Alloway Township Environmental Commission Regular Meeting Minutes January 7, 2019

Attendees: Joe Mahar, Frank Ponti, Renee Waters, Autumn Angelus, Warren Morgan, Chris Gilbert

Absent: Craig Kane, Debbie Dilks

Meeting Called To Order at 7:39 pm

December minutes were approved with grammatical changes. (Motion by FP, 2nd by RW)

Announcements/ Correspondence:

- Discussed ANJEC dues JM to forward to Charlet.
- Update on Waters of the US reversal of the most recent rulings.
- Spotted Lanternfly literature will be given out at the Feb. Nature Club meeting.

Discussion-

Old business:

• Checklist for building applications - RW was in contact with ANJEC to go over options for construction in the township. ANJEC forwarded an example ordinance from Readington, NJ which mirrors our thoughts and ideas regarding soil conservation, water runoff, and protection of resources. We will review this and similar ordinances; later on, we may request that Alloway adopt a similar ordinance.

New business:

- We should include topographical maps of Alloway within the new ERI. There are still some issues with members editing on the GoogleDocs document.
- DD will contact 8th grade science teacher about the Environmental Science awards. We hope to continue with this successful program.
- Monarch decline planting more milkweed ideas?
- Planning Board
 - o Re-organization meeting was held- no new business, per the meeting minutes.

Meeting adjourned at 9:26pm