

MEETING NOTICE
Chesterfield Citizens Committee for the Environment
February 25, 2016, 6:30 p.m.
City Hall, Rooms #102-3

- I. Call to Order/Agenda/Notices.**
- II. Ereports/handouts:** 1/28/16 *minutes, Republic, Royal Oak Recycling (1/1-xx tons); 2/9/16 “Upcycling Recycling in Chesterfield’s Parks;” Bear/Blanket Matrix; NWF National Telecon. Call Notes 2/2/16; CVAC Map for 4/1/16; DRAFTED UPDATE Chesterfield W & W; revised Buying Recycled Means Closing the Loop Brochure; MGHG Plaque writing for rededication; Million Monarch Gardens Poster; revised 2016 2nd BiAnnual Family Native Gardening Grow-Off; 2016 Earth Day Tree Guide draft .*
- A. Flyers: The Household Challenge Flyers** for handing out to neighbors, etc.
- B. Magazine/articles:** Missouri Conservationist, 1/16 ed. for stellar ‘milkweeds/monarch’ article; “The Potager Garden,” Herb Quarterly, Spring, 2016, p. 29+; “It’ll Cost You,” Resource Recycling, 2/16, p. 16+; “The Plight of the Pollinator,” Missouri Conservationist, 2/16, p. 10+; “Bin the Know,” Resource Recycling, 12/15, p. 22+.
- C. Millennium Green Partnership Honor Plaque reposted?**
- III. “Sustainability by Design” Projects; laptop as necessary.**
- A. Traveling Education Tabletop** – Donna, Jeanne C., Darcy.
- 2016 Schedule at City Hall {for City Staff/families; Police/families; visitors}: Monarch Module UP M 2/8, DOWN Th. 2/25 - report.
 - Wildseed Farms Annual seeds ordered; bag & tag TBA – Donna.
 - Monarch Module to Butterfly House, UP W 3/2, DOWN 3/18
- B. International Earth Hour Flyer update for next meeting** – Su G.
- C. 2016 2nd BiAnnual Family Native Gardening Grow-Off update** – Libbey, James, Bob, Darcy.
- 2nd BiAnnual Family Native Gardening Grow-Off kicked-off at 25th Earth Day - Revisions from 12/15 minutes – Bob.
- D. NWF** – Libbey, James, Bob, Darcy.
- NWF Ranger Rick approved to come. REMIND NWF 2 weeks prior.
 - CFM Affiliate Renewal (\$50. + \$1./member = \$64.00.) – Vote - Darcy.
- E. PRCAC report of 2/13/16** – Darcy.
- F. Recycling** – Everyone.
- HH Challenge update/Republic volume – James.
 - Plastics/films recycling reports from: Su G. for Schnucks. Add/or not to Chesterfield What and Where to Recycle? – Su G.
 - Plastic/Paper/Cloth Reusable Bags flyer update – Su G.
 - “Upcycling Recycling in Chesterfield’s Parks” – report/discussion. – Bob, Darcy.
 - Buying Recycled means Closing the Loop - Jeanne
- G. Comfort Bears/Blankets update** – Libbey, Laura H., Paul, Darcy
- St. Luke’s update – Donna.
 - Wings of Hope needs bears & blankets in March/ in process – Darcy.
- H. Boy and Girl Scout Updates** – Darcy.
- Boys – Troop 848 {wants to help with tree giveaway and re/cycling}, New Horizons District/Terry G.

2. Girls – Troops – 2534 (graduating)/ 1050 successor liaison, 2580 and 1668.
- I. **April 1, 2016, MO Arbor Day Tree Planting** – Libbey, James, Darcy.
 1. MGHG Rededication Plaque; with City Council? Parks Dir. McCarthy? Discuss.
 - J. **25th Annual Chesterfield Earth Day, Chesterfield Mall, Sat., April 30, 2016; set-up 8 AM – 10 AM; 10 AM Opening Ceremony – 3 PM.**
 1. Tree Guide draft – James.
 2. Opening Ceremony: flag ceremony (GS 2534, 1050), Mayor Proclamation & receives NWF Renewal Certification; Overview of What’s Indoors/Outdoors
 3. Centennial Trees update – James. 93 total.
 4. NOON Conservation Honors: Centennial Trees Program, Tree City USA MDOC Community Arborist Dan Moncheski conveys honor to Mindy Mohrman City Arborist; Schools &/or Y in STEMR Ranger Rick; “Big Muddy/MO River” Services Manager Mr. Tim Haller words; CFM Director’s words.
 5. 2nd BiAnnual Family Native Gardening Grow-Off Kicked Off – with Grow Native! Vendors – sun/shade wildflower garden kits for Monarchs.
 6. Grouping of ‘like’ vendors; Layout Guide *draft*/to be posted. Re/recyclers SAME as in November??? Indoor/outdoor venue + Layout Guide Postings. Groupings of native, natural, and energy resources educators/vendors.
 7. Eblast Invitations sent with Flyer- James.
 8. Multicultural dance update – James.
 9. Giveaway Reusable Bags – 300 for Friendship Village (handled bags work best for residents there/200 visitors at Earth Day + ?handouts inside: Su’s Bags flyer, others; cost/printing/Vote? - James, Darcy. {*Any reusable, handled bags to give to Paul for residents???* Please bring to meeting.}
 - K. **60th Green Team Member - TBA** – Darcy.
 - L. **Other.**

Flyers Updating Recap: *plastic/paper/cloth bags (3/16) - Su; ; Family Green Initiatives Brochure – (9/16), and 2nd BiAnnual Grow-Off (edits for 2/16) - Bob; Chesterfield What and Where to Recycle, (Feb.’16)/Donna, Jeanne C; Buying Recycled Means Closing the Loop (2/16) – Jeanne C. {DONE: Backyard Compost, Water – A Most Precious Resource, Help Save Monarch Butterflies; Without Plants, We’re Toast; All in One Recycling/The Household Challenge; Stellar Green Youth Team Application; Blue Planet’s GREEN Challenge-E. and S.*

- IV. **Calendar: *International Earth Hour 3/28/16. *National Wildlife Week 3/9 – 15/16. *World Water Day 3/22/16. *4/1/16 MO Arbor Day Tree Planting & Rededication of MGHGrove @ CVAC with Plaque. *25th Annual Chesterfield Earth Day, Sat., 4/30/16 at Chesterfield Mall indoors and outdoors. *2016 Ed. Tabletop of Monarch Module @ City Hall in February 8 – 25, 2016; Butterfly House 3/2 – 3/18. *20th Chesterfield/MO/America Recycles Event, Sat., Nov. 5, 2016.**
- V. **Next Meeting:** March 24, 2016, **6:30 P.M., City Hall – Rooms #102-3.**