BUCKS COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

1456 FERRY ROAD, SUITE 704 DOYLESTOWN, PA 18901-5550

Over 60 Years In Pursuit of Environmental Excellence

Board of Directors Meeting June 11, 2025 8:00 AM

This Board meeting is a hybrid meeting utilizing ZOOM.com as well as a telephone audio call in option. The hybrid option will continue to be offered.

Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance

<u>Call to Order</u> – Dave Wolfinger, Chairman

Approval of Minutes/May, 2025

Treasurer's Report/May, 2025

Public Comment

Reports

Administrative - Gretchen Schatschneider

- 1. ACAP Position Update MOU with Montgomery County Conservation District
- 2. Poll July 9 Board Attendance
- 3. Cost Recovery Water Quality Fund Income Allocation Amendment
- 4. PACD Dues Proposal

<u>DG/LVR Administrator – Morgan Ladner</u>

- 1. Clay Avenue/T409, Springfield Township, Project Total \$93,857.50
- 2. DG/LVR Quality Assurance Board Policies updated May 22, 2025

Agricultural Conservation Technician - Carly Seldow

- 1. 2025 Fred Groshens Farmer of the Year Award Nomination Aaron Stepnoski
- 2. Nutrient Management Plan ("NMP") Funding Renewal FY 2025-2026 (\$40,000.00)
- 3. Nutrient Management Plan -Flying Colors Riding, Bensalem (for Crop Years 2025 through 2027)



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Watershed Specialist – Karen Ogden

- 1. 319 Non-Point Source Grant Application for Watershed Implementation Program Update North Branch Neshaminy Lake Galena (\$44,000 working capital)
- 2. Contract Award Approval for Agricultural Field Restoration at Core Creek (S319) (\$34,772)
- 3. Water Specialist Position Grant Renewal Request plus \$5,000 Mini Grant Funding (Total Project Cost \$84,575)
- 4. Tohickon Watershed Association Community Meeting June 17, 2025

Activity Reports

NRCS – Rosalynd Orr

Bucks County Planning Commission – Evan Stone

DEP Field Rep. – Shannon Davis

WCO - Travis Miller/Erin Czech

Delaware Valley University – Jaclyn Fiola

Farm Service Agency – Nina Berryman

Environmental Protection Specialist – Jason Maurer

- 1. Director's Scholarship Award Update
- 2. Enforcements Update

Manager's Report - Gretchen Schatschneider

1. Father's Day Fishing Derby June 15, 2025

Adjournment - Next Board Meeting, July 9, 2025, at 8:00 A.M.

Post Meeting

The June installment of the Board Development Short Video Series entitled "Voting Abstentions" focuses on voting abstentions, including reasons for abstaining and best practices for handling abstentions in your board meeting.

June Board Development Installment

For more information, please see the following references for parliamentary procedure and abstentions:

Robert's Rules Online

Robert's Rules of Order FAQ

BoardEffect: 6 Reasons Why Board Members Abstain

Source: Matt Miller, Leadership Development Program Manager Pennsylvania Association of Conservation Districts (PACD)