

# **Bradley Beach Environmental Commission**

February 4th 2020. 7:00 pm

## **Minutes**

Present: Meredith, Geoff, Dan, Rona, John, Jackson (Monmouth U. intern)

Geoff Curtiss took the role of secretary

Approved the November minutes

We are short a board member. Who should it be? Do we bring John back onto the board or open up to interested citizens.

Talked about the Sustainable New Jersey application process and our completion of it. Thanks to John and Rona. Want to use sustainable nj as a guide for our actions this year.

There is a meeting in Long Branch on 2/10 about the Pay Up Polluter Campaign which Meredith will try to attend others are invited to attend.

Jackson was introduced as our Monmouth University Intern. We had a good discussion on what his role and activities can be.

1- explore Monmouth county tree removal regulations. Why did it happen on Brinley Ave without town knowing.

2- A new tree ordinance is being prepared to be introduced to the city.

3- maybe we could celebrate Arbor Day 4/24 with an education event focused on trees. Watched a video on Salem Oak tree. Contact NJ Forestry about possibility of our planting trees in the community.

4- spoke about LED Lighting opportunities in town. Rona to follow up with Jersey Power and Light and their interest in bringing its use to town.

Meeting adjourned 8:04. P.m.