

**Little Egg Harbor Township Environmental Commission**  
**April 28th, 2022 @ 6:30 PM**  
**Minutes**

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1. Meeting called to order @ 6:36 PM
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Open Public Meeting Statement
4. In attendance: Erica Napolitano, Chuck Griffin, Kathy Tucker, Arlene Keenan, Carol Evans, Joe Rullo
5. Approval of minutes for March meeting
6. Report from Roberta Rapisardi on **Community Wide Cleanup.**
  - 283 volunteers
  - 175 bags of trash
  - 996 alcohol bottles
  - Tree seedlings were given away - Carol Evans
  - 5 potential points from **Sustainable Jersey action.**

**Arbor Day Tree Study April 27th.** Report from Kathy Tucker & Carol Evans. The kids enjoyed the project and planted a tree named "Steve". Photos will be sent to the township for approval for posting on the LEH website.

-5 potential points from **Sustainable Jersey Action.**

**LEH Community Resource Fair** to be held on Saturday April 30, 1P to 4P @ LEH Community Center. Colleen, Chuck and Erica to be present. Photos will be taken of our new banner.

**LEH Senior Expo** will be on Wednesday May 4th, 9A to 12N at the LEH Community Center. Carol, Arlene, Colleen & Chuck

The **2nd Annual LEH Twp Wide Garage Sale** will be held on July 16th & 17th. Register at [yardsales@LEHT.com](mailto:yardsales@LEHT.com).

7. **Sustainable Jersey Action** Master Tracking. Jason Worth of T&M Associates consulting was on hand to discuss how to obtain Sustainable Jersey

Action points. We currently have a bronze rating and are striving for a gold rating. Some of our current projects include:

- Green Fair
- Electric Vehicle charging station
- Food bank, pantry & garden
- Transportation-bike & pedestrian audit
- Local economy- "Buy Local" campaign
- Recycling center - waste reduction
- Blue bird house project
- Solar projects
- Tree planting program
- "No Idling" signs at Wawa
- Beach replenishment at Parkertown Beach and Mystic Beach
- Plastic grocery bags will be banned as of May 4, 2022

8, Public Comments. Public Attendees = Blaise Scibetta, Jason Worth (TNM Associates)

- Town clean up was a great event.
- We need to pursue solar panels for town hall and improved street lighting.

9. Environmental Commission Member Comments

- Can electric vehicle batteries be disposed of safely?

10. Adjourn