



**Morristown Environmental Commission**

**Morristown Town Hall**

**200 South Street, Room 200**

**Morristown, N.J. 07960**

**January 8, 2019**

**7:30 p.m.**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Senior Center**

- I. Roll Call: Commissioners Denman, Baumann, Umbriac, Grigas, Pylypchuk, Ginsberg and Council Liaison Deeb

Council Liaison Deeb Excused

- II. Approval of Minutes for September 4, 2018

- III. Open Public Session

- IV. **New Business** – Chairperson Denman to report  
Office of the Mayor & Business Administrator:

1. The Kleitman Woods Project ribbon cutting to be scheduled for late Spring 2019. The MEC has donated the Bronze sign for “Kleitman Woods at Hillcrest” attached to the boulder.
2. Following Town Engineer Anthony DeVizio’s presentation at the December 2018 MEC meeting debriefing the MEC on the Hydrology/Hydraulics study on Foote’s Pond we will be submitting our recommendation to the Mayor, Business Administrator and Town Council for consideration.
3. Chairwoman Denman to update the MEC on the “clean-up” of Burnham Park. Burnham Park was selected in January of 2018 as one of the MEC’s goals to “Adopt a Park” each year.
4. MEC Spring Flyer - MEC Quarterly Flyer Committee to provide DRAFT at February 2019 MEC meeting

- V. **Ongoing Business - Committee Reports**

- Board of Adjustment: Chair Denman will provide the MEC with the applications before the BOA
- Planning Board – No updates
- Town Council – Councilwoman Allison Deeb to provide update

- MEC Bylaws - Maureen to work with Town Attorney Pawar

## VI. 2019 MEC Initiatives –

Chair Denman requested each Commissioner present one new initiative for consideration at the January Meeting.

Commissioners to select initiatives and objective for 2019  
ADDITIONAL BRAINSTORMING IDEAS

### 2018 MEC Initiatives – how'd we do?

- **Environmental Pet Safe Rock Salt Initiative**
  - Offering Residents P.F. Rock Salt (pickup centralized location)
  - Reduced Cost purchasing in bulk
  - Residents pre-order by weight

*J. Barrick to speak with Town Attorney & provide feedback*

- **MEC Composter Initiative**
  - Offering Residents Composters at Reduced Fixed Rate
  - Including Composting Workshops
  - Composting Centralized location

*Chair Denman to provide details from Town of Cranford on how initiative done and then report back to J. Barrick*

- MEC One-Park-Per-Year ☒
- Environmental Grants ☒
  - Possible add-on of WiFi networks
  - Big Belly Trash Receptacles
  - Bottle Filling stations

## 8. Sub-Committee Updates – Upcoming Events

### Community Outreach Committee

MEC's annual partnering with "Friend of Foote's Pond" Spring Tree Planting at Foote's Pond.

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Mayor's Lakeside Cleanup

Committee Chair Grigas to head up 2019 Clean-Up.