

MEETING MINUTES
Chesterfield Citizens Committee for the Environment
November 19, 2009, 6:30 p.m.
City Hall, Room #102/3

Committee Attendees: Darcy Capstick, Jeanne Clauson, Donna Pecherski, Polly Rutherford, Scott Soucek, Jeff Chapple, Ken Denson

Committee Absentees: Rachel Eilbott, Terry Grogan, Ted Slap

Liaison Attendees: Libbey Malberg, Sarah Cantlon, City Council Member Matt Segal

Visitors: Val Taylor, City Council Member Lee Erickson

Note: All agenda items were discussed; necessary outcomes/actions noted. The separately delivered Project Updates and Literature/References are incorporated by reference into these minutes.

I. Call to Order/Agenda – Darcy. (6:33 PM)

- A. **Sign-in. Handouts.**
- B. **Approval of Minutes – Ken.**
- C. ***Val Taylor described the Drug Take Back Program that the group Chesterfield Alliance for Positive Youth (CAPY) will co-sponsor with the Chesterfield Police at Tree Day 2010***

II. “Mainstreaming Green” Projects: Discussions/and-or Actions.

- A. Review of MSD Public Meeting, “Improving Water Quality,” held 11/4 – Darcy.
- B. Review County Solid Waste Management Luncheon held 10/26 – Darcy, Libbey. ***Discussed Pay-As-You-Throw developments.***
- C. Refreshed Annual Recycle Drive poster – Ted.
- D. Updating Chesterfield Area: What & Where to Recycle (need volunteer) – Darcy. ***Scott and Donna volunteered.***
- E. 2010 Annual Recycle Drives: Flyer Distribution, 2010’s on-site supervisor volunteer needed; 2009 Recycle Drive Results, Fund Balance – Darcy, Libbey. ***Jeff volunteered to be the Recycle Drive site supervisor for 2010.***
- F. 13th America/Missouri/Chesterfield Recycles Day critique – everyone. ***(1) Cintas recycled 3.75 tons of documents with their secure shredding. (2) The subcommittee that selected recycled content products to give away at the event reported that they spent \$339.92 from our Wal-Mart grant on 116 items. 85 of those recycled content products were given away to attendees of the event, leaving 31 items for future events.***
- G. **19th Annual Tree, Earth and Arbor Day: Water’s Where It’s At!!! Sat., April 24, 2010, Central City Park, 9 AM – 2 PM.**
 - 1. Green Business Vendor File: contact information + Green Business Mission Statement And/Or Green Business Initiative Statement – Libbey, Darcy.
 - 2. JCI’s Solar Initiative showcase at Tree Day – Darcy.
 - 3. Food/No Waste – “No Waste” Questionnaire Process – Darcy.
 - 4. National Arbor Day, F., 4/23 – Darcy. ***Girl Scout and Boy Scout troops will help plant trees.***

5. Signature Garden Public Place Honor Award (Butterfly Garden in Central Park?) – Darcy. ***A Public Place Honor Award will be placed at the Butterfly Park, because it is a City site.***
 6. Other.
- H. Potluck Supper on December 17 – Polly, Jeanne.
- I. St. Louis/Jefferson Solid Waste Management Grant (due 12/21): 2009 Parks Containers and 2010 possibility “kitchen organic” waste – Darcy & Libbey.
- J. Multifamily Recycling – Libbey.
- K. Other. ***Council Member Lee Erickson notified the Committee that the concession stand at the new Central City Park Amphitheatre will have a green (living) roof. He also thanked the Committee for the “green” inputs he received while serving as the Council Liaison to CCE.***

III. Calendar

- *Holiday Meetings Schedule: 12/17 with light pot luck.**
- *PR Tree Day Flyer DRAFT 1/2010**
- *City Newsletter Copy due 1/15/10 for 3, 4, 5/10**
- *Green Teaming #50 at City Council – W., 2/17/10**

IV. Next Meeting: Thursday, December 17, 2009, 6:30 PM, City Hall – Multipurpose Room.