

# CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY BOARD

Operations Center - Assembly Room | 305 Williams St. | Hendersonville NC 28792



Thursday, January 20, 2022 – 3:00 PM

## **MINUTES**

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

A. Roll Call - Mary Ellen Kustin, Chairperson

Adam Murr, and Ashely from AWD are both present.

\*Need to add Will Garvey to municode and Remove Kim Bailey from active roster\*

\*Will Garvey was present

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

2. Consideration of Agenda - Mary Ellen Kustin, Chairperson

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

3. Approval of Minutes - Gracie Erwin, Staff Liaison

See email from Mary Ellen- typo looing to looking

Bucket edits (see email)

4. ESB Planning Sub Committee Meeting Minutes from December and Januarys meetings

- Gracie Erwin, Staff Liaison

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 5. Guest Presentation from ADW Architects "Hendersonville Fire Station No. 1" Presented by *Ashley Love, ADW Architects*
- 6. Mayors Monarch Pledge Mary Ellen Kustin, Boardmember

https://www.nwf.org/mayorsmonarchportal

Find out from Lynsdey and Mike if we need a formal letter and if it needs to go to City Council

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

7. Bee City Updates- Will Garvy, Boardperson and Liaison to Bullington Gardens

Planter to be installed at the mural, near the dumpster corral

Once arrangement with Bullington is completed Will will keep up with updates.

8. Recycling Update- Gray Jernigan, Boardmember

In the process of distributing clings, and promotion of ways to reduce plastics in restaurants.

Mayor took a nice photo- Big thank you to both City and Mayor for sharing the word about working to be plastic free!

9. Announcement - Gray Jernigan, Boardmember

Gray has accepted a new role with Mountain Tru and moving into the Asheville Role, which a change of focus on counties.

Will be out on leave for February, March and April. During this time a new hire will be made for Grays current role.

May 1st will be when hopefully the new hire can take over if they choose to apply.

Katie Bruckheimer will be subbing in for the next few months.

June would be ideal time to fill this position from council.

10. Working to be Plastic Free Questionnaire, Survey for Department Heads - *Kelly Pahle*, *Boardmember* 

Personalize the letter, and letter will serve as an introduction as to why we are doing this.

Open to feedback and suggestions, or additions for categories- email Kelly your thoughts.

11. Sustainability Planning update- Caroline Beamer, Co chairperson

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

12. Public Comment - Time allotted 15 minutes

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

13. Any old Business to readdress- Mary Ellen Kustin, Boardchair

Move MLK park clean up to Earth Day April 22nd (also same week as Easter)

Flash mob idea - Leaders for each park and clean up city parks flash mob style.

Ask for proclamation for Earth Week

Ideas to promote- i.e. walking to work, bike to work, or plastic free day. Work with LuAnn or HR to get the word out and also health related.

Earth Week idea- make as an agenda item

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

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