

MINUTES
SUSTAINABLE SHEBOYGAN TASK FORCE

Thursday, May 8, 2014 at 12:00 PM

City Hall, 828 Center Avenue, Sheboygan Wisconsin
Third Floor Conference Room

Present: Scott Hanson, Jeanne Kliejunas, Greg Ryan, Aaron Brault, Ald. Brian Bitters, Brian Schwaller, Laura Gumm, Ald. Darryl Carlson, Chad Pelishek, Mark Pawasarat, Rebecca Clarke, Sean Hurley, Dave Biebel, Mayor Vandersteen, John Hill and Pete Pittner (quorum present)

Excused: Ted Vallis

Citizen Observer: Janet Ross, Milt Storm, Nancy Maring (City Planning & Development), and Laura Klemm

The meeting was called to order at 12:06 P.M. by Chad Pelishek with the Pledge of Allegiance. The March 13, 2014 minutes were approved. A new SSTF contact list was distributed for review and corrections, and members should notify the secretary if they wish to change focus groups.

*** Meeting Date Change – The Sustainable Sheboygan Task Force will now meet on the 4th Thursday bimonthly with the next meeting being Thursday, July 24, 2014.**

City of Sheboygan Green Tier Legacy Community Sustainability Plan and Baseline Report – Chad Pelishek thanked members for their input on the draft plan and passed out a revision. He asked the Task Force for specific input on the plan’s “Action Steps.” Considering the classifications of *short term* to be 2 years, *long term* to be 5 years (approximately) and *continuing* to be ongoing, the Task Force began reviewing the action steps for Energy, Local Food, Natural Resources, Atmosphere, Waste, Land Use and Planning, Transportation, Economic Development, and Government.

Due to the length and complexity of these steps, review work will continue at the next meeting. The city’s Planning and Development Department has presented a very impressive and extensive document.

Focus Groups Reports – (limited time due to previous agenda item)

Education and Promotion- The first “Sustainable Spotlight” will be taped on May 15, 2014.

Energy –

Transportation & Planning –

Water & Natural Resources –County hazardous waste pickup on May 9, 2014 at county shed off I-43, \$10 charge per car.

Action for next meeting –

- Continue reviewing action steps of Green Tier report for the July 24th meeting.

Next meeting – July 24, 2014 at noon.

The meeting adjourned at 1:10 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Jeanne Kliejunas, Secretary