bill Eilert have to reapply for new terms in 2023.

2023 Projects:

Butterfly Garden: Chairman Lee Haymon suggested working on rehabilitating the butterfly garden in Great Oak Park in 2023.

Trails: It was suggested for Matthew Shook to work on the Trail Map in Great Oak Park in 2023.

Wildlife Education: Erich Kamm suggested developing outreach materials for wildlife planting techniques and practices. Mr. Kamm reviewed a webinar that he attended. Mr. Carelli will distribute the webinar. It was suggested to push composting initiatives.

Recycling: Borough Secretary Michael Carelli advised that the Borough has a new Recycling Coordinator and it might be worth reaching out to him to attend a meeting.

GIS Mapping: Chairman Lee Haymon will research opportunities and a plan moving forward.

Carnival: The Commission will plan to attend the Carnival for 2023.

Spotted Lanternfly: Chairman Lee Haymon suggested looking at removing trees that house Spotted Lanternfly. It was also suggested to coordinate an invasive species pull for 2023.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC:

Chairman Lee Haymon opened for public comment.

No members of the public present.

Chairman Lee Haymon closed the public session.

ADJOURNMENT:

Jerri Angermueller set forth the motion, seconded by Commissioner Tony Bertuna, to adjourn the meeting.

ALL IN FAVOR.

Adjourned: 8:38 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael Carelli
Borough Secretary

The next Environmental Commission Meeting is scheduled for:
January 10, 2023 at 7:30 p.m. at Oakland Senior Center, 20 Lawlor Drive, Oakland, N.J. 07436