March 9, 2017

The Green Team meeting was held this date at the Mansfield Township Municipal Building, 100 Port Murray Road, Port, Murray N.J.

Present: Connie Andershonis, Michael Misertino, Heather Hamilton, and JoAnn Fascenelli Absent : Robert Jewell, Dawn Smith

The February 9, 2017 Green Team meeting was cancelled due to the potential storm.

Mr. Andershonis reviewed the action items to date for 2018 recertification:

Create a Green Team 10 points (Mandatory)	
Wind Ordinance	10 points (does not expire)
Green Building Policy	5 points (does not expire)
Pledge Supporting NJ Wildlife	10 points (does not expire)
Companion Animal Mgt. Pledge	5 points (does not expire)
Community Paper Shredding Event	5 points (scheduled for October 21, 2017) Will get approval at
	next Township Meeting
Environmental Commission	10 points
Municipal Carbon Footprint	10 points (Priority) Mrs. Andershonis & Mr. Proefrock are
	working on this action item.
Material Reuse Program	10 points (Town Wide Yard Sale and clothing bins)
Prescription Drug Safety & Disposal	10 points (Priority) Letter from Chief Reilly
Water Conservation Education Program	10 points (Shower Heads)
Grass – Cut It & Leave It Program	5 points (will update the flyer) Info in Twp. Newsletter
Reusable Bag Education Program	5 points (Ongoing project)
Backyard Composting Program	5 points (will investigate new Educational Specialist)
Recycled Paper	10 points (will gather information in 2018)
Community Asset Mapping	10 points (Mrs. Andershonis is working on the project) Need to
	met with the Township Clerk regarding input on the
	township website.
Sustainability Programs	10 points (Education Programs – Dove Environment etc.)
Support Local Businesses	10 points (EDAC is working on this action item)
Natural Resource Inventory	20 points (Will submit a grant for this action item)
Digitizing Public Information	10 points (Mrs. Fascenelli is working on this project)

A total of 150 points are required in order to be recertified.

A question was asked if a permit is required to install a sprinkler system. Mrs. Fascenelli will check and advise at the next Green Team meeting.

Next Green Team meeting is scheduled for April 13, 2017.

Respectfully Submitted,

JoAnn Fascenelli