

# Hopewell Township Environmental Newsletter

A Publication of the Environmental Commission

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## Meetings

The Hopewell Township Environmental Commission meets the second Wednesday of each month @ 7 PM except for November and December when meetings are held the first Wednesday of the month. The meetings are open to the public and all are welcome to attend.

Newsletters are available on the township website and the township Facebook page. Printed copies available in the municipal building.



## Happy Holidays from the Hopewell Township Environmental Commission

With the holidays around the corner we'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support of our work throughout the year. We are currently working on a list of goals for the new year. We hope that if you have not been to one of our monthly meetings that you might join us in the New Year to learn about the work that we do. Perhaps we could entice you to volunteer for some of our projects. Throughout 2023 we have worked on:

- Creating a pollinator garden
- Focusing on youth with our Hopewell Challenge
- Continuing work on the Open-space Conservation Area and hiking trails off of Sewall Road
- Providing education through our monthly newsletter
- Coordinating with the township committee by opening up dialog on projects
- Hopewell Day Exhibits
- Seeking state programs which will benefit our community
- Reviewing the Environmental Resources Inventory for the township

In closing, a special shout out to Jeannette Pace, John Hitchner, Paul Ritter, and the township maintenance crew for all your help and support throughout the year.

Have a joyous holiday season and a Happy New Year!