

ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

MEETING: December 2, 2010

MINUTES

In Attendance:

- Chris Roe, EAC
- Ginger Pohlman, EAC
- Alice Presley, EAC
- John Presley, EAC
- Veronica Homes, EAC
- Brough Richey, EAC
- David Pohlman, EW Parks & Rec/Friends of Chester Valley Trail
- Dan Sevick, FED
- Mitch Moss, ECOR
- Jim Feeney, USEPA

Commence Time: 7:00 pm

I. Foote Mineral Update

- a. Reviewed site history – FED/ECOR/EPA
 - i. EPA ROD Construction completed
 - ii. Cap completed Fall 2010
 - iii. Long term monitoring wells – Sept 2010
 - iv. December 2010 – Initial round of groundwater sampling
 - v. Effectiveness of remedy evaluated at least every 5 years
- b. Operations and Maintenance Plan discussed
 - i. Whiteland Village or owner responsible
 - ii. Plan drafted by Golder Assoc. – Not finalized
- c. Groundwater Plan
 - i. Quarterly first 2 years
 - ii. Discussed 4 down gradient locations
- d. Solidified material tested during process – permeability and strength
- e. Discussed drainage from capped area – impact on Chester Valley Trail
 - i. Dave Pohlman (member of EW Parks & Rec and Friends of Chester Valley Trail) brought photos of the recent flooding on the trail
 - ii. Attendees viewed photos
 - iii. Discussed flooding and design issues
 1. Discussed history of current design
 2. Discussed proposed alternatives to remedy situation
 - iv. Ice a safety concern
 - v. **ACTION ITEMS:**
 1. **EAC – talk with supervisors about contacting County and DEP about issue**
 2. **FED/ECOR- will look into design alternatives**

- f. **O & M Plan will get to EAC probably in February 2011**
 - g. Solar – working on in April 2011
 - h. **FED/ECOR will send EAC ground water monitoring results**
 - i. Discussed construction schedule
 - i. 131 depositors need 140
 - ii. Construction may start in spring if deposits received
 - j. Discussed deed restriction for vapor intrusion
 - i. **ACTION ITEMS:**
 - 1. **Deed restrictions should be in place**
 - 2. **Check how much is in escrow**
- II. Backyard Ecology Program**
- a. Pilot program is for 5 homeowners
 - i. Two people enrolled
 - ii. Two consultations
 - b. Terry has grant application
 - c. Township has a list of targeted owners - agreed that a letter should be sent out to those on list

Meeting ended at 9:00 pm