

February 24, 2022

○ **KINNELON ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES**
FEBRUARY 24, 2022

MEETING TO ORDER:

Chair Person Thomas Ott called the meeting to order, stated this meeting is being held pursuant to the New Jersey Open Public Meeting Act. Adequate notice of this meeting was given by advertising in the January 9, 2022 edition of the Trends and was provided to the Star Ledger, Daily Record and the North Jersey Herald News. Adequate notice was also posted on the municipal building bulletin board, filed with the Environmental Secretary and provided to those persons or entities requesting notification.

The meeting of the Kinnelon Environmental Advisory Committee came to order on February 24, 2022, at 7:30 p.m. via zoom. Present were, Thomas Ott, Jessica Zelenak, Lauren Ebersol, Scot Simptner, Katherine Galarza

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

- Jessica Zelenak made a motion to approve February 24, 2022, Second by Scott Simptner. With the unanimous affirmative voice vote of all members present.

HEARING FROM THE PUBLIC:

- Chairperson Thomas Ott asked if anyone from the public wished to be heard, to please step forward. Hearing none Thomas Ott closed this portion of the meeting.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Thomas Ott spoke on Earth Day and speaking with the town Forester on seedlings to give out.
- Give out tote bags and saplings for the 100th Anniversary event
- Hiking trail maps for K-Fresh

NEW BUSINESS:

- Talked about joining the Environmental Committee and Open Space Committee into one. Most of the Environmental Committee were in favor for the merge of the two committees.
- Scott was going to speak with Tammy on the merge of the committees or to keep them separate.
- There was talk on the ATV that are running on Saw Mill Road and that the environmental trail are being destroyed for hiking.
- Next month we will be back in-person at the borough hall to hold our Environmental meetings.

CORRESPONDENCE:

- There was no correspondence for the month of February 2022.

PAYMENT OF BILLS:

- There were no bills to be paid this month

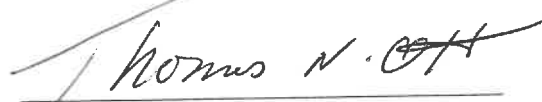
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The meeting adjourned upon a motion by Thomas Ott, seconded by Jessica Zelenak, with the unanimous affirmative voice vote of all members present at 7:50 pm.

Respectfully submitted,



Karen M. Iuele, RMC
Borough Clerk
Environmental Secretary



Chairperson Thomas Ott