



CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE
ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY BOARD
Operations Center – Assembly Room | 305 Williams St. | Hendersonville, NC
28792



Tuesday, April 14, 2026 – 4:30 PM

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 4:42pm

Present:

Gina Baxter, City Council, Caitlyn Gendusa, Staff Liaison (non-members)

Emily Davidson, Jill Carter, Virginia Tegel, Kimberly Blackwell, Joey Burnett, and Hana Price
(members)

Alicia Stump (member), absent

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Mountain True update added to agenda

Emily motioned to approve first followed by Joey

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of March 2026 Minutes – Emily motioned to approve first followed by Joey

BUSINESS

Review and vote on quote for Lower Mudd Creek Edible Forest Educational Sign - *Caitlyn Gendusa, Staff Liaison*

- Caitlyn is following up on budget and maintenance. The board will vote at the next meeting.

Review 2025 Sustainability Strategic Plan Annual Report - *Caitlyn Gendusa, Staff Liaison*

Review 2025 Bee City Annual Report - *Caitlyn Gendusa, Staff Liaison*

Sustainability Topic Presentation - *Joey Burnett, Member*

- This presentation gave an overview of how we as a community can transition away from oil dependency. Virginia mentioned before going to City Council for support the board should outreach to community partners for involvement since this would be much more of a grassroots effort. Joey volunteered to put together a rough timeline.

Hendo Earth Fest Update - *Emily Davidson, Chair*

Volunteer Sign Up for Farmers Market - *Emily Davidson, Chair*

https://docs.google.com/document/d/15Qi4aX_5a6wihbGM-vNnsarnLMD6J1KgE4VQ9PGQIu8/edit?usp=sharing

Review SDS Signup Schedule - *Emily Davidson, Chair*

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1hUcxz-eGyUD387ihl3VKwvSqOpyuzPL6lIYw6tLlJ6E/edit?usp=sharing>

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