

Minutes
Sustainability Committee
CITY of ROELAND PARK
Thursday, December 7, 2017, 6:00pm
Roeland Park City Hall

PURPOSE. The purpose of the Environmental Sustainability Committee is to make recommendations to the Governing Body concerning issues relating to or affecting environmental sustainability.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

It shall be the responsibility of the Committee to review current uses and practices as they relate to environmental sustainability, including a review of the City's own practices and procedures, and to make recommendations to the Governing Body relating to policies, guidelines or programs, including but not limited to, maintaining and enhancing air quality, reducing waste disposal and need for landfills, increasing awareness of the need to conserve natural resources and generally educating the public on methods to protect the environment.

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes:

Additions to the Agenda

Old Business

A. Barktoberfest

- a. Rain kept many Sunflower participants away. Better advertising next year would help. Thanks were given to all who designed ribbons, judging materials.
- b. Successful day hampered by weather. Due to rain we might have to replace pollinator signs for the future.

B. St. Agnes Active Ambassadors

- a. MJK attended 11/9 presentation; Laura provided a great summary of the program going forward.

New Business

A. Application for CFAA Gold

- a. We decided to hold off until springtime filing in order to make sure we capture all of the good things RP is doing in the CFAA arena.

B. Year in Review and looking forward

- a. ICLEI moves to line item in budget. MJK will work toward promoting sustainability as mayor. More bike events, better block, and slowfood KC discussed. New members discussed, including CF.

Other Matters/Reminders/Announcements:

Next Meeting Date: January 4, 2018, 6:00 PM [1st Thursday]

Adjourn

