

Draft Agenda

Rockville Environment Commission

Thursday, February 4, 2021

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

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7:00	1. Convene, Welcome, Introductions 2. Agenda Review ; Approval of January meeting summary	Chair Clark Reed
7:05	3. Community Forum	Guests
7:10	4. Mayor and Council Report	Hon. Ashton
7:15	5. Maryland Legislation Linda Moran will provide a brief overview of the legislative process and the role of the Environment Commission. Commissioners will share updates and discuss proposed environmental legislation in current session.	Linda Moran Chair Reed, All
7:55	6. Climate Action Plan Updates Staff shares strategy analysis approach to be shared with the contractor on the project. Commissioners review and provide input. CLAC will share the areas of coordination identified between Rockville and Montgomery County in the county's climate action plan and the progress on summarizing the city's climate survey responses.	Amanda Campbell, Erica Shingara, Pavitra Srinivasan, All
8:15	7. Committee Reports - Watersheds Committee - April 10 Maryvale Clean-up - Energy Committee - Climate Action Committee	Ted Stauderman Clark Reed Pavitra Srinivasan
8:25	8. Chair Report - REC Work Plan - discuss for approval of working document - Check-in on Sustainable Maryland sign-up - Environmental Awards	Chair Reed
8:35	9. Staff Report - Update on plans for spring outreach, including partnership with VisArts, using the Saving Nature Now booklets and plogging campaign. - The Mayor and Council <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Briefing on the Montgomery County Climate Action Plan at the Feb. 8 meeting. o Pesticide Law -- now planned at March 15th meeting. o Plan to present the Environmental Excellence Awards at an April meeting. Earth Month and Earth Hour proclamations planned for March. - The city issued an RFQ for City Hall energy audit project to participate in Pepco's Building Tune-Up program. - The city's application to receive technical assistance to plan for solar and microgrid projects was submitted to Maryland Energy Administration.	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Staff is meeting with Lincoln Park Civic Association on the CAP February 10. The survey will close February 17. - Coming soon: RedGate survey and engagement on passive use site plans. 	
8:45	10. Commissioner 's Corner	Clark Reed
8:55	11. New Business	Chair Reed, All
9:00	12. Next meeting date and Adjourn	Chair Reed

General information

The next Commission meeting will be February 4. The public is invited to attend (virtually). Link will be available on meeting agenda. For meeting materials: <https://www.rockvillemd.gov/AgendaCenter/Environment-Commission-8>