

Bloomfield Flood Mitigation Advisory Committee Agenda for June 11, 2025

MEETING DETAILS

Date: June 11, 2025

Time: 7PM ET

Location: [Google Meet](#)

Present: Tracy Toler-Philips, Norm Sutaria, Matthew Meisel, Duke Ophori, Martin Ryan, Flint Kinkade.

Absent: Filip Gzella, Councilman Nick Joanow.

Guests: none.

III. CALL TO ORDER.

Ms. Toler-Philips notes that Councilman Joanow is absent due to a conflict with the Recycling Committee Meeting.

IV. OLD BUSINESS.

1. Mr. Sutaria says that the resident flood feedback form is ready for distribution.
2. Ms. Toler-Philips has not heard back from Alan LaQuaglia, the planning board chair, as to if and when a public hearing could be held on this committee's proposed amendment.

V. NEW BUSINESS.

3. Ms. Toler-Philips asked township administrator Anthony DeZenzo for a copy of the stormwater management report, and Mr. DeZenzo has yet to respond.
4. Discussion: Possible flood mitigation projects.
 - a. Rain gardens at schools. Mr. Kinkade says that funding has been obtained, and the project has been launched.
 - b. The committee discusses the Remington & Vernick report and its recommendations. The committee decided to recommend to the township and planning board that it proceed with flood mitigation at the following locations: Myrtle St parking lot, Davey St at Belleville Ave, Clark Pond tennis courts parking lot, and Ampere Parkway.
 - c. Thornton/Prospect. 45 West St. Cmte will make recommendations.

VI. OTHER ITEMS.

1. **Approval of minutes** of the May 7, 2025 meeting. Minutes are approved without objection.

2. Public discussion. The public must give a name and address. Comment limited to three minutes. *None.*

3. Meeting schedule. Confirmation of next meeting on Wednesday, July 2, 2025.

VII. ADJOURNMENT.