

Conservation Advisory Council | City of Newburgh, New York

The Heritage Center, 123 Grand St., Newburgh, NY 12550

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Council Members:

Chuck Thomas | Chair

Ronald Zorrilla | Incoming Chair / NRI

Andrew Murphy | Treasurer

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Gail Fulton | Parks

Marianne Marichal | Urban Forest

Mark Sanchez-Potter



AGENDA SEPTEMBER 5, 2023 6:30 p.m. – Heritage Center (123 Grand Street)

- **Roll Call**
- **Public Comment on Agenda Items**
- **Administration**
 - Approval of minutes
 - Monthly financial report
 - Volunteer hours
 - 2024 Budget – Hearing in September
- **Old Business**
 - Consulting Arborist report
 - NYSDEC Urban and Community Forestry Grant -status
- **New Business**
 - People's Park – Tree Clearing
- **Projects**

AGENDA continued
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- **On-going Updates**
 - Sub-Committees**
 - Urban Forestry
 - Tree Planting – Finalize Fall Plan
 - Newburgh Climate Ready
 - Environmental Justice Fellows
 - Fellows present at meeting for updates.
 - DEC Natural Resource Inventory Grant -Kick Off
 - Restoration Advisory Board /Stewart Air National Guard
 - LWRP Update – Locally Adopted on 7-10-17
 - Discuss language
 - Tree Permit -Local Code Revision
 - EPA Enhanced Air Quality Monitoring for Communities
 - Holtech -Radioactive wastewater
 - CSX Underpass
 - Citizen’s Pruner Workshop

- **Upcoming events**

- **Calendar of Upcoming events (webinars, training, community events)**
 - 09-11-23 City Council Meeting
 - 09-12-23 Architectural Review Council Meeting
 - 09-13-23 Transportation Advisory Committee Meeting
 - 09-18-23 Arts & Cultural Commission Meeting
 - 09-19-23 Planning Board Meeting
 - 09-25-23 City Council Meeting
 - 09-26-23 Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting

Public comment on general CAC non-agenda items

Motion to Adjourn

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2023 Governance Calendar

September

CAC Monthly Meeting – Materials Due Sept. 25th for Oct. Meeting

CAC Monthly Meeting

2024 Budget – Budget Work Session: Sept. 19th

Urban Forestry Tree Planting – Finalize Fall Plan

NRI – Kick Off

October

CAC Monthly Meeting – Materials Due October 30th for Nov. Meeting

CAC Monthly Meeting

Urban Forestry Tree Planting – Implement Fall Plan

CAC Member – Reappointment Interest

November

CAC Monthly Meeting – Materials Due Nov. 27th for Dec. Meeting

CAC Monthly Meeting

2024 Budget – City Council Approval

CAC Member – Terms ending: Chuck, Ron, Andrew

Tree Mulch Event - Planning

December

CAC Monthly Meeting – Materials Due Dec. 22nd for January Meeting

CAC Monthly Meeting

2024 Strategic/Action Plan – Develop

EJF Close Out Report

Annual Report Due – 12/31/23