

# FRELINGHUYSEN TOWNSHIP OPEN SPACE ADVISORY COMMISSION

Minutes of April 6, 2011

## **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Nancy Nicholoff at 7:10 pm.

## **ANNOUNCEMENT OF PROPER NOTICE**

Notice of this meeting was provided by advertising in the Express Times and New Jersey Herald, the official newspapers of the Township of Frelinghuysen, in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act. Action may be taken at the meeting as advertised.

## **ATTENDANCE**

Members present: Cliff Kimball, Maureen Cullen, Nancy Nicholoff and Wendy Buttgerit

Members absent: Robin Randolph, Dan Carson and Tom Charles

## **MINUTES**

Wendy made a motion to approve the March 2, 2011 minutes, seconded by Maureen Cullen all in favor - aye.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- Open Space/Farmland Trust Fund Balance
- ANJEC grant submitted for Open Space Recreation Plan Revision.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- A field trip was discussed to be on April 30th with a May 7th rain date. Nancy Nicholoff mentioned that Robin Randolph is working with Debbie Natzak to host a hike to Mud Pond to view beavers and hike to High Rocks. Wendy spoke about last year's hike. Concerns mentioned for parking. Wendy Buttgerit made a motion to sponsor field trip and Cliff Kimball 2nd.
- Environmental Commission- Maureen Cullen spoke on Sustainable NJ. Ms. Cullen attended an informative meeting in Blirstown and exchanged ideas. Nancy Nicholoff said Tom Charles has some plans that would include a sub

committee. Maureen Cullen mentioned that Donna Zilberfarb submitted the renewal for ANJEC membership. An Environmental Resource Inventory Revision was added to the ANJEC grant application completed by TLC.

- Recreation- Cliff Kimball shared that Casino Night was a hit. He also said that they are working on getting the field at Town Hall ready for Little League and soccer. The walk on the walking trail was halted, he said due to the rain. Cliff shared that the road Dept. will do the digging for the trail and he will look into other townships trails to see how they built them. Mention was made of Founders Day on June 4, 2011.

**PUBLIC Comment- None**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Cliff Kimball made a motion for executive session and Maureen Cullen seconded.

No action was taken.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Doreen Muller-Rutherford

Open Space Commission Secretary