



SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMISSION

EAC December Meeting Agenda

December 4, 2024 7 PM – Springfield Township Free Library

Attending

- Committee & Associates, Residents

WELCOME TO MEMBERS & GUESTS

- No guests scheduled

ATTENDANCE & APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- We'll publish October Minutes in January

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT/OPEN FORUM

COMMUNICATION/OUTREACH

None

NEW BUSINESS

- Announcement - Gail
- Leaf Blower Call - Aaron
- 2025 Planning - Martin

TOWNSHIP UPDATE/QUESTIONS

Updates - Brendan, Chuck

OLD BUSINESS

Commercial Leaf Blower Survey

We have received over 700 responses to the Survey so far, but would like to get over 1000. We have circulated the Survey on social media, Commissioner email lists, and we also have a QR code set up at the Library. So we should still be circulating the survey as widely in the Township

as possible. Also, the Survey is going to take some unskewing as there are duplicates and fake email addresses submitted after it made its way around the What's Happening Springfield Facebook Group where there was lots of misinformation being spread regarding what the survey was about (a lot of people thought it had to do with PERSONAL leaf blowers even though it says clearly "commercial" throughout the Survey). There is a regional coalition meeting scheduled on gas leaf blowers that includes EAC members from throughout the surrounding areas headed by Ellie Kerns at PennEnvironment. In addition to more widely circulating the Survey, we plan on exploring different ways to do outreach to local landscaping companies to bring them together for a workshop put on by manufacturers that can explain their cost and environmental benefits, as well as their operational capabilities.

ADJOURNMENT

UPCOMING EAC EVENTS

January 22, 2024 7 PM – Springfield Township Free Library

Please note, EAC agendas are subject to change without notice.