

MEETING NOTICE
Chesterfield Citizens Committee for the Environment
September 25, 2014, 6:30 p.m.
City Hall, Rooms #101/2

- I.** Call to Order/Agenda.
- A. Attendance/Absences/Notices: New City Councilmember Liaison: Bruce DeGroot. New Members Call: W1 needs 1, 2 needs 2, 3 full, 4 needs 1; all can use an ‘at large.’
 - B. E-Reports: 8/28/14 Minutes, *A/W Republic*, *Abi/Bow (8/14- 17.939 tons)*; *DRAFT 18th Chesterfield/Missouri/America Recycles Event flyer/Layout Guide; 10/18/14 Sign-Up Sheet; Business Energy*, “*Energy Efficiencies Cost Utilities Two to Three Times Less Than Traditional Sources*,” p. 44, 7, 8/14; *Audubon*, “*The Audubon Report: A Gathering Storm for North American Birds*,” pp. 24 – 32, 8, 9/14.
 - C. Laptop Viewing as necessary. *Handouts: 10 Recycle Reasons/20 Ways to Save Energy AND All-in-One Recycling Flyer.*
- II.** “Sustainability by Design” Projects.
- A. Partner: Paul Wight, Remains, Inc. - - updating textiles recycling...part of our “Strive for 75%,”etc. (10 min.)
 - B. Update on Parks & Rec Citizens Advisory Council meeting of 9/13/14 – Darcy.
 - 1. Friends of Chesterfield Parks flyers.
 - C. Follow-up 1st Annual FNG Grow-Off – Darcy.
 - 1. Review Talking Points
 - D. Update on Charity Sharity Blankets and Comfort Bears – Darcy, Libbey.
 - 1. 80+ Bears; Grandma Comfort Bear’s total: 740!
 - E. Brochures
 - 1. “Without Plants, We’re TOAST” *from Barry Commoner, via Carl Sagan to Neil D. Tyson*/update – Darcy, Bob.
 - 2. Chesterfield What & Where to Recycle finalized – Donna & Team.
 - F. NWF – Darcy.
 - 1. Recap of The NWF Event of 9/24 - Darcy/Libbey
 - 2. Clean up of “Grow Native” Demo. Garden at Faust Park – Saturday, Oct. 18, 9 – 1 PM. sign-up sheet.
 - 3. Chesterfield El. School update: carousel, milkweed seeds collections, etc. – Jeanne T.
 - G. 18th America/Missouri/Chesterfield Recycles Event, Sat., Nov. 8, 9 AM – 1 PM: Celebrating the 5Rs & 4Ps! – Darcy, Libbey, James.
 - 1. 5Rs – re/ecycle drive-thru in parking lot, Central Park Pool Area.
 - a. Flyers & Layout finalized - James.
 - b. Buying Recycled Means Closing the Loop (5Rs) Brochure.
 - 2. Milkweed Seed Giveaway
 - a. Purchase of *A. incarnata* seeds and bags/bagging plan – Jeanne C., Donna P., Bob E.
 - b. Monarch Milkweed Scroll/Sign up & Zip Code check list
 - c. Girl Scout Volunteers: Troops: 1668, 2534, and 4500 - approx. 26 + 8 adults;
 - 3. BiodiverseCity St. Louis participation/banner
 - H. October is Energy Awareness Month
 - 1. Tabletop up 10/6; down 10/20 – Donna/Team. Use of MORA Banners
 - 2. Energy Partners/handouts/final report – Bob.
 - I. Rebuilding our “Tree Wall:” Millennium Green Partner Projects – Libbey.
 - J. BiodiverseCity St. Louis update – Bob E.
 - H. Other.

III. Calendar:

- A. *Sat., Oct. 18, Faust Park/Grow Native! Demo. Garden – Sign-up Sheet, 9 AM – 1 PM
- B. *Sat. Nov. 8 - 18th America/MO/Chesterfield Recycles Event – Celebrating the 5Rs & 4Ps, Central Park/Pool/Pavilion Drive-Thru, 9 – 1 PM.
- C. * Nov 20 & Dec 18 meetings on THIRD THURSDAY. *Dec. Light/Green Holiday Supper

IV. Next Meeting: October 23, 2014, 6:30 P.M., City Hall – Rms. # 101/2. Guest Presenter: Ms. Sheila Voss, V. P. Education/MO Botanical Garden/BiodiverseCity St. Louis. Overview and request.