



Chesterfield Citizens Committee for the Environment June 22, 2017, 6:30 p.m. City Hall, Rooms # 102-3

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

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of May 25th minutes
- III. Presenter: Dr. Greg Anderson, Professor of Biology at Lindenwood University. Overview to and about LU's Sustainability Team. (15 min.) Invite to our 27th Annual Chesterfield Earth Day, 4/28/18 at Chesterfield Mall; map of Caulks and Bonhomme Creeks in Chesterfield.
- IV. Agenda
 - A. Announcements! (Four 7/17 renewals)
- V. Council Liaison, Ben Keathley
- VI. Thank you's to Vice Chair, and our 2 rotating Scribes.)
- VII. PORTAL:
 - Republic year-to-date
 - Royal Oak Recycling (5/17- xx tons)
 - 2017's Demo. Garden Make-Over Gift;
 - *CCE Brochure 4/17 (N)*
 - Monarch/Pollinator Nexus List & Certificate {Develop into Flyer WHO?}
 - WATER A Most Precious Resource 4/17 (N)
 - Buying Recycled Means Closing the Loop (N)
 - Chesterfield What and Where to Recycle Guide Flyer (N)
 - CVAC Coaches Flyer(N)
 - Republic's Duplexed Side for R's All-in-One Flyer(N)
 - Joint DRAFT Letter to NWF & CAPRA for more holistic and unified Community and Parks Measurements for Higher Sustainability-Centered Designs 5/14/17;
 - New Letterhead
 - "Boom Times for Clean Energy Jobs," p. 14+, <u>Environmental Defense Fund</u>, Spring '17;
 - "Amazing Rudbeckia," p. 22+, "Roll Out The Welcome Mat for Birds," p. 64+,
 - Garden Gate, 8/17; "How Do You Save a Species? Save Its Habitat," p. 6, "The Day the Sun Disappears," p. 10,
 - "Vital Wetlands Saved from Proposed Levee," p. 44,
 - <u>National Wildlife</u>, 7/17; "Worldview (18 major river basins in contiguous U.S.) POSTER?, p. 7,
 - "Water Makes the World Go Round," p., 10, "How A Water Fund Works," p. 50+,
 - Nature Conservancy, Summer '17; "Recycled Products," p. 50,
 - Resource Recycling, 5/17; NWF Call Notes 6/13/17.

VIII. Portal usage numbers and review

IX. HANDOUTS:

- A. IBH Brochure,
- B. City's Green Initiatives Brochure,
- C. MDOC's Fresh Water Mussels. Some reading handouts.
- X. "Sustainability by Design" Projects.
 - A. SLCDOHWMGroup Pilot Project Grant Tom, Darcy, Su G., Jeanne T.

- 1. Republic's volume from 6/3 and 6/17 Amphitheater. Next dates: 7/17 and if rain 8/12.
- 2. City newsletter announcement article probably in August.
- **3.** Mr. Herring's article for next City newsletter: recyclables from bathroom area update due 7/15/17.
- **4.** Mr. Herring's update for "All-in-One" Recycle Flyer, second side for 'concessions recyclables.' (Portal Placement and PDF for CCE Education Tables.)
- **5.** "Coaching the Coaches" CVAC Flyer Tom, Jeanne T.
- B. **New Letterhead** Tom McCarthy
- C. **PRACAC** 6/10/17 Councilmembers Keathley, Tom, Darcy.
 - **1.** Meeting notes.
 - **2.** Farmers' Market, etc., Parties Off the Parkway, Th., Jul.6 and ed. Table or bag of handouts Jeanne T. May be Earth Day Vendors
- D. **NWF** Darcy
 - **1.** NWF National Telecon. 6/13/17. Review; call notes: Empire State Bldg. for Pollinator's Week & CCE's Sustainability Team(s) plans.
 - 2. NWF Fiscal Report due 7/31/17 update. Tom and Darcy will meet to complete in July.
- E. Annual Family Native Gardening GrowOff Jeanne C., Darcy.
 - 1. TBDone by Jeanne C., Jeanne T., Su G., Donna P, in mid/latter summer.
 - F. **Education Tabletops** sustainable gardening/fresh water ours and MSD materials; HHW Sites; updates Donna, Jeanne C., Su, Darcy
 - 1. Which tabletop materials: modules, posters, graphics, etc.
 - 2. Tabletop at Library ok'd: up W. 9/13 and down W. 9/27.
 - 3. October 2-6 at the YMCA: sustainable gardening. Sat., Oct. 7 planting the metamorphosing native flora for butterflies/pollinators garden already there. Chris Hartley presenting during week. Reviewed more in July.
- G. Bears, Blankets, cloth sleeves update Darcy, Donna, Tom
 - 1. Letter of Introduction or follow up
 - 2. Table label for cloth sleeves DRAFT Donna
- H. 27th Annual Earth Day, April 28, 2018. Indoors/outdoors.
 - 1. Electronic Thank you letters to re/ecyclers on new letterhead: Nov. 4.
 - 2. Vendors E. MO Beekeepers signed-up for next ED 2018!
 - 3. Monarch/Pollinator Nexus development into a flyer/brochure? Drive-by vs. walk-by or? Who/volunteers to prepare DRAFT Document?
- I. White House Millennium Green Partnership, Oldest Living Tree in Chesterfield Darcy, Paul, Su
 - 1. Plan for meet-up at the Am. Horse Chestnut/Buckeye (?) to ascertain what it is and if our guesstimate of its age is appropriate. Missouri Botanical Garden VP of Research.
- J. **July 5, Quarterly City Newsletter Articles Due:** Nov. 4, Oct. 7 & 21, Grant Announcement, Recycle Flyers which have been updated. Need to go to Tom
- K. **Green Team Emblems** need to order more. 2 New Honorees (#61 & 2) to be discussed in July. Need bids/design graphic + verbiage. Cost factors. Darcy, Su, Tom.
 - L. Other.
 - 1. Discuss and vote on potential time change of meetings from 6:30pm to 6:00pm
 - 2. Parks update and request for speaker series ideas
 - 3. Future Bush Honeysuckle Removal sights in our parks
 - **XI.** Calendar: *National Pollinators' Week 6/19-25/17; *Possible tabletop/ bag of handouts Parties Off the Parkway 7/6; *Library tabletop: 9/13-27; *October tabletop: 10/2 6, Plant 10/7; Invasive Bush Honeysuckle Oct. 21 Faust Park.
 - XII. Next Meeting: July 27, 2017, 6:30 P.M., City Hall Regular Rooms 102-3. David Berger, Executive Director of St. Louis-Jefferson Solid Waste Management District, Presenter.
 - XIII. Adjournment