

Jamal Kadri (12/31/2025)	P										
Ozgur Tunceli (Alt I) (12/31/ 2024)	A										
Leo Rommell (Alt II) (12/31/2023)	P										

NEW BUSINESS - REORGANIZATION

→ Nomination - Chair

Secretary Kavchok requested a nomination for Chair. Erica Johanson nominated Marnie Stetson to remain Chair. A motion for Marnie Stetson to remain Chair of the East Amwell Environmental Commission/Green Team was made by member Johanson and seconded by member Lurie. All in favor by voice vote.

→ Nomination - Vice Chair

Chair Stetson requested a nomination for Vice Chair. Chair Stetson nominated Bob Lurie for Vice Chair. A motion was made to promote Bob Lurie to Vice Chair of the East Amwell Environmental Commission/Green Team by Member Johanson and seconded by Member Groon. All in favor by voice vote.

→ Motion - Schedule n/a

→ Motion - RRO n/a

REVIEW OF AGENDA

An addition to the agenda was requested by Vice Chair Lurie. Under new business, a climate change subcommittee will be added.

PRESENTATION OF MINUTES

→ Motion - November 28th, 2022 Minutes

A motion to approve the November 28th, 2022 minutes was made by Vice Chair Lurie and seconded by member Groon. All in favor by voice vote.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC FOR ITEMS NOT ON AGENDA

→ Motion - Open to the public

A motion to open to the public was made by member Groon and seconded by Member Johanson. Three members of the public were present. Anne & Kent Christiansen and [Emily Mastropietro](#).

SPECIAL DISCUSSION

UNFINISHED/ONGOING BUSINESS

DCFC Status - Chair Stetson updated the Commission on the status of the \$75,000.00 BPU grant that the Commission won for the install of a DCFC charger at the municipal building. The grant will be shelved due to the township’s inability and unwillingness to cover the upfront costs.

Vice Chair Lurie advised he will speak with his contacts at NJ Solar to explore options for East Amwell in this venue.

Upcoming events - Secretary Kavchok provided an update on the Green Scene planning (4/23) and sustainability series (monthly) as well as the proposed cleanup of Amwell Lake (3/19)

NEW BUSINESS

Establishment of Subcommittees - Chair Stetson requested the following subcommittees be established so as to avoid a quorum outside of meeting hours.

Native Plants Subcommittee: Erica Johanson, Bob Lurie, Jamal Kadri

Events & Outreach Subcommittee: Alison Kavchok, Erica Johanson, Leo Rommel

Equity Advisory Subcommittee: Alison Kavchok, Ozgur Tenceli, Marnie Stetson

Climate Change Subcommittee: Bob Lurie, [Greg Chiacchio](#)

Site Review Subcommittee: Jamal Kadri, Erica Johanson

Regarding the Climate Change Subcommittee, Vice Chair Lurie will contact Kathleen Biggins of C-Chane Conversations for a possible discussion on climate change either directly with the Commission, or as a part of our Sustainability Series.

The 2023 goals and objectives for the Commission are in the shared drive for review.

ORAL REPORTS

Planning Board - Chair Stetson provided an update on the Region 9 application.

Parks & Recreation - Secretary Kavchok provided an update on the proposed and confirmed events for 2023.

FOSPC - Member Johanson advised that the Farmland Preservation application is a work in progress.

Township Committee Liaison - Mayor Casper-Bloom advised that the budget it set to be reviewed for 23.

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC FOR ITEMS ON THE AGENDA

[Emily Mastropietro](#) advised she would be on hand representing her farm, Fractal Fern, at the Green Scene on April 23rd and will assist with any rain garden initiative(s) that come up in 2023 at the Clawson Park.

PRESENTATION OF VOUCHERS

The ANJEC voucher will be presented at the February meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondence was distributed to the commission prior to the meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

→ **Motion - Close the meeting**

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Vice Chair Lurie and seconded by member Kadri
at 8:44 p.m.

Alison Kavchok, Secretary