

Allentown

435 Hamilton Street Allentown, Pa. 18101

Meeting Agenda - Final

Environmental Advisory Council

Monday, March 8, 2021

5:15 PM

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- Welcome and Introductions
- Review and Approval of February Minutes

Allentown EAC February 8 2021 Minutes

Attachments: Allentown EAC February 8 2021 Minutes

• Open Forum with Peter Schweyer on Allentown environmental initiatives and raising awareness of EAC (10 minutes)

Old Business

Submission of 2020 Accomplishments to City Council – Tinku (5 minutes)

- 2021 Goals Reports
 - 1. Waste Minimization Dieter Kretschy (3 minutes)
 - 2. Micro-mobility Jennifer Swann (3 minutes)
 - 3. Muhlenberg Internship/Climate Action (Tinku and Hannah Chiesa 3 minutes)
 - 4. Park Spark Project Jennifer (2 minutes)
 - 5. EAC and Colleges Event (Holly and Tinku 2minutes)
 - 6. Create an internship list of LV Sustainability jobs (Holly 2 minutes)
- 7. Rain Gardens- maintenance and increase these (Jennifer and Liz for PW 2 minutes)
- 8. Create a public repository of data based on the Greenhouse Gas Inventory and Community Sustainability Certification (Tinku 2 minutes)
- 9. Photograph contest about lantern flies for Earthday and/or another day. Involve the Iron Pigs for a "stomp contest". (Liz 2 minutes)
- 10. Build social media following (promote Allentown Vision 2030, education about our trash and recycling programs, invasive species). Build-out to include internships. Get marketing intern help. Talk to city about better posting of the link to FB Page. Create a QR code for EAC. Use that Neighborhood app/ site (Holly 2 minutes)
- 11. Revise EAC By-laws to align with final updates to EAC Ordinance No. 14566 (Dave 2 minutes)
 - 12. Sustainable Pennsylvania Communities Certification (Tinku 2 minutes)
 - 13. Sustainable Business Survey and Recognition Program on hold (Tinku)
 - 14. Get more Council input on EAC activities (Dave 2 minutes)
- 15. Invasive Species Events- neighborhoods and parks. Maybe a Hemlock contest on social media (Jennifer and Holly 2 minutes)
 - 16. Get a budget for the EAC (Dave)
 - 17. Food Waste Jennifer and Holly (2 minutes)
- 18. Preliminary Review of Allentown Zoning Map Holly and Jennifer (2 minutes)
- Reports from EAC Liaisons
 - 1. Parks and Recreation Jennifer and Tinku (2 minutes)
 - 2. Public Works Liz (2 minutes)
 - 3. City Council Dave (2 minutes)
 - 4. Planning Commission Holly (2 minutes)
 - 5. Bureau of Planning and Zoning Tinku, Holly and Jennifer (2 minutes)

New Business

- EAC submission in Sustainable Lehigh Valley booklet Tinku (2 minutes)
- Presentation by Hannah Chiesa at Green Drinks
- Responses to CDP Questionnaires Tinku (2 minutes)