1. Call to order
   Zoë Warner, Ph.D. called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm.

2. Approval of Minutes
   A motion was made by Helise Bichefsky-Reilly, DO, seconded by Joanne Zhou, and carried a vote of 5-0 to approve the minutes from February 23, 2023. Cecelia Oswald abstained due to this being her first official meeting.

3. Old Business
   a. Community Composting Program – The first pick up will be on March 29th, 2023. This was added to the website to let residents know.
   
   b. Bird Town Application – Vice Chair Zoe Warner, PhD is working on the application.
   
   c. Homegrown National Park Initiative - committee collaborations and next steps
      Helise Bichefsky-Reilly advised that she started to work with the Shade Tree Commission to identify at least 5 legacy trees to start and maybe look into using acorns from a legacy tree to plant additional trees. The EAC felt Oak Trees would be best for this. Joanne and Christine will be helping with this.
      
      Helise Bichefsky-Reilly will also be working with the library in order to promote native planting, books educating on the Homegrown Initiative, and having a Bird or Bat talk.
      
      Helise Bichefsky-Reilly discussed the Mayor’s Monarch Pledge and that she will be working with the Mayor to come up with 3 items to focus on at this time.
   
   d. Tidewater Rain Garden
Assistant Manager Corinne Badman will send Frank Ortner a grant for non-profits that they could get assistance for the Rain Garden.

4. New Business
   a. MBPA Sustainability Initiative
      Christine Hafer wants to work with businesses to address waste and paper cups at events.
   b. Invasive removal at Borough parks
      Zoe Warner will be looking into this and coming up with a plant list to be used by Public Works. Possibly be for a fall event to educate.
   c. Website Content Updates
      Christine Hafer has been doing a great job of sending the Borough articles and posts for social media. Send updates or articles to Corinne Badman for posting on website and social media.

5. Events
   a. March 11 was Parks and Rec event Cabin Fever. Joanne Zhou did origami with recycled paper as arts and crafts for kids. The event was well attended.
   b. April 22 is Earth Day Festival at the YMCA of the Main Line. No EAC member is available that day.
   c. May 6 is the MBPA Surfin USA event. The EAC will discuss in May.

6. Public Comment
   Mr. John Buckley, 165 Church St, commented on having a zoo come to events.

7. Adjournment
   A motion was made by Tiffany Brouillet, seconded by Helise Bichefsky-Reilly, and carried by a vote of 6-0 to adjourn the meeting at 8:42 pm.

Minutes submitted by Assistant Manager Corinne Badman in Secretary Christine Hafer’s absence.