

Conservation Advisory Council | City of Newburgh, New York

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Vacancy



AGENDA

January 5, 2017

6:30pm - Heritage Center (123 Grand Street)

1. Roll Call
2. Administration (5 Minutes)
 - a. 2017 Budget
 - b. Monthly Financial Report
 - c. Tree City USA Recertification & Growth Award submitted
 - d. New 2017 Volunteer Hours spreadsheet
 - e. Posting of Vacancy on CAC - status
3. Site Plan Reviews: (5 Minutes)
 - a. 182 Fullerton Ave. (Central Hudson)
 - b. Steelways & City Easement Agreement Status
4. CAC Priority Projects (20 Minutes)
 - a. LWRP Update – timeline for 2017 (Chuck)
 - b. Natural Resource Inventory (NRI/Open Space) – (Chuck, Marcel)
 - c. Green Infrastructure
 - i. TD Bank Green Streets Grant Closeout – (completed)
 1. GEM Polaris delivered, duplicate keys needed (Kippy)
 2. Storage solution for GEM?
 - ii. Tree Issues/Citizen Requests
 - iii. Over-wintered trees - Spring Planting? (Marcel/Phil) Inform
 - iv. Parks
 - v. Community Education Report
6. On-going natural resource/environmental updates (15 Minutes)
 - a. Drinking water: 12/5 public meeting update, if any
 - b. Barge Anchorage Issue: State AG requesting dismissal of proposal
 - c. Newburgh Waterfront Updates
 - o Waterfront Trail – None
 - o South Street Park; Fishing Pier & First Street Walkway/Newburgh Landing Restoration
 - d. Pilgrim Pipeline
 - e. Energy-related issues – solar installation local law template
7. New Business (15 Minutes)
 - DEC Urban Forestry Grants – due March 1 (George Profous)
 - 2017 schedule of CAC-participating events

- April 22 Earth Day
- April 28 ArborDay
- _____ Urban Farm Fair
- May 6 Riversweep
- _____ /Spring Plantings/Education)

- Brief Review of Growth Awards Categories to help us identify 2 or 3 achievable 2017 projects

8. Calendar of Upcoming events (webinars, training, community events) (5 Minutes)

RECAP OF ACTION ITEMS FOR FEBRUARY (Omar B.)

9. Motion To Adjourn

CONSERVATION ADVISORY COUNCIL PROJECT REVIEWS

2017 Project Reviews By CAC

182 Fullerton Ave. (Central Hudson)	

2016 Project Reviews By CAC

1/7	198 S. Robinson	4/5	GPI Site Plans for Liberty St.
2/4	Carpenter Ave.	6/20	Mill Street Partners – Mid Broadway Site
4/7	2 Nicoll Street	7/25	New Windsor Hospitality
9/1	Steelways	10/6	
(Date)	182 Fullerton (Central Hudson)		

2015 Project Reviews By CAC

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 – street trees
T/Newburgh Matrix Development in City Watershed – 17K/I-87; CAC Ltr 8/20/15	

2014 Project Reviews By CAC

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.

2017 URBAN FORESTRY MONTHLY UPDATE

CITIZEN REQUESTS

From December:

- 420 Grand – Remediate, don't remove
- South Street – High School
- Montgomery St. Historical Society – Arborist complaint/Tree Removed

DPW MAINTENANCE

- **Removals**
- **Pruning**
- **Stump-grinding**
- **other**

TREE INVENTORY DATABASE UPDATED