

May 17, 2023

Dear Riverton Neighbors:

Good afternoon! You are receiving this email because you expressed interest in receiving information about the Riverton Environmental Commission and/or Green Team when you pledged to participate in a recent Green Challenge; completed an online form to stay updated; contacted me directly; and/or because you are a member of the Environmental Commission or Green Team. Thank you!

If you no longer wish to be on this email list, simply respond to me and let me know. I will remove you. We plan to send out a monthly email like this one with a few notes. I am still working on transitioning this email to a platform like MailChimp. More soon!

Upcoming Meetings

You are invited! This month, we will hold a joint Environmental Commission/Green Team Meeting IN PERSON on Thursday, May 18, at 7:30PM. The meeting will take place in the Riverton Memorial Park.

Some topics of discussion will include:

- updates from the Borough Council
- updates from the Borough and the Planning Board
- Rain garden maintenance planning
- Green Team initiatives
- your concerns
- and more!

Upcoming Events

Want to tour some local gardens? Register for The Porch Club's Garden Tour! You can get your tickets here: <https://www.theporchclub.org/index.php/calendar-3/events/garden-tour-2023>. The Tour will take place May 19-20.

Resources

Want to learn more about how (and why) to conserve water, prevent flooding, and reduce water pollution? Check out this recorded webinar "Homesteading Academy: Rainwater Harvesting for Homesteaders," Rutgers NJ Agricultural Experiment Station, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uytPiTNBfE4>.

Want to learn more about the state of the climate in New Jersey? Check out the 2022 report, published by the Rutgers New Jersey Climate Resource Center: <https://njclimateresourcecenter.rutgers.edu/resources/state-of-the-climate-new-jersey-2022/>

Social Media

You can follow us on social media for more regular updates.

Green Team Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/riverton_green_team/

Environmental Commission Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/RivertonEnvironmentalCommission/>

Borough Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/RivertonNJ>

Borough Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/boroughofrivertonnj/>

Thank you for your interest in environmental and sustainability issues in Riverton!

On behalf of Chairs Kathy Simon and Katie Lucas, and the Riverton Environmental Commission and Green Team

<https://riverton-nj.com/environmental-commission/>