

Conservation Advisory Council | City of Newburgh, New York

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Council Members:

Richard Harper, Chairman

Chuck Thomas

Deborah Dresser

Gail Fulton

Karen Eberle-McCarthy

Kippy Boyle

Phil Prinzivalli



AGENDA

6:30 PM, THURSDAY, December 3, 2015
Heritage Center, 123 Grand Street

1. Roll Call
2. Approval of Minutes from November 5, 2015.
3. Budget Report/Invoices – Deborah/Richard
4. Old Business
 - a. Expiring terms of four CAC members
 - b. Newburgh Waterfront Updates (if any)
 - i. Newburgh Landing (Chuck/Kippy)
 - ii. South Street Park (Kippy/Chuck) – Grant Opportunity
 - iii. Fishing Pier (First Street Park)
 - c. Tree Inventory Grant Closeout (Kippy – 2 minutes)
5. New Business
 - a. TD Grant Opportunity from Arbor Day Foundation
 - b. Accepted Best Practices in Sidewalk Repair & Installation Involving Trees
 - c. Letters of Support by CAC for Watershed Grant Applications by CUNY
6. Subcommittee Reports (Only if new information)
 - a. LWRP Update – (Richard, Chuck – 2 minutes)
 - b. Parks: (Karen, Gail – 2 minutes)
 - c. Open Space/NRI – (Chuck, Richard)
 - d. Watershed – (Richard)
 - e. Air Quality – (Phil/Deborah)
 - f. Urban Forestry – 10 minutes
 - Fall tree planting sites for 10 trees
 - EAB update; strategy
 - Status of hiring tree maintenance person at DPW?
 - Report on Google Earth Pro training session 11/19/2015
 - Report on Releaf Workshop: Roots to Wires, 11/13/2015
 - Site Visits since last meeting:

- 7. Ongoing Environmental Concerns (15 minutes)
 - a. Broadway Demonstration Project - status
 - b. Consolidated Iron Site – current and future Public Use
 - c. Ferry docking site after December lease expiration
- 7. Calendar of Upcoming events (webinars, training, community events)(3 minutes)
 - SEQRA Training, Tuesday, January 19, 2016, 6 P.M., City Hall/Council Chambers
- 8. September, October, November, all of 2015 Volunteer Hours, if any -- Submit to Kippy Boyle

Project Reviews By CAC in 2015

First Street Fishing Pier; Comments to Engineering 6/8/15	Habitat Newburgh – Ann St. at Johnston, four units; CAC ltr 9/04/2015
Safe Harbors Park – Broadway at Liberty; comments to PB 8/12/15	Habitat Newburgh – 123 Washington Street; Comments to PB 11/12/2015
T/Newburgh Matrix Development in City Watershed – 17K/I-87; CAC Ltr 8/20/15	

Project Reviews By CAC in 2014

Shell Gas Station (405 Bway)	Independent Living
Rt 300 – Crystal Run	Re-Zoning/LWRP Update
Water Tower replacement	Newburgh Landing/South St./Fishing Pier
Torches	Tyrone Crabb Park Planting List
#5 Scobie Drive	North Montgomery St.

General Discussion – (All – 10 minutes)

RECAP OF ACTION ITEMS FOR DECEMBER (Secretary)

Meeting Adjourned.

NEXT MEETING JANUARY 7 , 2016