

HTA Candidate Information Profile for 2019 Election – *Bill Hutson*

Background Information

Hometown (where you grew up):	Uniontown, PA
Currently Reside (address where you vote):	23 W. Washington Avenue in Holgate
Holgate Address (if different from above):	Same as above
How long you have been coming to/living in Holgate:	30+ years
Why you chose to live in Holgate:	It is a Great Community that's quiet and the beach is right up the street
Dates serving as HTA trustee (example, "2016-present"):	2000 approx. - present
Holgate volunteer activities in last year (list all that apply):	Greenhead Committee to help control greenheads
Dune Grass to save the Beaches in storms	Purple Martins to help control mosquitoes
Dragonflies to help control mosquitoes	
Previous Holgate volunteer activities (list all that apply):	Same as above

Three Personal Statements (Note: one section may be longer than the others as long as everything fits on one page)

Why I want to be an HTA trustee:
 I am involved in the Holgate Community with the HTA and I feel that I have made a difference in making Holgate a better place to live and work and vacation, especially with the significant decrease in the nasty biting Greenhead Flies, and the Dune Grass plantings every year with the Boy Scouts, etc. We started the Purple Martin project this year and are just getting ready to start the dragonfly project. I hope to remain a HTA Trustee to continue all of the projects for the betterment of the Holgate Community. Thank You, Bill Hutson

How I feel the HTA has performed on behalf of Holgate in the last year and what the HTA could do better:
 Holgate and the HTA have made great progress. Membership is up because the HTA is very active in ALL areas including with Long Beach Township. One of the best is the plantings along the Beach Accesses areas to Beautify and hold the Beaches together, plus all of the other activities I have mentioned above. Thank You, Bill Hutson

What should be the HTA's top 3 priorities in the next year:
 Since Greenheads can ruin Holgate's Quality of Life and has done so in the past, I would like the Greenhead Trap project to continue to be a priority. Also, since mosquitoes can carry diseases, I would like the Purple Martin and Dragonfly projects to be made a priority and I would like to continue as a HTA Trustee to make progress in reducing the mosquitoes in Holgate. In addition, I believe the HTA should continue to work with the Mayor and Commissioners to help Holgate with our Beaches and the Jetty, and many other things to make Holgate a better place to live and work and vacation. Thank You, Bill Hutson

Hi my name is Bill Hutson and I own Lorry's Motel for the last 30 years. I **Thank Our Holgate Neighbors** that have trusted us with hundreds of their friends and relatives to vacation at Lorry's Motel where we have given them Clean Affordable Accommodations. As part of the Holgate Community I have worked on the Greenhead Fly Trap Project for 20 years and Holgate has seen a significant decrease in nasty biting Greenhead Flies. For people that were in Holgate 20 years ago, the Greenheads made life miserable in Holgate and some LBI Realtors redlined Holgate to **Not Show Houses Or Rentals** because of how terrible the Greenheads were. Also, I met this Spring with the Ocean County Mosquito Control to have their helicopter make regular visits to Holgate to decrease the mosquitoes. I walked around Holgate with the Ocean County Mosquito Control person, and this year we saw a decrease in mosquitoes. In addition, for the past 10+ years I have coordinated the Annual Dune Grass Planting Day at Holgate Beaches the Saturday after Columbus Day with Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, etc, and pay for their BBQ after they have finished planting Dune Grass on Holgate Beaches.