MINUTES FOR MEETING OF THE MIDDLE TOWNSHIP
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION
FEBRUARY 16, 2022

1.) Meeting called to order at 6:28 PM

2.) Reading of Open Public Meetings Act Statement by Chairman
I hereby declare that notice has been given to the Herald Times and posted on the bulletin board of the Middle Township Municipal Building, stating the time and place of the following meeting, as required in P.L. 1975, Chapter 231 of the State of New Jersey. (Sunshine Law).

3.) Roll Call: Vilma Pombo_X_; Rachel Shepherd___X__; Betsy Haskin__A__; Josh Nemeth;_A___
Katrina Born__X__Amanda DeVico__A___Tarin Mason__X__;Betsi Kohler___X____
Sylvia Lockwood___X___

4.) Approval of Minutes – January 19, 2022
On motion by: Rachel Shepherd Seconded by: Betsi Kohler
Approved by: All

5.) Communications
NONE

6.) Unfinished Business – Vilma discussed the tree giveaway. The trees are not in good condition and there may not be enough for all areas. Sylvia mentioned Pete Lomax may have info to obtain additional trees for the giveaway. Vilma would like to have a table / booth at the Earth Day fair at the CMC Zoo.

7.) New Business – Community Garden is in need of volunteers to assist with the clean up the area. Maybe we could seek donations from Home Depot and/or Lowes for flowers. We would like to spread the word on the plastic bag ban. Tarin, Sylvia and Katrina will work on establishing a date for Acme and ShopRite to hand out bags and collect donations for the Environmental Commission. Katrina will speak with administration regarding reusable bags and possible funding to purchase bags with the township logo.

Comments: Next meeting March 16,2022.

8.) Meeting adjourned (time) 7:15 PM
On Motion By: Betsy Kohler Seconded By: Rachel Shepherd
Approved by all