

Sustainability & Natural Resource Management Board

Meeting Agenda | July 13, 2023

- 1. Approve minutes from the April 13, 2023 meeting
- 2. Public Comment Members of the public are invited to speak to the SNRB about any issue related to SNRB business or any item that does not appear on the agenda.
- 3. New member recommendations for workgroups
- 4. Discussion on recycling status and the solid waste / recycling RFP
 - a. Transition to drop-off locations
- 5. Net Energy Billing Credits Agreement with Eagle Creek Report
- 6. MEVS Brown Solar Project update from Cenergy
- 7. EV Charging Stations
- 8. Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant \$75,880
- 9. Discussion of SNRB's role in advising city decisions that impact sustainability, natural resources, agriculture and forestry.
- 10. Brief reports from the Working Groups on matters of interest
 - a. Natural Products & Agriculture Working Groups Updates:
 - Local Food Action Plan MTG 7/13, community gardens, City Ag grants, local food expo (large institutional buyers), GIS mapping project, Land Use Forum
 - b. Conservation Working Group Updates:
 - i. Conservation is focusing on how to develop access to the Little Androscoggin. Jonathan Labonte met with us a couple months ago. It might be useful to see where this potential project falls on Phil's priority list and if he has a sense on who best to proceed.
 - c. Community Forest Working Group Updates:

- i. Project Canopy grants, Arbor Week planting, SFI Urban and Community Forestry Standard Development
- d. Sustainability Working Group Updates:
 - i. Recycling issue discussion