

Minutes of the Alloway Environmental Commission Meeting April 6, 2026

Attendees: D Dilks, Frank P, Renee W, L Massey

Guest Bob W

Absent: C Kane, C Gilbert, G Nazarene, C Angelus

Meeting called to order 7:15 PM

Secretary's report from the March 9, 2026 meeting was read and approved.

Correspondence: None

Planning/Zoning Board business: Renee reported that discussion was continuing on the ordinance proposed concerning the possible construction of AI facilities in our township. The PB solicitor, engineer and planner shared that we don't need a new ordinance, just adjust the checklist that proposals will have to comply with. Renee had contacted ANJEC for their input and was told that the checklist should be reflective of the zoning ordinances; that is where the "teeth" are. Renee will speak at the Township meeting this week to share AEC concerns and what her research had found.

Old Business:

1. The Ag Advisory Board meeting on March 12, 2026, was attended by Frank P, Larry M and Gail N. They encountered a welcoming atmosphere and good discussion. Next meeting May 14, 2026.
2. Discussion on the aquifer protection ordinance (above)

New Business:

1. Debbie shared several ANJEC resources for members to be aware of, virtual, digital, and print sources.
2. Salem County happenings were shared, environment and community support becoming a prime focus for several organizations.
3. The solar farm proposal for Mannington Township farm was voted down.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:35 PM.