

### **Roll Call**

### **Public Participation**

#### **Open Public Meeting Statement**

Adequate notice of this meeting has been published specifying the time and access information in compliance with the provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act. Notice of this meeting has also been electronically sent to the newspapers and uploaded to Byram's website, at not less than 48 hours in advance of the meeting. In addition, a copy of this notice is on file in the office of the Environmental Commission Secretary.

#### **Review of Meeting Minutes**

#### **Planning Board Applications**

1. [SP1-2023-02.02.2023 McDonalds](#)
2. [Z05-2023-02.09.2023 Eddie and Marta Lemon](#)
3. [Z07-2023-02.24.2023 Bryan Higgins](#)

Highlands Interactive Map - [https://www.nj.gov/njhighlands/gis/interactive\\_map/#/-74.63346/40.87985/3](https://www.nj.gov/njhighlands/gis/interactive_map/#/-74.63346/40.87985/3)

NJDEP GeoWeb Mapper - <https://njdep.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=02251e521d97454aabafd8cf168e44d>

#### **Committee Reports**

- MRMC – Last meeting, February 21; Next Meeting April 18
- Recreation – Last meeting, March 20; Next meeting April 17
- Open Space – Last meeting, February 13; Next meeting April 10
- Council – Last meeting, March 21; Next meeting April 4

#### **New Business**

- April 22 - Earth Day event coordination
- Recreation monthly hikes – EC sponsored
- Mission Statement
- EC Facebook page status
- Byram Historical Society – Waterloo event
- Clean Communities

#### **Old Business**

- Planning Board liaison
- Grant for conservation easements and waterfront landscape buffers
- New soil ordinance - outreach and education/soil contamination in Forest Lakes

- Trails Committee
- Tamarack Trail tree cutting
- TREX Plastic Challenge
- Mansfield Trail Superfund Site
- Lake Management Plan

### **Training**

- 2023 Fundamentals for Environmental Commissions – Virtual sessions March 21-23  
[www.anjec.org/conferences-workshops](http://www.anjec.org/conferences-workshops)

### **Membership**

- Alternate I and II positions are currently vacant.
- Recruitment

### **Budget**

- Temporary budget of \$300 until new budget approval in April
- Proposed 2023 EC Purchases:
  - Earth Day
  - EC banner/signs, supplies
  - Other

### **Other**

**Next Meeting** to be held April 27, 2023 in-person

### **Motion to Adjourn**