

UPPER MORELAND TOWNSHIP
Environmental Advisory Council
Meeting Minutes
February 4, 2026, 7:00 pm.

In Attendance:

Lynnette Saunders, EAC Chair
Jean Scherfcunningham, EAC
Mark Rosenbaum, EAC
Donna Rosenbaum, EAC Secretary
Karl Pfizenmayer, EAC
Jim Morrison, EAC
Cathy Gilmore UMFPL

Approved minutes from January 7, 2026

The 2025 annual Bird Town report has been completed and we hope to continue to be a Gold Level Bird Town by earning over 25 points for completing bird friendly activities covering five different categories. For 2026, we would like to pursue some new Bird Town goals, such as educating the community about the importance of keeping cats indoors and outdoor lights off during migration periods. The Great Backyard Bird Count will be Feb. 13-16, and Lynnette will be giving talks at the UMFP Library on Feb. 10th at 11:00 am and 3:30pm about how to participate.

We have tentatively scheduled an invasives cleanup at Veteran's Park for Sunday, May 17th 10:30am.

Discussed having an informational table at the township's Semiquincentennial Celebration being held May 2nd and 3rd.

Earth Day Fair:

Selected next year's date, April 24, 2027. Most animal programs were already booked for this year. DJ, kids book giveaway, possibly "Coyote's Wild Home", adult books "Solid Air" and "How Can I Help?" raffles, PERT, EAC table with volunteer signup sheet, Montco 2040/2050 information. Info on mosquito buckets and mosquito dunks, climate change, bats, birds; lights out/window collisions/outdoor cats/Bird Town, problems with plastics, native plants, importance of insects.

Mark: Enviroscape and Stream in a Box, Jones'n Bagels

Dennis: Beekeeping

Library: Craft

Karl: Home Depot Craft, DEC?

Donna: Monarchs

Jean: Electric car, native plants

Constantine: Journeywork

Karen and Alissa: tree give away?
Check if Schuylkill Nature Center is available

Lynnette will bring up at the next CDC meeting a possible raised bed community garden on the Park Ave side of the library.

Will revisit the possibility of an EAC Facebook page since observing that both the UM Historical Society and Police Department have one.

Discussed places to plant trees in the township, like the dog park and in the flood plane where houses were removed on Warminster Rd.

Lynnette informed us of a lawn to meadow class if we are interested.
<https://tinyurl.com/Lawn2MeadowPEC>

Adjourned 7:50pm

To keep on our radar: meadow ordinance, vegetable garden at library, Fair Oaks Park plantings, tree plantings at dog park, water bottle filling stations at parks, girdling of park trees, use of Roundup on township properties, EAC Facebook page, more visibility on township website