

AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF
THE HIGHTSTOWN ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION
Tuesday May 22nd, 2018, 7:00 P.M.
Housing Authority Community Building

1. **Approval of Agenda**
2. **Open Public Meeting Act Statement:** In compliance with Chapter 213 of the Public Laws of 1975, notice of this meeting was given by way of the Annual Notice published in the Trenton Times and Princeton Packet by the Borough Clerk and posted on the Borough Website.
3. **Attendance:**
4. **Approval of Minutes:** Regular Meeting of April 24th, 2018 at 7:00 P.M.
5. **Shade Tree Matters:**
 - a. Shade Tree Official's Report:
 - b. Expanded Tree Ordinance: David to Discuss.
 - c. State Report: CEU's
 - d. Tree ID seminar- Saturday, June 9th in Association Park with Kevin Scibillia .
6. **Parks and Recreation:**
 - a. Update on Dawes Park
 - b. Rocky Brook Park
7. **Borough Council Liaison:**
 - a. Lincoln/Hagemont project.
 - b. Plan Review- Sunset and Maple Avenue reconstruction
 - c. Plan Review- Rocky Brook Retaining Wall.
 - d. EC Budget- Where are we in the discussions?
8. **Planning Board Update:**
 - a. **The Lofts- Planning board meeting on 6/11**
 - b. Retaining Wall, Sunset and Maple
 - c. Green Development Checklist
9. **Sustainable Jersey Update:**
 - a. We are submitting 565 points. There are several SJ items we can consider as long-term goals. In the fall we should take a look and set goals for some larger projects that will make interesting grant applications.
10. **Grants and Funding Update:**
 - a. We received \$1500 dollars from ANJEC to begin the development of our Wetlands Learning Center. I have reached out to our reps at Peddie, Parks and Rec, The Watershed, HHS and the Borough. We will be setting up a

meeting to discuss the park and how we can all work together on this project.

- b. Stony Brook Millstone Watershed “Green Infrastructure” grant. The watershed is dedicating approximately \$35,000 to Rocky Brook Park for stormwater and wetlands work. We will be coordinating with them and the Borough on this project and how it may enhance the retaining wall project.

11. New Business

- a. Mercer County Sustainability Coalition update.
- b. Fun Friday’s- Are we doing peddle boats?
- c. Ideas for the Harvest Fair?

12. Correspondents, Conferences and Workshops:

- a. 2018 New Jersey Sustainability Summit. June 21st at The College of NJ.
See attached flyer.

13. Adjournment

Next Regular Meeting Date, June 27th, 2018, 7:00 P.M.