

Environmental Advisory Council
Meeting Minutes for Tuesday, September 2, 2025

Present:

Deb Noone – Chair

JP Johnson – Vice Chair

Rob Kopf – Member

Lurleen Worthington – Member

Township Supervisors Present – Ken Lichtenstein

1. Call to Order
2. Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance
3. Announcements – None
4. Public Comment – None
5. Approval of August 2025 Meeting Minutes: Motion made by JP Johnson to accept August 2025 meeting minutes. Motion seconded by Rob Kopf.

6. Old Business

It was brought to Deb Noone's attention that Rose of Sharon, an invasive plant, is growing where the EAC planted trees, along the path connecting Timberly Farms to Country Greene. Rob Kopf confirmed that we planted River Birch trees, but Deb will check out the area.

7. New Business

- a. Tohickon Watershed establishment status update – Deb Noone reported that they're moving at a rapid pace. They are registered with the state and their name was approved. Next steps include surveying parts of the watershed to look for accessible spots for projects. Deb Noone is working on a logo.
- b. Community Day final plans for the EAC – Deb Noone designed 2-sided handouts with information on the 3 upcoming seminars, Lurleen Worthington has a supply of peat pots, potting soil & seeds, provided by Alison Kingsley or Andrea Glang, for the children. Reusable bags will be available for distribution too.
- c. September 15th Presentation on Native Plants – Event begins at 6:30pm in the Hanusey Park Community Center. Advertised on Township FB page, Township email distribution and the Bucks Herald calendar. If the weather is nice, a walk around Hanusey Park with the presenter pointing out invasive and native plants is possible.
- d. Future presentations: Native Bees (Backyard Buzz), October 14, 6:30pm, Hanusey Park Community Center and Bucks County Conservation Watershed presentation, November 12, 6:30pm, Hanusey Park Community Center.
- e. Groveland's Community Day – Deb Noone reported the school's website is under construction and the date is not yet known.
- f. Deb Noone encouraged EAC members to determine projects/tasks to be responsible for as individual members within the committee.
- g. Adjournment. Motion made by JP Johnson adjourn. Rob Kopf seconded the motion. Next Meeting, Tuesday, October 7, 2025