

MEETING NOTICE
Chesterfield Citizens Committee for the Environment
April 28, 2016, 6:30 p.m.
City Hall, Rooms #102-3

- I. **Call to Order/Agenda/Notices.** Jeanne C. and Ben K. renewed!!! **Sign-up Sheet: 4/30/16 Earth Day at Chesterfield Mall including hours (CCE Tables/indoors; RE/Recycling/outdoors).**
- II. **PORTAL:** 3/24/16 *minutes, Republic, Royal Oak Recycling (3/16-xx tons); 2016 Earth Day Layout Maps; “On the Go Obstacles,” Resource Recycling, 4/16, p. 21+; National Wildlife; “Invite Native Bees to Share Your Garden/bigger, better fruits and veggies...” 4-5/16, p. 16+; updated CCE Brochure; city newsletter articles for 6, 7, 8/16; Plastic Bags?; draft CFM Blog.*
- III. **Magazines:** {*Earth Day giveaways*} Missouri Conservationist, 1/16 ed. for stellar ‘milkweeds/monarch’ article; National Wildlife April 2016 ed. issue dedicated to gardening for wildlife and nurturing native bees; DNR’s Missouri Resources – for parks 100th and geology/soils.
- IV. **“Sustainability by Design” Projects; laptop as necessary.**
 - A. **Traveling Education Tabletop** – Donna, Jeanne C., Darcy.
 1. June – sustainable gardening, pollinators, TBD **at May 26 meeting.**
 - B. **NWF** – Libbey, James, Bob, Darcy.
 1. Ranger Rick plan for Earth Day.
 2. Next NWF national telephone call in June; 4/12/16 national call notes in Portal.
 3. Conservation Federation of MO (CFM) Updates:
 1. Affiliate Member Blog finalized – Libbey, Bob, Darcy.
 2. CFM Affiliate Membership Renewed - Libbey.
 4. Butterfly/pollinator outreach tentative native garden sites: YMCA, RGA, First Baptist Church of Chesterfield, CVAC Parks HQ/ at May 26 mtg.
 - C. **Report on Parks, Rec & Arts Citizens Committee mtg of 4/9/16** – Darcy.
 - D. **Recycling**
 1. “Plastic Bag” flyer update – Su G.
 2. “Upcycling/Recycling in Chesterfield’s Parks” – bring ideas for **May 26 Meeting.**
 - E. **April 1/MOArbor Day/MGHGrove update** – Libbey
 - F. **25th Annual Chesterfield Earth Day, Chesterfield Mall, Sat., April 30, 2016; set-up 8 AM – 10 AM; 10 AM Opening Ceremony – 3 PM.**
 1. Native Tree Giveaway – Guides, table, labels, buckets, bags, volunteers – Libbey, (start at 9 to label)
 2. Volunteers – Libbey
 3. Cloth bag giveaway update
 4. CCE Stations indoors: trees, milkweeds, Monarch Module/annual and native flora seeds, Cloth Bags, BiAnnual Grow-Off sign-ups, volunteer Release Forms collected, Ranger Rick (area for him to come to for restocking with NWF handouts), review of handouts of information/magazines/applications. Table Design – Donna, Outdoors: re/ecycle drive thru. (Paul (volunteers), Ben, Jeff, Terry
 5. Vendor List & Overview of layouts – James, Libbey.

6. Opening Ceremony: Flag ceremony (GS 1050 & BS), Mayor Proclamation & Receives NWF 11th Renewal Certification; Community Arborist Dan Moncheski conveys Tree City, USA, honor to Mindy Mohrman, City Arborist; Overview of What's Indoors/Outdoors (BiA Goff/Million Monarch Gdns./NWF Metrics/sunny vs. shady Monarch gardens/etc. vs. re/recycling); NOON Conservation Highlights/Honors.
7. Centennial Trees update – James. # total. At noon on Earth Day, Overview of trees during ceremony, Each family will receive a Centennial Tree Certificate to be mailed out to each honoree (The 2016 Silver Anniversary Earth Day Centennial Tree Certificate).
 - a. **Missouri's Champion Trees report** – Paul, Bob.
8. NOON Conservation Honors: Centennial Trees Program; Special Honor to Faust Park Director Jessie Francis for oldest tree in Centennial Tree Effort; NWF CWHTeam Partner 11th Year Certificates: Faust Park Dir. Jesse Francis and Butterfly House Dir. Chris Hartley; tentatively set with Jon Wingo/Christy C.– words from NWF Anchor Project Donor/Partner DJM Ecological Service; “Big Muddy/MO River” Services Manager Mr. Tim Haller words; CFM President Ron Coleman's words; Republic's Mr. Steve Herring conservation comments.
9. Noon Presentations-Agenda; Donna's Framework – Libbey, James.

G. Other.

- Flyers Updating Recap:** *Family Green Initiatives Brochure – (9/16) - Bob; {DONE: Plastic Bags?, Backyard Compost, Water – A Most Precious Resource, Help Save Monarch Butterflies; International Earth Hour; Without Plants, We're Toast; All in One Recycling/The Household Challenge; Stellar Green Youth Team Application; Blue Planet's GREEN Challenge-E. and S; Chesterfield What & Where to Recycle; Buying Recycled Means Closing the Loop; 2016 Earth Day Tree Guide.}.*
- V. **Calendar:** *Tu. 4/26/16 Cloth Bags stuffing with flyers + seed bagging at City Hall, Noon – 2 PM. *25th Annual Chesterfield Earth Day, Sat., 4/30/16 at Chesterfield Mall indoors and outdoors; 8 – 10 AM set-up; thru 3 PM. *20th Chesterfield/MO/America Recycles Event, Sat., Nov. 5, 2016.
- VI. **Next Meeting:** May 26, 2016, 6:30 P.M., City Hall – Rooms #102-3.