COMMERCIAL TOWNSHIP

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

MINUTES OF

JUNE 8, 2021

Meeting called to order at 7:20pm by Chairman Nardone. He announced that the meeting is being held in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act.

Present: John Nardone, Julie Gandy, Dale Schweitzer, via phone Lorraine Shourds, Absent Pat Smith, Peter Manzelmann. Also in attendance: Mayor Mike Vizzard.

Minutes of May 11, 2021

Postponed to the next meeting

ANJEC: no report

Sustainable Jersey: no report

Well Seminar: Lorraine reported that InTouch Loomcharoen, Water Compliance Specialist with RCAP (Resources for Community and People) Solutions, Inc sent information to Mike Cohors. She has had no contact from them.

New Business: Pat's contact with the NJ Department of Health, Jesse Gleason explained that they have funding from CDC for well water testing that must be used by August, 2021. John followed up with her. Ms. Gleason said they have funding to test 60 wells for iron, manganese, and lead a \$63 value. A date and time to drop off and pick up the bottles will need to be determined.

Several questions arose: if problem is identified, what will the cost be to fix it? What happens in the event a problem is identified? Will the home owner be required to fix it? Why is iron bad for you? What was the purpose of the grant? John will contact Ms. Gleason for the answers.

Motion by John seconded by Dale conditioned on satisfactory responses as to what happens if a failed test. Motion approved

Open to the public:

Motion by Julie seconded by Dale to open the meeting to the public. Motion approved. No comments. Motion by Julie seconded by Lorraine to close the public portion. Motion approved.

Correspondence: Certified mail from EDA (Engineering Design Associates) Dated May 28, 1921 re: NJDEP Freshwater Wetlands Permit #24 for 8109 Fern Drive South, Block 206 Lot 13, with design for septic alteration

Motion by Lorraine seconded by Dale to adjourn. Motion approved at 7:45pm.

Respectively submitted,

Julie Gandy, Secretary

cc: Twp. Committee

CTEC members