



## Franklin Township Environmental Meeting

February 23, 2026

7:00pm

Franklin Township Municipal Building  
475 DeMott Lane, Somerset, NJ 08873 - Large Conference Room

1. Roll Call
2. Report from Environmental Commission Chair
3. Approval of February 2, 2026 Minutes
4. Public Comment  
*The meeting will be opened to the Public to provide time for general comments specifically related to environmental matters affecting Franklin Township. Individual public comments are limited to 5 minutes.*
5. Correspondence
6. Review of Site Plan Applications Before the Franklin Township Planning Board and Zoning Board
7. New Business
  - a. Leaf Blower Ordinance – Review of Draft from Local Landscapers  
*\*Local landscapers have been asked to review the draft Leaf Blower Ordinance prepared by the EC. Each landscaper will be asked to participate during this session, with a limit of 5 minutes per participant.*
  - b. Closeout of Residential Energy Efficiency Campaign Grant – Sustainable Jersey
  - c. Update of *Franklin Township Open Space and Recreation Plan*
  - d. Committee Reports
  - e. Hot Topics (environmental legislation/regulations, news, policies, etc.)
8. Old Business
  - a. Annual Stream Cleanup
  - a. International Dark Sky Week (April 13<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>)
  - b. Creation of “Commissioner Emeritus” Committee
  - c. Appointment of Youth Member to EC – Update of Ordinance
  - d. Other Old Business as Requested by Commissioners
9. Public Comment  
*The meeting will be opened to the Public to provide time for comments and/or questions related to the agenda. Individual public comments are limited to 5 minutes.*
10. Adjournment