



RECORD OF PROCEEDING

MEETING OF THE CHESTERFIELD CITIZENS ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF CHESTERFIELD AT CONFERENCE ROOM 102-103

MARCH 27, 2025

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ATTENDANCE

III. APPROVAL OF MEETING SUMMARY

The minutes of the City Council meeting were submitted for approval. Su Ghosh made a motion, seconded by Jessica Eilerman, to approve the City Council minutes. A voice vote was taken with a unanimous affirmative result and the motion was declared passed.

IV. COMMITTEE RECAPS/FOLLOW UPS

A. Invasive Bush Honeysuckle Removal Re-cap

- I. Honeysuckle removal was done on the first part of the Riparian Trail by 22 Order of the Arrow Scouts, Jeanne and Jim Tevlin, Mike Tevlin, Kari Johnson, Donna Pecherski, David Fisher, Rob Kilo, Deepa Dhanalakota and Gregory from the Boy Scouts. Thank you notes to be sent by Jeanne Tevlin. It was suggested that we need more orange spray and people to spray it for next time. Su Ghosh will take pictures and monitor monthly.

B. What and Where Updates

- I. This sheet was reviewed and updated. This will be updated annually. On the back of this sheet will be the St. Louis County What and Where. Once this is added to the city's website, Kari will add a QR code.

C. NWF Zoom Meeting

Rob Kilo was not present to update us on the meeting.

V. UPDATE ON EVENTS AND DEADLINES

A. Senior Health Fair

- I. This will be 10-12 on April 3. Jeanne Tevlin, Laura Houck, and Donna Pecherski met and completed a poster on bird watching and its benefits. It was suggested to promote the Merlin app. On May 17, the Audobon Society will be promoting bird watching at the River's Edge.

B. Earth Day April 26, 2025

- I. 8 AM arrival. It was suggested that we collect items that can and cannot be recycled to have on a table for teaching the community. At the place where trees will be given away, people won't have to get out of their car. We will just ask them what kind they would like. This will be one per family. There will be a paint recycling. St. Louis County residents will give their zip codes. Paper shredding will be paid for by Red Key. There will be one truck with a limit of 5 boxes. It is Pedro's paper shredding. Ecycling will be sponsored by Red Key. The Red Key website will have a list of charges for ecycling. Compost will allow 3 -5 gallon bags. Limit 15 gallons.
2. Seeds will need to be packaged to give away. A time and date are to be determined. We will check to make sure that Jost nursery will have a plant verification stake. Workers: Jeanne T., Su, Deepa, Vaishali, Jessica, Donna. Kids need to be 13 yrs and older to help.

C. Arbor Day

A tree will be planted on April 25 at Logan Park. Our city arborist, Geoff Wegryzyn has chosen a Sycamore tree.

D. CCEAC Brochure(s) Review

Ann-Marie has created a new CCEAC brochure and added color. We need to check exactly what is our purpose to see if the statement on the brochure can be changed.

E. Citizen Article

Jeanne T. will contact Hari about the pollinator article that is due this week.

F. Staff Updates

Forestry Management Update: Phase I is almost complete. This will all be completed this spring. It is recommended to plant grasses first in this area. The ground needs to be established first with grasses and no honeysuckle before flowers can be planted. CCEAC will plant trees(chosen by Geoff) and flower seeds. An event will be created for that.

VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS/COMMENTS (2 minutes per person)

VII. ADJOURNMENT