

TOWNSHIP OF MANSFIELD

Green Team Minutes

The July 11, 2019, Green Team meeting was held at the Mansfield Township Municipal Building, 100 Port Murray Road, Port Murray, NJ

PRESENT: Robert Jewell, Kathleen Todd, & JoAnn Fascenelli

ABSENT : Dawn Smith, Heather Hamilton, Marissa Ciardi and Michael Misertino

**Free Town-Wide Shredding Event:** October 19, 2019, from 9:00 am to 12 noon at the Department of Public Works Garage located at 1710 Route 57. Papers should be loose and dry – no rubber bands, binders, metal fasteners, hanging folders, metal book rings or binder clips.

**TV/Electronics Recycling Coming Soon:** Warren County Pollution Control Financing Authority is still waiting for the necessary materials from the vendor prior to commencing with the collection of TV's and electronics.

**Trex:** Mrs. Fascenelli advised that the collection of bag and film recycling will begin August 1, 2019 through February 1, 2020. Materials will be weighed and delivered to Weis Markets once a month by a Green Team member. Also, once a month the number of pounds recycled must be reported to Trex. The Township received two (2) bins for collection. One is placed at the Municipal Building and second location will be determined at a later date. The following clean, dry, empty plastic bags and film packaging is acceptable:

LDPE / HDPE Films	Pellet Bags
Newspaper Sleeves	Produce Bags
Bread Bags	Dry Cleaning Bags
Product Wrap	Grocery Bags
Cereal Liners	Case Overwrap
Food Storage Bags	Packaging Air Pillows
Ice Bags	Salt Bags

Your plastic bags and wraps then become Earth-friendly composite decking and railing!

The goal is to collect 500 pounds in a 6 month time frame in order for the Township to receive a free Trex park bench. The most important goal is to keep the above materials out of the landfill.

Ms. Todd will distribute flyers to the local stores. Mrs. Fascenelli will forward information to the Fire Companies.

**Mansfield Township Electronic Waste, Scrap Metal, Large Rigid Plastics & Mercury Switch Thermostats Event:** Is scheduled for Saturday, November 23, 2019, from 8:30 am to 12:30 pm at the Department of Public Works Garage 1710 Route 57.

Next Green Team meeting is scheduled for August 8, 2019, at 6:30 pm at the Municipal Building.

Respectfully Submitted,

JoAnn Fascenelli