



Verona Environmental Commission

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Agenda for a Regular Meeting of the Verona Environmental Commission on Wednesday, June 20, 2018, beginning at 7:00 P.M., Conference Room, Verona Community Center, 880 Bloomfield Avenue, Verona, New Jersey.

1. Call to Order. Chairperson reads notice of Open Public Meetings law.

Roll Call: Gloria Machnowski (Chairwoman), Anthony Saltalamacchia (Vice Chairman), Sarah Yauch O'Farrell, Jessica Pearson, Sean DiBartolo, Martin Golan, Walter Steinmann, Frank Ceccacci, Michael Foley (Planning Board Liaison) and Mayor Kevin Ryan (Council Liaison). Guest: Julia Bresnan, NJWAP Watershed Ambassador WMA 4.

2. Public Comment Period. Prisoner's Pond Forest Restoration, presentation by Dave Freschi from the Hilltop Conservancy.

3. Approval of May 16th, 2018 Minutes.

4. Updates :

- a) Annual notice of meetings and VEC members' terms.
- b) ANJEC Grant for Rain Garden. Report by Sean DiBartolo.
- c) Upcoming parking lots at the end of Park Place and at Verona Pool.
- d) Natural Resource Inventory.
- e) Recommendations for Verona Lake.

5. Events:

- a) Outcome: Peckman Trail / River Cleanup, June 2.
- b) Sustainable Jersey Sustainability Summit, June 21.
- c) Free Training: Implementing Complete Streets at the Local Level, June 26.
- d) West Essex Trail Cleanup: September 15 or 22 (TBD). Update by Frank Ceccacci.
- e) Green Fair & Open Streets Fest.

6. New Business:

- a) Cleanup of waterway behind Annin Flag and NJDEP rules. Report by Jessica Pearson.
- b) Webinar: Electric Vehicle Charging in NJ. Report by Martin Golan.

Adjournment – Next Meeting July 18, 2018.