

Upper Providence Township Environmental Commission (EC) Meeting

Minutes for May 16, 2019 Meeting

1. Roll Call

In attendance were Penny Joines, J.R. Godwin, Keith Parsons, and Peter Quagliariello.

2. Minutes

Minutes from the March 2019 meeting (last meeting held) were approved.

3. Public Forum

No comments or questions.

3. Old Business

Comprehensive Plan. Relevant portions of the comprehensive plan were discussed including mentions of renewable energy and an environmental education facility at Scott Park.

PA Ready for 100.

- The committee discussed the desire to prepare a one page summary of the program for review by Council. The target is to complete this and be prepared to review with Council after they have completed work on the comprehensive plan. Pete will create the initial draft.
- The committee discussed contacting neighboring municipalities to assess their initiatives and potentially share ideas and resources.
- Penny will investigate the status of legislation.

Covanta Plant Tour. Keith has some residents interested and will circulate dates.

4. New Business

Energy Audit. Penny will contact Greg Lebold to obtain the results of a recently completed energy audit of the township.

Grants. The committee discussed looking into potential environmental grants including the [Greenways, Trails, and Recreation Program](#) and [Property Assessed Clean Energy](#) programs. Keith will investigate.

5. Adjournment

Adjourned at approximately 8:20 PM.

Next Meeting: June 20, 2019 7:00 PM