Egg Harbor City Green Team Meeting Tuesday February 10, 2015

The meeting began at 6:30 PM with 8 people present. Those in attendance were:

- 1.Lisa Jiampetti, Mayor
- 2. Nanette Galloway, resident
- 3. Douglas Dickinson, Councilman
- 4. Bridget Hayes, resident & City Tax Collector
- 5. Alysha Garcia, Teacher Egg Harbor City Schools
- 6.Diane Moore, resident
- 7. Colby Tippins, resident
- 8.Lisa Romano, resident

Minutes from 1/05/2015 meeting were approved (1st - Doug Dickinson, 2nd - Alysha Garcia, unanimous vote).

Reorganization took place with the election of officers: Chairperson, Nanette Galloway, Vice Chairperson, to be determined, Secretary, Lisa Romano, Treasurer, CFO Jodi Kahn.

It was determined that future meetings would occur on the 4th Tuesday of the month. The next meeting will be March 24 at 6:00 PM.

It was determined that a sub-committee would be formed to create a mission statement establishing our long and short term goals. Diane Moore and Alysha Garcia will work on this.

An update on actions taken since the last meeting are:

Website created Sustainable EHC.org

Facebook page Sustainable EHC is up and running

An article in the 2/06 edition of The Current spotlighted the reorganization of Sustainable EHC.

In other business, the group discussed having a presence at the Cedar Creek Green Fair, contacting Kristin DeClementi to confirm date.

Forming a committee to organize a farmers market was tabled until the next meeting.

Other certification actions: the Municipal Audit and the Direct Install Program are on the City Council agenda according to Mayor Jiampetti. Also discussed was a fund raising idea for a "slow food harvest dinner" at the end of the growing season.

It was also discussed the that there will be a tree planting at the Community School on Arbor Day April 24, the city will buy the tree for the school, type of tree to be determined. Mayor Jiampetti discussed that Parks & Playgrounds would provide a tree to be planted at the playground on Buffalo Ave.

We will have a table at the ACUA Earth Day on Sun April 26, we will giveaway a plant, herb etc. which will be grown by Spragg School students, to be coordinated by Alysha Garcia.

We will participate in Community Clean Up Day on May 2, as well as Hometown Celebration.

There is an event at the Food Bank "Starting a Community Garden or Farmers Market" on Feb. 21, Doug Dickinson will attend.

Sustainable EHC will be hosting a "Green Drinks" event at Howell's Pub – 6-8 PM Thursday, March 12.

There being no further business, the meeting adjorned.