

**Doylestown Township Environmental Advisory Council
Meeting Agenda**

Tuesday, December 12, 2017, 7:00 p.m.

Jeannine Mitchell, Chair, Native Plants/Gardens
Don Richardson, Vice Chair, Trees/Plans
Martin Brooks, Arborist/Plans
Tanya Casas, Climate Change/Food Security/Delaware Valley University
Anne Woodbury, Gardens/Speakers/Bicentennial
Jim Baldassarre, Health/Bird Town/Minutes
Andrea Susten, Intern
Guests

I. Minutes Approval - November 14, 2017

II. New Business

- a. Heritage Tree Certifications: Therese Schumacher; Norman Schorr
- b. New heritage tree evaluation: Barbara Schempp, 10 Valley View Dr., Fountainville
- c. Budget overview; upcoming expenses
- d. New EAC member?
- e. Dan Duran talk at Del Val: in program guide? contribution made? (\$550; BCAS co-sponsoring)
- f. Call for video library pieces; Keith Peters; sources (BCAS? Women's Farm & Garden?)
- g. New sign: "Native Plants" - to be installed near demo garden
- h. Bluebird boxes: locations, cleanup, ongoing maintenance
- i. Artmobile - focus on pollinators through June 2019; \$500 for 2 days; already booked for Earth Day, 2018 and first weekend in May; set a date?
- j. Bowman's Hill Wildflower Preserve's Land Ethics Symposium at Del Val: Thursday, March 15, 2018 - "Creative Approaches to Ecological Landscaping" - EAC attendees?

III. Old Business

- a. 200 Oaks sponsorship; maintenance by sponsors allowed? plan for maintenance of the trees? (WF&G question); cut-off date for container trees?
- b. Garden Party: invitation, refreshments, music
- c. Lyme Tick pamphlet
- d. EAC banner
- e. Dog ordinance sign at Pine Run Reservoir near Covered Bridge Park in New Britain
- f. Ferguson Township resolution on reducing greenhouse gas emissions: talk at Del Val? EAC Summit speaker?
- g. Pending grant: Sauerman Park
- h. PA Audubon Bird-friendly neighborhoods initiative: packets delivered to Wood Hill neighbors
- i. Native garden update: expansion; boulders; snag; screech owl box; work on 3/24/18
- j. Donna and Joseph Seif request for help with streamside property: spring; multiflora rose infestation

IV. Announcements and Calendar: Next meeting January 9, 2018, 7 p.m.