



**Environmental/Shade Tree Commission  
Regular Meeting**

**Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023  
6:30 p.m.**

**25 Neptune Blvd. 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room, Neptune, NJ 07753**

**Flag Salute**

The meeting will be called to order by the Chairperson, who states, "Fire exits are in the direction I am indicating, if alerted of a fire, please move in calm orderly manner to the nearest smoke free exit or as directed.

Notice requirements of R.S. 10-4-18, "Open Meetings Act has been satisfied by the publication of the required advertisement in the Asbury Park Press and the New Coaster, filing a copy of the notice with the Municipal Clerk, and posting a copy of the notice on the board in the Municipal Complex, and the Township website [www.neptunetownship.org](http://www.neptunetownship.org).

**ROLL CALL MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

**ATTENDANCE:**

Richard Ambrosio	_____	Diane Allen	_____
Joseph W. Halifko, III	_____	Riona Parola	_____
William Heyniger	_____	Rachel Weston alt 1	_____
Nadia Holzer	_____	Patrick Gilliam alt 2	_____
Gregory Sharin	_____	Michael Celli, Esq	_____
Paul Bagdonov	_____		

**I. OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Approve November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023, meeting minutes
2. 2023 NJUCF stewardship grant approval; cost \$15,000 match \$3750 total \$18,720 vs tracking volunteer hours. Additional questions for grant regarding a contractor for tree inventory.

**II. NEW BUSINESS:**

1. 2024 ANJEC membership 7-members \$425 additional members \$45each

**III. PLANS/APPLICATIONS FOR REVIEW:**

1. ZB23/02 Galilee Eglise Advantiste Church conditional Use & site plan for proposed church Block 3301 Lot 4 3313 Highway 33

**IV. DISCUSSIONS/PRESENTATION:**

1. Neptune Township Resilience Project draft resolution proposal to mitigate climate impacts.
2. Digging and potting up trees and shrubs at Mr. Gilliam residence 12/9 or 12/10

**V. ADJOURNMENT.**

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024.