

MEETING NOTICE
Chesterfield Citizens Committee for the Environment
January 26, 2017, 6:30 p.m.
City Hall, Rooms # 102-3

Mission Statement: Conservation of native, natural, and energy resources education.

- I. Call to Order/Agenda/Notices.**
- II. PORTAL: 12/15/16 minutes, Republic & USAgain year-to-date; Royal Oak Recycling (12/16-xxx tons); Updated CCE Roster; Bear/Blanket Matrix Updated; 2017's Demo. Garden Make-Over Gift; International Earth Hour Flyer 2017; CCE Brochure updated; Monarch/Pollinator Nexus List; Missouri Conservationist, 12/16, "Wetlands," 1/17 "Missourians for Monarchs Collaborative (Chesterfield mentioned)," "There's A Plant for That;" Conservation Federation, 1/17, "Total Eclipse Headed to MO," "MO's Native Pine;" National Wildlife, 1/17, "Peril at Journey's End (Monarchs);" Resource Recycling, 12/16, "Surveys Show Recycling Skepticism in Younger Generations," 1/17, "Takeaways from a deep look at Curbside Data."**
- III. "Sustainability by Design" Projects.**
- A. Partner/Visitors: Geoff Wegrzyn, new City Arborist.**
- 1. Missouri Arbor Day, Friday, April 7, Location & Time TBD. CCE members + City Officials.**
 - 2. National Arbor Day, Friday, April 28, Location & Time TBD;**
- B. NWF - Darcy, Libbey.**
1. Mayors' Monarch Pledge Report - Libbey
 2. Updated nametags co-brand with NWF & CFM-Darcy
 3. New outdoor signs for YMCA, Library, City Hall, RGA (pending).
 4. CFM Annual Meeting March 10-12
 5. 2/7/17 next NWF telephone conference.
- C. Parks, Recreation & Arts Cmte Update from 1/21 meeting – Darcy, Laura**
1. Farmers' Market.
- D. Biannual Family Native Gardening Grow Off – Darcy.**
1. Ends 3/17, Summer judging, October Recognition
- E. Amphitheater Recycling Grant – (STL Co. Dept. of Health/Waste Mgmt Division) – Bob, Darcy, Libbey.**
1. Update from 1/20/17 meeting
 2. View graphics for Recycling & Landfill Containers
 3. 2017 Grant Application due end of February
- F. Bears/Blankets update/matrix – Darcy, Libbey.**
1. Clarice Hutchins: bears/blankets to Lydia's House; yet to go to Peru and Nicaragua.
 2. More coming soon (120 bears). Check needs.
- G. Education Tabletops**
1. Sachs County Library – 3/6 – 3/23 tentative.
 2. YMCA – 4/10 – 4/27 tentative
 3. Buying Recycled Brochure review – Jeanne C.
 4. Exhibits: pollinator info., 100 Children's Cards, native seeds, sustainable gardening, National Wildlife Week, composting, recycling, Earth Day. Stellar Green Youth Team, Blue Planet Green Challenge & more
- H. 26th Annual Earth Day, April 29, 2017 – everyone**
1. International Earth Hour 2017 Flyer – view – Su G., Darcy.
 2. Selection of native wildflower and annual seeds from Wildseed Farms Catalogs – Donna, Jeanne

3. Cloth Bag Sleeves to store plastic bags to be recycled/reused; Charity-Sharity – ap. 325? Start coming in 3/15 – 4/19. Update Plastic Bags Flyer-Su G.
 4. Opening Ceremony at 10 AM: flag ceremony/overview.
 5. **Discuss** Conservation Honors at NOON: Monarch/Pollinator Nexus Partners (13 – 15) with certificates; National Arbor Day volunteers; Tree City USA; inaugural Blue Planet’s Green Challenge youth; Ranger Rick’s 50th Birthday card presentation & (sing?), 12th NWF Community Wildlife Habitat renewal certificate.
 11. Give away remaining (100) CCE water bottles/stuffed, updated with Caulks/Bonhomme Creeks info & Water Resource Flyer – Bob E.
 12. Re/Recycler Updates – Libbey.
- I. Other.
- J. **Calendar:**
1. Friday, April 7: Missouri Arbor Day Tree Planting; where TBD by City’s Arborist.
 2. Friday, April 28: National Arbor Day Tree Planting-TBD City Arborist;
 3. Earth Day, April 29, Chesterfield Mall, 10 am – 3 p.m.
 4. Monday, Oct. 2 – 6, YMCA Sustainable Gardening Tabletop: Monarchs/butterflies/pollinators; Chris H. Pollinators Program, Wed., Oct. 4; Sat., Oct. 7 planting next segment of the Y’s native flora for butterflies/pollinators garden, back side of building.
 5. Sat., Oct 21, IBH Eradication/invasives clean out at Faust Park. Need to be cleared with Dir. Francis.
 6. Sat., Nov. 4, 2017, Central Park
- IV. **Next Meeting:** February 25, 2017, **6:30 P.M., City Hall – Regular Rooms 102-3**