

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

Meeting Minutes Regular Meeting September 19, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 7:37 p.m. in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act. This meeting was advertised on the Township Website as in-person at the Township municipal building, town blog, and on LTEC's Facebook page.

Roll Call: Present Chairman Larry Supp, Jarod Gajda, and John Ward, John DeHuff,

Ammunje Nayak, and Kyle Higgins

Absent: Vice-Chairman Doug Hankin, Regan Bottomley, and Doug Wright

Public Comment: A member of the public, Dennis Dougherty, attended the meeting and expressed interest in becoming a member.

Approval of minutes:

 A motion was made by John Ward to approve the minutes from August 15, 2024, seconded by Jarod Gajda. All in favor.

Communications:

Old Business:

• **Fall Bird Walk Final Plans** – All plans for the October 5, 2024, bird walk are set.

New Business:

• Invasive Aquatic Plants at Liberty Lake – While hiking and kayaking through the area, Kyle observed invasive aquatic plants in the Liberty Lake basin. With future township plans of draining the lake and removal of the dam, this should not present an issue for Mountain Lake. However, an evaluation of Lake Just-it is recommended to ensure the species have not traveled downstream and populated there.

Commission Member Reports: None

Approval of Expenditures:

Adjournment: A motion was made by Larry Supp to adjourn the meeting at 8:18 PM. All in favor.