

Conservation Advisory Council | City of Newburgh, New York

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

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AGENDA

DECEMBER 4, 2023

6:30 p.m. – Heritage Center (123 Grand Street)

- **Roll Call**
- **Public Comment on Agenda Items**
- **Site Plan Review**
405 Grand Street
Owner: Zeqir Hakanjin
Applicant: Jonathan Moss/Berg + Moss Architects, PC
- **Site Plan Review**
140 Montgomery Street, 146 Montgomery Street & 137 Smith Street
Owner: City of Newburgh
Applicant: Sean Kearney/Kearney Reality & Development Group
- **Presentation**
DEC Natural Resource Inventory Grant –
From Vassar College, Chiara Castaneda and Professor Neil Curri
- **Environmental Justice Fellows Update**
- **Administration**
 - Approval of minutes
 - Monthly financial report
 - Volunteer hours

- 2022 & 2023 Annual Report
- Board Appointments

- **Old Business**
 - Consulting Arborist report -Dave Eylers
 - NYSDEC Urban and Community Forestry Grant -status
 - Tree City U.S.A. application was due December 1, 2023

- **On-going Updates**
 - **Sub-Committees**
 - Urban Forestry
 - Tree Planting – status on final tree plantings
 - Christmas Tree Mulching January 2024
 - Consolidated Iron Site/People’s Park –
Landscaping Recommendation
 - Newburgh Climate Ready
 - Restoration Advisory Board /Stewart Air National Guard
 - LWRP Update – Locally Adopted on 7-10-17
 - Tree Permit -Local Code Revision
 - EPA Enhanced Air Quality Monitoring for Communities
 - Holtech -Radioactive wastewater
 - CSX Underpass

- **Upcoming events**
 - **Calendar of Upcoming events (webinars, training, community events)**
 - 12-08-23 Greater Newburgh Parks Conservancy Stakeholders Meeting
 - 12-11-23 City Council Meeting
 - 12-12-23 Architectural Review Council Meeting
 - 12-13-23 Transportation Advisory Committee Meeting
 - 12-18-23 Arts & Cultural Commission Meeting
 - 12-19-23 Planning Board Meeting
 - 12-26-23 Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting

Public comment on general CAC non-agenda items

Motion to Adjourn

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2023 Governance Calendar

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