

## Gloucester City Environmental Partners

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Gloucester City Meeting Minutes

August 9, 2017 at 1:00 PM

Municipal Building - 512 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City, NJ 08030

**Attendance:** Please see the attached sign-in

**Discussion:**

Green Team Business (Mike Duffy)

- EDA Grant
  - Letters coming in
  - Will update letter chart
- Sustainable Jersey Certification
  - Reviewing comments

Green Infrastructure Municipal Action Team Business (Jeremiah & Rutgers Water Resources Program)

- 319(h) Grant Update
  - Last meeting reviewed list of demonstration projects
    - Johnson Park, Schools, etc.
    - Still need to visit fire station
  - Rutgers team surveyed sites in Gloucester City
  - GC recent approved a project for Fort Nassau for flood control and green infrastructure
    - May be included for the grant
- Community Partners
  - Potential projects for Meredith and NJ Tree Foundation
    - Would like to do rain barrel project
    - Eric and Micki will look into obtaining barrels
    - Meredith will look into farms near Millville/Bridgeton
    - Possible demonstration project at municipal building

NJ Tree Foundation (Meredith)

- Meredith is work with a 2 year William Penn Foundation grant
- Multiple events in Camden and will forward along any information
- Micki would like to organize a pruning classes

DEP (Armando)

- ACO is near completion from 2 years ago, especially thanks to Eric
- MS4 permit is looking good

- System characterization is moving along – working with CCMUA and CDM Smith for data and collaboration
  - Part of CCMUA's Long Term Control Plan in conjunction with Camden and the county
- EIT wants to know if GC is still coming in
  - yes for asset management plan and Southport

#### Other Business

- Joyce has question regarding cleaning sewer grates
  - City cleans them twice a year
  - Cleaning sewer grates as a safety concern – public should not be cleaning sewer grates, especially to avoid needles
- Next Meeting 9/13 @ 1pm