## BOROUGH OF WILDWOOD CREST GREEN TEAM <u>Meeting Minutes – January 25, 2023</u> Borough Hall, 6101 Pacific Avenue

Co-Chair Patti MacQueen called the Borough of Wildwood Crest Green Team to order at 1 pm. in the conference room.

Co-Chair MacQueen read the "Sunshine Act" and lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

Patti MacQueen, Darleen Devlin, AJ Caruso, Barbara Little, Bob Deissroth, Danielle Corradino, David Mears, Jeanne Marino and Colleen Archer were in attendance. Commissioner Joseph Franco attended. Members Vassallo, Cusella, Anzelone and Filerino were absent. A quorum was declared.

Since the December meeting was canceled, there were no meeting minutes. There was no correspondence.

Under old business Co-Chair Patti MacQueen said she will have a Sustainable Jersey power point presentation for the entire team at the February meeting so everyone will have an understanding of SJ. Member MacQueen handed out basic information sheets for all members to fill out and return in February. Member Mears presented an outline he created for an ordinance to recommend to the Governing Body in the future regarding changing colors of the public recycle and trash cans within the borough. All voted and agreed.

Under new business, AJ Caruso announced that Love Blue Clean Ups will be moving into a local brick and mortar at New Jersey and Morning Glory and invited all to see the new space. He stated they collected over 2100 lbs of trash on the beach over the year 2022. AJ said there was over one thousand pounds less trash on the beach since 2021. The meeting continued with Co-Chair MacQueen announcing that there will be an Atlantic/Cape May County green meeting on Thursday February 23 6pm at Ocean City Library.

Two members of the public were in attendance: Mr and Mrs Hughes of Wildwood Crest shared their concerns over smoking on the beach. Secretary Archer let them know there are "Smoke Free Beach Flags" that will be put up by public works at each beach end coming summer of 2023. They agreed on the change of colors for trash as they see an over abundance of trash in the summer months. They suggested maybe more frequent pick ups on the beach will help.

The Team will meet on February 22 at 1 p.m.

Meeting adjourned on motion of Bob Deissroth, second by Patti MacQueen and unanimous voice vote at 2 p.m.