

## **Environmental Commission Minutes May 13, 2010**

Call to Order: Rayna Laiosa, Rosanne Zagatta, Patricia Hutzelman,

Guests: Mary Mahon, Julie Romeo, Sofia Romeo, and Nina Romeo

- I. Attendance and Acceptance of Minutes –April 2010  
Motion by: Patricia Hutzelman, Second by: Robert Maggio
- II. **Cel-Earth-Bration 2010 Date - April 17, 2010 “Give Green A Chance”**
  - a. Publicity – Cel-Earth-Bration – Great job!
    - i. Press Releases – Announcing winners of the Green Project Contest
    - ii. Website
  - b. Photographers – Need electronic copies of pictures to prepare Annual Cel-Earth-Bration presentation – Received from Alan (Hawthorne Press) and Mary Mahon
  - c. Bring original receipts for reimbursement for cel-earth-bration purchases in order to complete Purchase Orders – Reviewed and submitted for payment
- III. Annual June Program – Monday June 7, 2010
  - a. Discussion to expand June program to recognize Hawthorne Citizens and local businesses – Commission agreed it is a good idea. Time is right. Local citizens – Susan Balik, Lynne VanderVeer, Hazel Pinos, Boys and Girls Keystone Club, Shadetree Commission, Dept of Public Works – Joe Clementi, Ellen Brogno, and Doug Morgan, John Dorval, and John Puzo
  - b. Press Release – Hawthorne Press and Gazette – Rosanne will issue the press releases.
  - c. Confirm municiple court room – sound system and video is working properly – Complete by Robert Maggio
  - d. Invitations to Board of Education, Borough Council members, and local businesses – Complete by Rosanne Zagatta
  - e. Prepare Certificates – Signed by the Environmental Commission Chairperson, Environmental Commission Vice-Chairperson, and Mayor Goldberg - Complete
  - f. Promote and sell Stainless Steel Containers by Susan Balik – Proceeds will be donated to St. Anthony’s Boys Scouts Troop to support the 8 Acre Wood Project – Complete, Susan will attend the June Program.
  - g. Refreshments – Capri Suns drinks (100 count)– Morlot Distribution (new business in Hawthorne) and cookies. Mary and Pat will handle refreshments. Green tablecloth for table.
  - h. Tables for refreshments and stainless steel containers – Mary will contact Charlene to confirm tables for the program.
- IV. Workshops/Conferences
  - a. Sustainable Jersey Action Meetings – Upcoming in May 2010 – Commissioners are encouraged to attend if possible
- V. Report from Board of Adjustment
  - a. Patriot Development Update – April 19, 2010 Canceled – Next scheduled meeting is June 21, 2010 – Set-up meeting with Lisa to prepare for Patriot Meeting in June.
- VI. Report from Planning Board – No updates were discussed
- VII. Green Team Subcommittee Meeting
  - a. Energy Audit status – Consultant has been selected. Waiting for resolution on next Council’s meeting May 19, 2010 for approval of energy audit grant.
  - b. Next **Green Idea Meeting Monday May 24, 2010 at 7:30 pm at Hawthorne Library**

- VIII. Updates on Issues and Commissioners Concerns, Next Steps
- a. 55 Schoon Avenue Status Update – Passaic County Department of Economic Development Totowa Business Complex 930 Riverview Drive, Totowa NJ Meeting on April 21, 2010 at 3:00 pm – Encourage Commissioners to attend the meeting.
  - b. Goffle Road Industrial Building – Summons issued
  - c. Christian Health Center – Wyckoff – Status Update as of May 2010 -The plans are being reviewed by the Wyckoff Architectural Committee prior to the Zoning Board of Adjustment. The outcome of the meeting – Christian Health Center must build a “model” of the project.
  - d. Former Mayfair Glass – May 7, 2010 dated No Further Action Letter issued for 2-1,000 gallon gasoline, 1-2,000 gallon gasoline, and 1-1,000 gallon diesel USTs)
- IX. Next Meeting June 7, 2010 at 7:00 pm (meeting starts at 7:30 pm televised)