



Allentown

435 Hamilton Street
Allentown, Pa. 18101

Meeting Agenda - Final Environmental Advisory Council

Monday, June 14, 2021

5:15 PM

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- Welcome and Introductions
- Review and Approval of May Minutes

Allentown EAC May 2021 Minutes

Attachments: [Allentown EAC May 2021 Minutes](#)

Old Business

- 2021 Goals Reports
 1. Waste Minimization/Food Waste – Dieter Kretschy/Holly Edinger/Maria Ocasio (5 minutes)
 2. Micro-mobility – Jennifer Swann/Tinku Khanwalkar (3 minutes)
 3. Climate Action Inventory and CDP Questionnaire (Tinku 2 minutes)
 4. Park Spark Project – Jennifer (2 minutes)
 5. Litter Removal Project at 401 Cleveland -- Tinku and Jennifer (5 minutes)
 6. Rain Gardens (Muhlenberg -- Sadie)
 7. Create a public repository of sustainability data including Greenhouse Gas Inventory, Climate Action Inventory, Community Sustainability Certification, CDP Responses, etc. (Tinku – 2 minutes)
 8. 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/Sadie/Lacey – 3 minutes)
 11. Sustainable Pennsylvania Communities Certification (Tinku – 2 minutes)
 12. Sustainable Business Survey and Recognition Program – on hold (Tinku)
 13. Get more Council input on EAC activities (Dave – 2 minutes)
 14. Invasive Species Events- neighborhoods and parks. Maybe a Hemlock contest on social media (Jennifer/ Holly – 2 minutes)
 15. Get a budget for the EAC (Dave – 2 minutes)
 16. Preliminary Review of Allentown Zoning Map – Holly and Jennifer (2 minutes)
- Reports from EAC Liaisons
 1. Muhlenberg College – Sadie (2 minutes)
 2. Parks and Recreation – Jennifer and Tinku (2 minutes)
 3. Public Works – Liz (2 minutes)
 4. City Council – Dave (2 minutes)
 5. Planning Commission – Holly (2 minutes)
 6. Bureau of Planning and Zoning – Tinku, Holly and Jennifer (2 minutes)

City of Allentown Greenhouse Gas Inventory Report

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New Business

- Platform for future EAC meetings
- Lehigh Valley EAC forum on September 18 (10:00 AM – noon)
- Additional communications on Barnes Lane
- Commitment to 100% Renewable Energy (using Mark Pinsley Proposal as basis for discussion)?
- Global Covenant of Mayors