Green Team Minutes

September 8, 2011

The Green Team meeting was held this date at the Mansfield Township Municipal Building, 100 Port Murray Road, Port Murray, N.J. The meeting was called to order 7:35 p.m.

Present: Drew Di Sessa, Michael Clancy, Orson Kirk, and JoAnn Fascenelli

Absent: Robert Jewell, Jennifer Keggan, RJ Streng, Kathy Todd, Becky Harm, Sherrie Tromp and Michele Largman

Renewable Energy Facilities (Solar & Wind) Ordinance: Second reading was adopted at the Township's regular meeting on August 24, 2011.

Bid Specification for Electric: The Township Clerk is presently working on a bid specification for an electric supplier.

TransOptions: Meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 12, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building. Mr. Joseph Caravella and Mr. Daniel Callas from TransOptions will meet with Mr. Di Sessa and Mrs. Fascenelli to discuss how TransOptions can assist the Green Team in obtaining points for Sustainable Jersey.

ANJEC: Mrs. Pante' provided a listing of educational programs that ANJEC would present. Mr. Di Sessa picked 2 programs that would comply with Sustainable Jersey. The Environmental Commission will follow up with ANJEC to schedule these programs for November 10, 2011. Once this date is confirmed we will advertise on the Township's web-site, Comcast channel, and the Mansfield Elementary Schools newsletter.

Ongoing Projects:

1. Support Local Businesses – Ms. Keggan will prepare a listing for the next meeting.
2. Construction & Demolition Waste Recycling Ordinance – Mr. Di Sessa will update the ordinance.
3. Outdoor Furnace Ordinance – will be discussed at the next meeting.
4. Pledge of Municipal Support for New Jersey's Wildlife Action Plan Resolution – was adopted at the Township's regular meeting on August 24, 2011.
5. Natural Resource Inventory – Mrs. Pante' supplied Mr. Di Sessa with a disc.

Next Green Team meeting is scheduled for October 13, 2011 at 7:30 at the Municipal building.

Respectfully Submitted,

JoAnn Fascenelli