

THORNBURY TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL
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Environmental Advisory Council Meeting
Thursday October 19, 2023

- **Call to order -- Salute flag**
- **Public Comment:**
- **Open Space/Trails:**
 - i. Future calendar
 - a) Oct 14; Nov 4 or 11
 - b) pulling cages & stakes; bridge repairs; Crab Trees
 - c) Trees for a Ten (Tentative) Oct 2023
 - d) Birdwalk in Barrett's for Families
 - ii. Budget asks for trail maintenance (culverts, bridges, mulch, brush hog)
 - a) Brush puller tool request
 - iii. Notification/reminder process for Trail Clearings
- **Streams:**
 - i. Canopy consult with Brandywine Urban Forest Consulting; sent e-mail reminder requesting estimate
 - ii. CRC Watersheds grant proposal for Tree Planting and Invasives Removal
- **Community Environmental:**
 - i. Kiosk Contents
 - 1. Maps; History; Ecology; photos
 - ii. Sustainability
 - a. Draft Sustainability Proposal
 - b. EAC table at Founder's Day [recap]
 - iii. Building Projects
 - a. Girl Scout bridges and walkways; need design & budget approval
- **Action Item List (Old Business / New Business):**
 - i. Edit minutes; Forward meeting summary to Geoff (by 10/27)
 - ii. Winter Newsletter due 12/1

Mission Statement

The Environmental Advisory Council shall have the following powers:

- Identify environmental problems.
- Recommend plans and programs to the appropriate agencies for the promotion and conservation of the natural resources and for the protection and improvement of the quality of the environment within the area of Thornbury Township.
- Make recommendations as to the possible use of open land areas of the Township of Thornbury.
- Promote a community environmental program.
- Maintain an index of all open areas, publicly or privately owned including, but not limited to, flood prone areas, wetlands and other unique natural areas.
- Advise the appropriate local governmental agencies in the acquisition of property, both real and personal.
- Undertake such other environmental tasks as requested by the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Thornbury.

The EAC meets on the third Thursday of each month on the Ground Floor of the Township Building. Township residents are welcome to attend.

