



Chesterfield Citizens Environmental Advisory Committee

April 25, 2024

Meeting Results

City Hall, 690 Chesterfield Parkway West

Room 102-103

- I. Meeting was called to order at 6 P.M.
- II. Kari Johnson, City liaison, Jeanne Tevlin Chair, Rob Kilo Vice Chair, Laura Houck, Secretary, Jeanne Clauson, Paul McCool, Donna Pecherski, Vaishali Soneta, Makarand Deo, Councilmember Gary Budoor, Councilmember Merrill Hanson, Paul Barman - Ward 2 citizen guest
- III. March meeting summary reviewed, amended and approved unanimously. Paul McCool first. Vaishali Soneta second.
- IV. Update on April events and deadlines.
 - a. 4/4 deadline for Citizen Newsletter article - Su
 - i. Two articles were submitted. Will mail May 22.
 - ii. Next meeting, discuss topics for August issue. Articles due second week of July.
 - b. 4/26 Arbor Day celebration at Wild Horse Elementary – Vaishali. Arrive at 9:30am.
 - c. 4/26 - Paul will pick up native wildflowers, and present Shari Ragland with NWF recognition plaque. Laura, Jeanne, and Vaishali will attend. Kari will pick up compost.
 - d. 4/27 Earth Day event
 - i. Meet at CFAC parking lot at 8am
 - ii. Kari will assign stations for members. We will also hand educational literature.
 - iii. Native trees and tree guide - Kari & Geoff Wegryzn
 - iv. Wildflower seeds: two mixes "bagged and tagged"
 - v. Garden Club will provide and pass out tomato plants.
 - vi. Rob and Jeanne will set up/tear down informational table at YMCA for Earth Day
 - e. 4/30 Deadline for Mayor's Monarch Pledge proclamation – City Hall
- V. April events recap
 - a. 4/14 NWF Zoom meeting
 - b. 9/16 next Zoom meeting
 - i. Jeanne will attend virtually. Rob is back-up.
 - c. June is pollinator month.
 - i. During May, you can receive 20% off garden signs.
- VI. 100 'Garden for Wildlife' magazines at City Hall mail room
- VII. Table display is at City Hall lobby
 - a. Topic – gardening
 - b. Terry Grogan (Boy Scouts) plan a honeysuckle removal April 2025. Rob will coordinate the event. Kari stated park staff need to be present.
- VIII. New Business
 - a. Review attached UPCOMING ACTON/DEADLINE DATES sheet for input.

- i. Purpose - keep a list of upcoming actions / deadlines on our agenda, so they are all in one place for anyone to reference.
- ii. Discuss CCEAC future direction - next meeting
- iii. Table top display
 1. Kari would like a different table top display each month & annual schedule.
 2. Use posters printed from environmental organizations, reinforce affiliation.

VIII. Ideas

- a. different locations for table tops displays
- b. schedule displays staffed with CCEAC volunteers at events
- c. website brochures
- d. marketing for CCEAC events

X. Summer Program – Vashali – update 8/3

XI. Fall 'Recycling at Schools 'PowerPoint/Republic – Donna & Makarand

XII. Announcements.

- a. Unanimous vote to request Darcy Capstick as Member Emeritus. Goes to Gary Budoor for PRA Committee of Council, then City Council review.

XIII. Adjournment - next meeting May 23, 2024