



Verona Environmental Commission

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Agenda for a Regular Meeting of the Verona Environmental Commission on Wednesday, February 13, 2019, beginning at 7:00 p.m., Conference Room, Verona Community Center, 880 Bloomfield Avenue, Verona, New Jersey.

1. Call to Order.

- a) Open Public Meetings Act Compliance Statement.
- b) Roll Call: Jessica Pearson (Chairperson and Planning Board Liaison), Anthony Saltalamacchia (Vice Chairman), Sarah Yauch O'Farrell, , Sean DiBartolo, Martin Golan, Frank Ceccacci, Michael Auteri, Timothy Kiernan (Alternate II), and Mayor Kevin Ryan (Council Liaison). Guest: Olivia Le Warn, Watershed Ambassador for Watershed Management Area 4.

2. Public Comment Period.

3. Approval of January 9, 2019 Meeting Minutes.

4. Verona High School Outreach- Discussion on modifications for student participation.

5. Updates:

- a) Rain Garden Review: Sean will lead on the town meeting.
- b) Community Garden Review- Sean will lead on the town meeting.
- c) Ordinances: Site plan review, Stormwater Management, & Tree Ordinances.- Jess and Sean update.
- d) Site Plan Review Committee: Reviews and new procedures – VEC vote on pre- or post-review and hearing. Sean/Jess.
- e) Carbon Fee Resolution: Tony to present to Council if Council will move the resolution.
- f) VEC Organizational follow up, including website hosting (Mike and Sean) /Essex County EC.

6. Site Plan Review Committee Comments and Findings:

- a) 106 Park Avenue.
- b) 49 Gould Street.
- c) Special Planning board meetings findings update.

7. New Business:

- a) Potential Perennial Garden at Grove Park.
- b) Collaboration with Sustainable NJ ongoing.

8. Adjournment – Next Meeting March 13, 2019.