

**Bass River Township Environmental Commission  
December 10, 2014 @ 7:00 p.m.**

- 1) **Call to order** at \_\_\_\_\_p.m. and Flag Salute
- 2) **Swear in Kenny Rose**
- 3) The **December 10, 2014** meeting of the Bass River Township Environmental is being held in conformance with the “Sunshine Statement” and the Open Public Meetings Act. Notice of this meeting appeared in the Press and The Beacon.

4) **Roll Call:**

\_\_\_\_\_Edwin Truitt

\_\_\_\_\_Carol Bitzberger

\_\_\_\_\_Kenny Rose

\_\_\_\_\_Henry Gomez

\_\_\_\_\_1<sup>st</sup> Alternate

\_\_\_\_\_Second Alternate

5) **Approval of Minutes October 8, 2014**

Moved \_\_\_\_\_

Second \_\_\_\_\_

6) **Summary of Land Use Board August Meeting**

7) **Old Business:**

- Status of Burlington County Inmate Cleanup for Bass River-still going on
- Status of Grants for boat ramp at Amasas Landing Road
- Article to Bass River Monthly on NJDEP Hotline (Still working)
- Cleaning up of Environmental files in Township Filing Cabinets –Done
- Information on Code Enforcement inspection of Land on West Road for Tree Cutting approval. Pinelands wanted local Enforcement to review this activity.
- Letter to Board of Commissioners and Planning Board concerning the number of styrene gas complaints received
- Letter from Pinelands, dated September 22, 2014, to New Jersey Natural Gas giving approval for laying gas lines. Was local approval received since our last meeting?

8) **New Business:**

**New Correspondence Received**

- Complaint of Odors in Area from Burlington County Health Department, date 9/24/2014. NJDEP was notified.
- Copy of a letter, dated August 3, 2014, from the Pinelands Commission, Application #2004-0154.001, Block 57, Lot 38.01, Ryan Belk & Elizabeth Schnepf, concerning the application for a septic permit. Currently a violation is in effect until a municipal construction permit is issued and a copy of approved septic plans is received by the Pinelands Commission.
- Copy of certified mail received regarding the Maintenance Dredging and Bulkhead Reconstruction at 39 Robinson Road. The letter informs the NJDEP they are submitting an application for a permit for the Dredging and Bulkhead reconstruction. All paperwork and maps are included.
- Copy of Resolution 2014-91 which sets the annual schedule of meetings for the Bass River Township Environmental Commission for the calendar year 2015.
- Copy of a Letter from the Pinelands Commission, dated November 13, 2014, concerning a Demolition Permit that was issued by Bass River Zoning Officer for Block 57, Lot 16, and a Zoning Permit issued by the Bass River Zoning Officer. The letter from Pinelands states: **“Recordation of the existing dwelling has occurred in conformance with the provisions of the Pinelands Comprehensive Management Plan.”**
- Copy of a Letter from the Pinelands Commission, dated November 20, 2014, stating that a Public Hearing has been scheduled for Application #1982-9010.001, Block 50, Lot 6 in Bass River Township. Reason is that the approved septic plan does not meet standards, and asking for a revised septic plan. The letter further states: **“No Development may be carried out on the above referenced parcel until the Pinelands Commission has acted on the proposed development.”**
- Copy of a letter from the NJDEP, November 28, 2014, addressed to Bass River Township Clerk, received December 4, 2014, concerning the SUSPECTED HAZARDIOUS SUBSTANCE DISCHARGE NOTIFICATION NJDEP NUMBER: 14-11-27-0940-19. Incident was a fire at the Viking Yacht Marina where diesel fuel was released.
- Letter and Bulletins from the ANJEC, dated October 13, 2014 on the topic “Open Space is a Good Investment”.

**9) New Environmental Topics or Concern**

- a) Discuss ways to follow up on actions that should be taken by other Organizations

**10) Public Comment**

Time In \_\_\_\_\_ Time Out \_\_\_\_\_

**11) Meeting adjourned at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m. Moved \_\_\_\_\_ Second \_\_\_\_\_**

**NEXT MEETING: January 14 @ 7p.m.**