Alloway Township Environmental Commission Regular Meeting Minutes March 8th, 2021

Virtual Meeting, via Zoom, due to COVID-19

Attendees: Joe Mahar, Autumn Angelus, Frank Ponti, Renee Waters, Warren Morgan, Debbie Dilks

Excused: Chris Gilbert, Craig Kane

Meeting Called To Order at 7:00 pm

February minutes were tabled until the April meeting.

Announcements/ Correspondence:

- No progress in making contact with Chris Gilbert.
- Japanese study regarding deforestation effect greater than previously thought.

Discussion-

Old business:

• Cell tower question from FP. The EIS for the tower was requested by the PB & EC. We did not ever receive it, yet the tower has been installed. Why?

New business:

- Stormwater Management Question: No follow up from Twp. Committee meeting. March PB
 meeting has been cancelled. WM stated that the committee will follow the recommendation of
 Alexis Coleman and follow the most lenient ordinance for stormwater management.
- Giordano Recycling is planning to open a recycling facility in Pittsgrove Twp. after Vineland did not approve their plans. This may result in up to 25-50 trucks per day through Alloway (to SCIA) or 300 each week. There is information on the SCIA website and also available on the 'Save Pittsgrove' site.
- NJ Land & Water Trust plans for Alloway: creation of stormwater basin systems, rain gardens, etc. This is in the hands of the committee to support.
- Planning Board- meeting cancelled.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40pm