

MANTOLOKING ENVIROINMENTAL COMMISSION  
MEETING MINUTES

Date: May 10, 2016

Meeting No: 2016-05

Members Present: Bixby, Mattia, McIntyre, O'Malley, Pilling, Wesson, White

Members Absent: None

Public: Morgan-Rae Ciani, Ocean Star

- Chairman Bixby called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.
- The minutes of the April 11, 2016 meeting were approved.
- C. Bixby reminded everyone that the Barnegat Bay Blitz clean-up is scheduled for June 3, 2016 beginning at 10:00 and the annual town-wide clean-up event is scheduled for June 11, 2016 beginning at 10:00.
- Ed O'Malley reported good progress on a draft resolution promoting sound environmental techniques to be practiced by homeowners in Mantoloking. Ed has researched several resolutions from other towns and has sent copies to C. Bixby for review. Ed asked that if Commission members had any suggestions to please forward them to him.
- C. Bixby encouraged members to forward suggestions to the newsletter to him for inclusion in the next newsletter. It was suggested to include a piece on organic weed killer.
- Ms. Mattia noted that the latest Tip of the Month was published in the Ocean Star and that the June tip would be her last. Another member will be appointed for the tip at the next meeting.
- C. Bixby led a discussion on coming up with a logo for the Commission and suggested a frog. Joan Mattia has done some preliminary research and has found evidence that Mantoloking may mean "Land of the Frogs". C. Pilling stated that she has heard that before and also that Mantoloking means "Sunset". After some discussion it was decided that a logo would be good and that Ed O'Malley and Connie would contact graphic artists that they know to see if one would be willing to work on a logo that incorporates a frog and sunset. Joan will send out copies of what she has found on the meaning of Mantoloking to the members for their information.
- J. Wesson noted that a "spritely" young fox has been seen in the area and that other residents have reported sightings of the four legged mammals as well.
- The next meeting will be held June 14, 2016 beginning at 5:00 p.m. at the Mantoloking Yacht Club Sailing Center.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

Submitted by:  
Courtney Bixby, Chairman