# AGENDA SUSTAINABLE NEENAH COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 2023 5:30 P.M.

### Council Chambers and GoToMeeting 211 Walnut Street, Neenah City Administration Building

This meeting will occur in-person and at a virtual location accessed by computer or conference call. Committee members and the public who wish to participate via GoToMeeting should use the following web link/call-in information:

Web Link: https://meet.goto.com/471001429 Conference Telephone Number: +1 (571) 317-3122 Access Code: 471-001-429

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Public Appearances. (Ten minutes divided among those wishing to speak on topics pertinent to the Sustainable Neenah Committee.)
- 3) Approve minutes of the May 24, 2023 meeting.
- 4) Discuss Education/Information projects.
  - A) Rain Barrel project
  - B) Farmers Market presentations
  - C) Special Event Recycling
- 5) Approval of expenditures.
- 6) Discuss committee logo.
- 7) Announcements and future agenda items.

"Our mission is to identify and foster economically feasible energy conservation and efficiency measures; to promote recycling, waste reduction, and use of renewable resources; to increase public awareness and access to new and existing sustainability programs and services; and to be conscientious stewards of our city."

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#### Minutes of the Sustainable Neenah Committee Wednesday, May 24, 2023 5:30 P.M.

## Hauser Committee Room, City Administration Building and GoToMeeting

<u>Present:</u> Committee Co-Chairs Alderman Cari Lendrum and Carol Kasimor, and Committee members Dennis Kittel, Kent Powley, Dave Rause, and Tayler Roal, (All in attendance in the Hauser Room.)

**Public appearances:** No public appearances.

#### Approval of minutes of the April 26, 2023 meeting:

MSC Rause, Kittel the minutes of the April 26, 2023 meeting were approved as distributed.

#### **Discussion of Education/Information projects:**

#### Rain Barrel project:

Committee members discussed promoting the rain barrel project at the Farmers Market in June, on a date to be determined.

#### **Farmers Market presentations:**

June 17 – Pollinator information to be presented by Merrie and Dennis

July – Recycling information to be presented by Kent and Jessica Hanson of Winnebago County Solid Waste on a date to be determined. Composting may be included.

August – Biking information to be presented by Dennis on a date to be determined, with sponsorship assistance by Dave Rause and Valley Management Inc.

Solar energy presentation – date to be determined.

#### **Special Event Recycling:**

Kent Powley reported that the service provided by Little Chute Boy Scouts to assist with recycling at special events is no longer available. There may be assistance for bins available through the Winnebago County Expo Center.

There was discussion about the Committee's request for the inclusion of information about the State recycling law on the City's special event permit application. The special events ordinance is expected to be reviewed by the Common Council in the near future.

#### **Approval of Expenditures:**

No expenditures.

#### Discussion of committee logo:

Tayler provided preliminary designs for the committee logo for discussion at an upcoming meeting.

#### Announcements and future agenda items:

Strategic Planning
Rain Barrel project
Articles on sustainability topics
Recycling and composting at special events
Branding ideas

**Adjournment:** MSC Kittel, Powley, the meeting was adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Kasimor, Assistant Planner

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