

**GREENWICH TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION**  
MUNICIPAL BUILDING  
321 Greenwich Street  
Stewartsville, New Jersey 08886

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Meeting Date: November 18, 2003

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**Opening:**

**Call to Order:** The monthly meeting of the Greenwich Township Environmental Commission (EC) was held on the above date, and was called to order by Barry Glassman, Chairman, at 7:30 P.M. in the Municipal Building.

Commission members present: Barry Glassman, Debra Scarbrough, Frank Marchetta, and Meyra Davison.

**Meeting Minutes Approval:**

No vote was held on the Minutes for October 21, 2003 meeting due to lack of quorum.

**Correspondence:**

Invitation to Sussex and Warren Counties' Farmland and Open Space Roundtable.

NOTE: GTEC needs to address ordinances and work with North Jersey Resource and Conservation Development to protect buffer areas.

Riparian Grant - will not have a final decision until February 2004.

**ERI Progress Report:**

Approximately 25 copies have been made in total. There are 5 manuals that are unaccounted for. B. Glassman will develop a system to track the distribution of the manuals.

**Planning Board Report:**

No information was given.

**New Business:**

Junior EC program - Meyra Davison will contact Michelle Meyer regarding distributing them to the Girl and Boy Scouts of Greenwich Twp.

EC Website - no update. We are still looking to establish a link with the Twp Website. Barry Glassman is developing the format for spacing.

Open Space Committee - B. Glassman is to be the EC liason to this committee so that the EC can have input as to the Township's expenditure of funds. It was noted by D. Scarborough that we need to focus on the Twonship's limited forest areas.

The Department of Transportation wants to preserve space along Rte 57 - so they are offering grants to help municipalities to preserve such areas ( grant offer is to pay half of the purchase price).

Township Committee - Metarex has asked for the Twp's ;approval to increase its' septic capacity, and it was granted. As part of the application process to the DEP, it needs a letter from Greenwich Twp stating that the TWP is willing to review their waste management plan. This brought forth the fact that there are inconsistencies in the Twp's water management plan that need to be addressed.

**Old Business:**

There is no new information regarding the budget.

Minutes are to be given to M. Davison so that they can be scanned onto a disc and given to the web-master.

**CLOSING:**

Motion made by Barry Glassman and second by Meyra Davison to adjourn the meeting. All in favor, and the motion was carried. Meeting was adjourned at 9:15 P.M.

Meyra Davison  
Environmental Commission Secretary

Barry Glassman  
Chairman