



## ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

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Location: Virtual

Date: April 9, 2025

Time: 7:00 PM

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Meeting called to order by: Lisa Surbrook

### IN ATTENDANCE

Lisa Surbrook, Scott Bowers, Jeannie Stith

### CALL TO ORDER / APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Lisa Surbrook called the meeting to order. Previous meeting minutes from 1/8/25 were approved.

### OFFICER AND COMMITTEE UPDATES

Unfinished Business:

- a. TEDI tree management –Lisa met with Red Tail Restoration and Land Management to assist in removal of invasive plants around the new trees. Date to begin work tbd at this time.
- b. Vegetation Inventory. Inventory complete – date for demonstration of the ESRI program tbd.
- c. Earth Day Clean Up and Arbor Day events in April – April 26<sup>th</sup>. ArdenCrest is meeting at the Pauline A Young Park at 10am for Arbor Day celebration tree planting and then we will continue to trash clean up, ivy pulling and garlic mustard pulling. Clean up is being coordinated with the Forest committees from Arden and Arden Town.
- d. Woods Walks / Native plant identification walks – early Spring. Dates TBD

New Business:

- a. Forest Stewardship Policy – on hold, waiting to coordinate leasehold portion with Arden and Ardentown.
- b. Delmarva Right of Way, ongoing meetings with Arden and Ardentown.

#### **UPCOMING VILLAGE ASSEMBLY MEETING AGENDA TOPICS AND MANAGEMENT**

- a. TEDI tree management. Planning to coordinate with RedTail to assist in removal of invasive plants around the new trees.
- b. Earth Day Clean Up and Arbor Day events in April – April 26<sup>th</sup>. Ardencroft is meeting at the Pauline A Young Park at 10am for Arbor Day celebration tree planting and then we will continue to trash clean up, ivy pulling and garlic mustard pulling. Clean up is being coordinated with the Forest committees from Arden and Arden Town.
- c. Forest Stewardship Policy – on hold, waiting to coordinate leasehold portion with Arden and Ardentown.

#### **NEXT MEETING**

Next meeting TBD, virtually at <https://bit.ly/Ardencroft>

Motion to adjourn was made at 7:35 p.m. and was passed unanimously.