

## Environmental Advisory Council

June 15, 2021

Attendance: Darryl Speicher, Jennifer Mittereder Brown, Patti O'Keefe, Sally Duffy

Absent: Kathleen Sandt

Meeting minutes for May 2021 were approved.

Discussion was held on the Dollar General proposed building.

Some comments have been received about the brightness of the overhead light at Ice Lake Park. Patti will ask if this is necessary.

Discussion was held on the township acquiring the former Barrett School. Jennifer is on the Family Community Center board, and said they were approached about use of that building. The Community center could use more space, and was interested. We realize this is just the preliminary exploration of the possibility for the Township to use this building.

Discussion was held on following the lead of Northampton Community College in becoming a LEED building. Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design is a designation for an environmentally designed building. Use of solar, geothermal, alternative energy, and other possibilities for the renovation would be a marketing and showcase opportunity for the township.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45

Patti O'Keefe