



SOUTH ORANGE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION AGENDA

Thursday, May 17th - Virtual. 7:30 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Call meeting to Order

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- March 2024

3. ACTION ITEMS

- General Updates
 - River Day was a huge success!
 - The Community Energy Grant has been submitted!
 - Sustainable Essex Alliance Update - bid was above PSE&G rates - voted down the proposal.
- Updates from Committees
 - Energy (Katie, Rob, Larry, & Kathleen)
 - Electrification Events - Electrify your Home - Wednesday, July 17th, 6:30-7:30 p.m., at the Baird, before the Summer Nights Concert Series.
 - KG and RO will follow up with the speaker to review the presentation prior to the talk.
 - How do we best communicate the event?
 - An additional event in Fall 2024
 - Become an electrification coach
 - <https://www.canarymedia.com/articles/electrification/need-help-breaking-up-with-fossil-fuels-ask-an-electric-coach>
 - Next class starts May 23; online; four weeks; 8+ hours total
 - Sustainable NJ Re-Certification (Andy)
 - Communications/Website (Andy)
 - Barrington
 - [https://www.sustainablejersey.com/fileadmin/media/Events_and_Trainings/Sustainability_Summit/2024/From Ambition to Action Summit 2024 Final.pdf](https://www.sustainablejersey.com/fileadmin/media/Events_and_Trainings/Sustainability_Summit/2024/From_Ambition_to_Action_Summit_2024_Final.pdf)
 - Increasing membership
 - Workday (Andy)
 - Leaf Blower Team (Linda/Beau)
 - Waste (Lorriane/David)
 - Planning Board / Development Briefs
- Financial
 - ANJEC dues
 - EC budget

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

5. NEXT MEETING DATE – Thursday, June 17th. In-person.

6. ADJOURNMENT