



Environmental Commission Meeting Minutes - September 22, 2009

Members Present:

*Barbara Daniello
Donna Maglione
Larry Belikoff
Ken Skillender
Brian Zucker*

Others Present:

*Carol Hoffmann
Curtis Schick*

Absent:

*Michelle Garay
Wilma Hutton
Jay Arancio*

Meeting called to order at 7:29 PM by Donna.

Administrative:

- Motion to accept July 2009 meeting minutes by Larry, seconded by Ken.

Correspondence:

- NJ Highlands Coalition Dues - Renewal: Motion to approve the renewal, all approved.

Planning Board Report:

- Weiss Application: Change requested by DEP from 6 houses to 4 houses.
- Discussions surrounding the Highlands & COAH (Council on Affordable Housing) continued. As part of the Highlands discussion, the next steps planned will be for the Board to review the preservation plan (as part of the master plan).

Miscellaneous Reports - Old Business:

- EC Website - Reminder for members who have not sent in their name, picture (note: picture not required) and brief synopsis to Larry for inclusion onto the website.
- South Branch Watershed Presentation - Comments from the EC members - enjoyable; very good; informative. Brian recommended that this type of presentation be conducted yearly for the EC members.

New Business:

- Community Radon Testing - Barbara wants to speak to the South Branch Watershed about including radon testing for water in their kit options.
- Barbara talked about the future memberships of the EC. Donna will be rolling off in 2010; Barbara will continue to be a member of the EC *but not* in the capacity of Chairperson.

Meeting adjourned @ 8:20 PM by Barbara and seconded by Ken.

Meeting reopened at 8:50 PM by Brian and seconded by Larry.

Discussion surrounding the suggestion of having both candidates, Curtis Schick and Gabriel Plumer, come to the next EC meeting to present their agenda. All members present at this meeting were in favor of this suggestion.

Meeting adjourned @ 9:15 PM by Larry and seconded by Barbara.

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