

## Chester Borough Environmental & Open Space Committee Meeting March 10, 2021 7:15pm

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Agenda Item: Actions:

1.	Call to Order and Welcome	Present: Jennifer Cooper, Kelli Kovacevic, Ed Ng, Alison Miskiman, Eileen Carvalho Absent: Carolyn Kleppe Collins, Sophia Gugliemini
2.	February 10, 2021 minutes	Approved
3.	Reports a) Land Use Board b) Chester Trails Subcommittee c) Seward Hill Ecological Restoration	<ul> <li>a) Land Use Board</li> <li>i) request that Land Use Board agendas continue to be sent to the Environmental &amp; Open Space Committee (EOSC)</li> <li>ii) EOSC to review the July 2020 Chester Borough Wastewater Treatment Plant Antidegradation Study Report</li> <li>b) Chester Trails Subcommittee</li> <li>i.) Reach out to the Township's EOSC regarding alternating payment to host the Chester Trails website (\$144 annual; \$12/month)</li> <li>ii.) iEOSC to request the Chester Trails website be posted to the Borough website</li> <li>c) Seward Hill Ecological Restoration</li> <li>i.) On March 2, 2021, the Borough Council awarded the Seward Hill Ecological Restoration contract to Ecological Solutions.</li> <li>ii.) EOSC is working with Ecological Solutions on the plan; site visit completed on March 5, 2021.</li> </ul>
		iii.) EOSC to schedule a meeting with administration to discuss recommendations for

	invasive species control/management/maintenance options for the property.
4. New Business	a) Apply for funding for an update.
<ul> <li>a) Recreation and Open Space Inventory (ROSI)</li> <li>b) Schedule Green Infrastructure Plans Zoom meeting</li> <li>c) ANJEC Grant Funding</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>b) Possible meeting to be scheduled for April 7, 2021 at 7:15pm</li> <li>c) Request to be on the Council agenda on March 16, 2021 to discuss ANJEC grant application</li> </ul>
5. Old Business	a) Reissue RFP
<ul> <li>a) Steward Hill Intensive Use RFP discussion</li> <li>b) Green Acres Funding for Open Space plan</li> <li>c) RVCC Deer Management Study</li> <li>d) Clean Communities - Reusable bag info</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>b) To be discussed at the next meeting</li> <li>c) No updates on the survey.</li> <li>d) f/u with Borough Administrator regarding other Clean Communities projects in the Borough</li> </ul>
6. Adjournment	9:10pm

The mission of the Chester Borough Environmental & Open Space Committee is to provide leadership and vision in advising Chester Borough on actions and policies of sustainability including preservation and enhancement of the quality of Chester Borough's environment and open space, as well as the health and well-being of its residents and businesses.