



Commission/Board/Committee Name: Environmental Control Commission

Date of Meeting: August 28, 2024

Time of meeting: 7:00 PM

Location of Meeting: **Lower Level of Village Hall, 517 Desplaines Avenue, Forest Park, IL 60130**

**Roll Call:**

**Approval of minutes from the meeting of July 31, 2024**

**Unfinished Business:**

1. Sustainability Fair
  - a. Sustainability fair in the fall 9/28 from 2 to 4
    - i. Review invitees from last month
    - ii. Action: Review action items from last month
  - b. Discuss assignments for games; next steps to solidify in July meeting
2. Trex Collection
  - a. Discuss formal direction around this, to send emails out.
3. Awards
  - a. Karen to send to Rachel and Megan
  - b. November 15th is America Recycles Day, could target for awards
  - c. Finalize award- Award status with Arts Alliance
4. Single Use Plastics
  - a. Etta to email Chamber of Commerce about our proposed idea, plastics, and should we meet.
    - i. Scott issue poster to FP for distribution
  - b. Punch cards and signage - Continue to explore idea.
5. Administrative
  - a. Ordinances
    - i. Single Use Plastics
    - ii. Possible Leaf Collection - **Townhall 9/24**
    - iii. Possible Gas powered blowers - Waiting
    - iv. Possible Parkways - Presentation
    - v. Leaving leaves and reducing mowing

- vi. Fruit trees
- 6. Monthly format and message for August
  - a. Need to get onto facebook
  - b. September
    - i. Theme discussion
      - 1. Promote Townhall
      - 2. Promote Sustainability Fair
      - 3. Promote Awards
      - 4. Looking for new member
- 7. Bike friendly Forest Park
  - a. Follow up with Bridget Lane on grants for bike upgrades
  - b. William update on list and materials of what is required for grant for August meeting
- 8. Tree canopy update/recommendation

**New Business:**

- 1.
- 2.

**Public Comment**

- 1.

**Adjournment**