

FAIR LAWN ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JULY, 2007

Chairperson Wendy Dabney convened the meeting at 7:30

Attending members: Wendy Dabney (Chair), Carol Wagner (Health Dept), Emil De Luccia, Jack O'Neil, and Gina Bernstein.

Absent members = Stuart Alper, Peter Kortright (Planning Board Rep), Joe Pineiro, Deputy Mayor Marty Etler. And Ally Lansey (FLHS Liaison).

Carol Wagner distributed copies of the "Environmental Manual to Municipal Officials" and "Environmental Commissioners' Handbook" to members in attendance.

Wendy announced that she will meet with Peter Kortright regarding restructuring of the council plan.

CORRESPONDENCE =

 "Tidelines" periodical received.

 Passaic River Restoration Report from Bayonne

 NJDEP correspondence on contamination in the home.

Emil De Luccia advised that Educator Craig Cohen has agreed to serve as representative of the Memorial Middle School to the commission. Regular attendance to our meetings is not required.

REPORTS

Health Dept. Carol Wagner submitted her written report. She stated that she received a call regarding the flooding of Memorial Pool following the June 18 flooding. No bacterial or pesticide contamination was found. There were no PCB's. The pool supervisor advised that sand/soil samples were analyzed by Aqua Pro-Tech Labs. All sand was replaced prior to pool opening. Regarding Fair Lawn Industries, the Biennial Certification Monitoring Report for Groundwater Classification Exemption Area was received from Environmental Waste Management Associates. Wells are inspected monthly. One concrete pad and locking cap were replaced due to cracking. The interior well casing was not damaged. Complaint received from Haywood Avenue resident regarding neighboring parked cars that were leaking oil. An inspection detected one discolored spot on paved driveway. Nothing excessive detected. Regarding Topps Cleaners, three letters received from NJDEP. Continued quarterly monitoring reports are required.

Zoning Board = No Report

Planning Board = No Report

Borough Council = No Report

OLD BUSINESS

River Walk = Emil De Luccia advised that two grant applications are being applied for. One for USDA and one for NJDA for maintenance of the River walk. Expect to hear from the Bergen County Sewer Commission in Sept. or Oct. The Eagle Scout project of installing interpretive signs is complete. The trail length is 2,530 linear feet. A garage door was dumped into the river by a truck that crashed through the fence barrier. Police were notified and inspected. The garage door will be removed after the childrens' programs are finished.

NEW BUSINESS = None

The meetings was adjourned at 8:30 on a motion by Jack O'Neil and a second by Gina Bernstein.

The next meeting will be on August 1.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack O'Neil