

BRISTOL TOWNSHIP EAC - June 6, 2018 Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order 7:05 PM

Members present: Ellen Miller, Mike Nye, Joe Krug, April Whitley, Scot Colby, and Mike Schwoyer. Also present, from GOAL, Kathy Frazier+ Ed Armstrong.

Randee Elton as representative of Bristol Township was in attendance.

Minutes of the May, 2018 meeting were approved.

Randee Elton (TWP Project Manager/Operations Analyst + interim Public Works admin) was introduced, and stated that she will henceforth post the EAC meeting minutes on the Twp website. Several Issues were brought to Ms. Elton's attention:

Scot Colby brought issue of Twp Public Works Dept dumping felled trees (during our recent severe winter storms) into the woods of nearby greenbelts.

Issue of proper trimming of grass on Twp property was raised, with discussion of best-practices being a 3" minimum length to be left.

Twp. Manager wants to continue to cut Muni complex grass short. We asked that cutters continue to cut green belts and other grass areas at 3 in. to shade out weeds and reduce cutting frequency because the higher height will also cause grass to grow slower with fewer weeds.
(This does not apply to recreation areas like ball fields.)

Issue of the (private property) dumpsite in Croydon behind Bowling Alley.

Issue of paying \$1000 for a presentation by well-known Mike McGrath

at future EAC Public Education seminar, on subject of residents' composting (which could save Twp considerable funds in decreased yard-waste pickup).

Issues of tires + TV's dumping and Twp accepting.

Ms. Elton mentioned that the Twp Fall Festival was scheduled for Sept. 22.

Attracting future speakers was encouraged + discussed, asking “Who”?

Mike Nye reported that the “Bee Harvest” held at Silver Lake (with 20 students) was successful, resulting in a quantity of honey being later produced.

Adjournment at 7:40PM.