



## EAC Meeting Minutes 10/5/23 - APPROVED

### Call to Order

The October meeting of the EAC was called to order on 10/5/23 at 7:05pm

### Attendance

Those committee members in attendance were:

Elisabeta P. Sheehan, Kathy McDevitt, Drew Wallace, Wayne Piaskowski, Carys Egan, Dana Alan, (Donna Delany on phone)

### Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

MOTION by Carys to approve the September minutes; second by Elisabeta. All in favor. The motion carries unanimously.

### Presentations

none

### Old Business

Healthy Yard Recognition Program –

- 7-8 New applicants – all applicants approved
- How do we continue to promote and encourage participation in the healthy yard program

Fall Festival at Opalanie Park

- Elisabeta has the materials that were at the EAC table at the Tallamy lecture- will drop off to Donna
- Pollinator poster – to be displayed at the EAC table
- Donna has Monarch Butterfly wings and will bring to the EAC table
- Bartlet Tree, litter lifters, clean energy , French and Pickering and EAC West Vincent will have tables all in close proximity to each other
- Township proposing to encourage visitors to get stamped by visiting each station and if they have three stamps, they are eligible for drawing of prizes

Bird houses/boxes

- Kestrel box set up at Opalanie
- Purple Martin house to be set up at Evans Park – Rachel is coordinating

### New Business-

Subdivision - none

Manager's Report – None

Natural Heritage Talk

- To be rescheduled possibly to 1/22/24

#### Book Club

- Carys to be point person
- Date discussed – possibly 2/20/24
- Book selected – Tallamy Natures Best Hope
- Where – best location discussed is WVT building
- Time 7-8:30 PM

#### EAC Conference

- Donna Delany speaking
- Not too late to sign up and be reimbursed for attendance fee

#### Tree ID Walk

- Max McCormick
- 10/15 1-3 PM

#### Environmental Club at OJR

- Students need volunteer hours
- Volunteering within the of scientific and environmentally related volunteering experience
- Ideas that may qualify: invasive removal, tree care etc
- Could be a good way to get extra help with those items within WVT property that need attention

There being no additional business or questions, the meeting was adjourned at 8:04pm.

Respectfully Submitted, Drew Wallace

