COLTS NECK TOWNSHIP
Environmental Commission Meeting Agenda
November 18, 2026 – 5:00 pm
Town Hall Annex, 3 Veterans Way, Colts Neck Township

1. Call to Order
2. Salute to the Flag

3. Sunshine Law Notice: "THE NOTICE REQUIREMENTS OF THE NEW JERSEY PUBLIC MEETINGS LAW HAVE BEEN SATISFIED BY NOTICING THE ASBURY PARK PRESS AND THE TWO RIVER TIMES ON JANUARY 26, 2026 STATING THAT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE COLTS NECK TOWNSHIP ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION WOULD BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 25, 2026 AT 5: 00 P.M., COLTS NECK TOWN HALL ANNEX, 3 VETERANS WAY, COLTS NECK. A COPY IS ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE TOWNSHIP CLERK. FURTHER, NOTICE WAS PROVIDED TO THE ASBURY PARK PRESS AND THE TWO RIVER TIMES ON OCTOBER 13, 2026 NOTING THE MEETING DATE CHANGE FROM TO NOVEMBER 25, 2026 TO NOVEMBER 18, 2026".

4. Roll Call: Environmental Commission: Thomas Hennessy, Thomas Pacheco, Allan Ryan, Teresa Danile, Dina Ryan, Connie DeMaio, Evan Stivala, Michael Taylor

5. New Business

Guest Speaker: R.J. Curcio, Certified Ecologist, ESA
Environmental Specialist, Natural & Historic Resources
Monmouth County Park System

Supporting cavity-nesting birds in Monmouth County:
For millennia native bird species such as bluebirds, American kestrels, and wood ducks have relied on tree cavities to raise their young. Development, deforestation, and other ecological threats have created challenges for many birds that rely on tree cavities. Learn how the Monmouth County Park System is taking action to provide cavity-nesting birds the resources they need to raise their young.

6. Minutes

October 28, 2026 meeting - Motion to approve _____ Second _____ - All in favor _____

7. Old Business

- Liaison Report

8. Discussion Items:

a. Update on tree for 250th Freedom Anniversary – Lou Bader of DPW will be placing a large rock to hold the plaque for the tree, which is now planted across from the front of new municipal building; DPW will continue to improve that island with sprinklers, flowers etc. in due course

b. Goals and Objectives of the Environmental Commission and Green Team

9. Planning Board Business-

10. Comments from the Public

Motion to Open Public Comment ____; Second ___ – All in Favor ___; Motion to Close Public Comment ___ Second ___ – All in Favor ____

11. Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn ___; Second ___- All in Favor___; Meeting Adjourned at ___ PM

The next Environmental Commission Meeting will be December 23, 2026
5:00 pm at the Colts Neck Town Hall Annex, 3 Veterans Way, Colts Neck Township