

**Readington Township WaterWatch Advisory Committee  
Meeting Minutes**

**April 20, 2021**

**AGENDA**

**1) CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER**

Chair called the meeting to order at 7:09pm.

**2) ATTENDANCE TAKEN**

Attendance was taken noting Committee Members, Alternates and members of public. Members in attendance were: Steve Foster, Robert Becker, Rene Rao, Ago Pietrangelo, David Owen, Trish McGuire, Mario Orlandi. Alternates in attendance: Susan Masinda and Jonathan Heller. Members of the public in attendance: Marlene Orlandi

**3) APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Minutes from the March 16, 2021 meeting were approved. (Motion: Robert Becker; Second: Steve Foster).

**DISCUSSIONS OF THE FOLLOWING TOPICS FOLLOWED**

**4) HOUSEKEEPING ISSUES**

- a. Discussion -- DropBox: Discussion of use of DropBox for document sharing; Robert Becker: DropBox Coordinator

**5) ONGOING BUSINESS**

- a. Discussion -- Framework for Organizing Key Theme Issues:
  - Public Relations
  - Grant Writing
  - Volunteer Recruitment

- Effects of Chemicals on Water Supply (Ago Pietrangelo)
- Annual Stream Clean-up (with RHA) (Trish McGuire)
- Annual Stream Monitoring (with RHA) (Jonathan Heller)
- Sustainable Jersey – Water Issues (Robert Becker)
- Small Stream Stewardship (Susan Masinda)
- Schools Projects (Marlene Orlandi, Rene Rao)
- Community Projects (Rene Rao, Marlene Orlandi)
- Well Testing (with RHA) (Steve Foster)
- Septic Systems (Marlene Orlandi)
- Volunteer Recruitment (All)
- Open Space Trail Collaboration (David Owen)
- Environmental Commission Collaboration (Neil Hendrickson)
- Recreational Opportunities (fishing, kayaking, hiking, birding, etc.) (All)

b. Update – Small Stream Stewardship Projects: Susan Masinda

c. Update – Stream Cleanup Projects: Trish McGuire

d. Update – Schools Projects: Marlene Orlandi

e. Update: -- Effects of Chemicals Projects: Ago Pietrangelo

## 6) **NEW BUSINESS**

a. Discussion -- Interactive Streams Map Project

b. Other

## 7) **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

None.

**8) COMMENTS FROM THE BOARD**

None.

**9) ADJOURN**

Meeting was adjourned at 9:15pm. (Motion: Robert Becker; Second: Steve Foster).