



**AGENDA
CITY OF CREVE COEUR
ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT
COMMITTEE
ONLINE MEETING
JANUARY 18, 2023
5:30 PM**

Online Meeting Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89445698021>

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. November 16, 2022, Energy & Environment Committee Meeting Minutes

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2. Greenhouse Gas Inventory Recommendation
3. Residential Recycling Education
4. Electric Vehicles

NEW BUSINESS

5. Arbor Day 2023
6. Gas Leaf Blowers

BUSINESS FROM MEMBERS

BUSINESS FROM COUNCIL LIAISON

BUSINESS FROM STAFF

ADJOURNMENT

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**MINUTES
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NOVEMBER 16, 2022
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CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Committee Member Sheerie Green - Present
Committee Member Saranya Konala - Present
Committee Member Donna Spence - Absent
Committee Member Greg Campbell - Present
Committee Chair Hal Harris - Present
Committee Member Karen Kuratnick - Absent
Committee Member Walker Gaffney - Present
Committee Vice Chair Andrew Lowenthal - Present

Council liaison Nicole Greer - Absent
Council member Joseph Martinich - Present
Staff liaison Melissa Bradford - Present

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

RESULT: Passed
MOVER: Greg Campbell
SECONDER: Andrew Lowenthal
AYES: Sheerie Green, Saranya Konala, Greg Campbell, Hal Harris, Andrew Lowenthal, Walker Gaffney
NAYS: None

The Committee approved the August 18 2022 minutes.

1. October 27, 2022, Energy & Environment Committee Meeting Minutes

RESULT: Passed
MOVER: Greg Campbell
SECONDER: Walker Gaffney
AYES: Sheerie Green, Saranya Konala, Greg Campbell, Hal Harris, Andrew Lowenthal, Walker Gaffney
NAYS: None



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The Committee approved the October 27 2022 minutes.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2. Discussion of Greenheart Partners Presentation

The Committee discussed Greenheart Partners's responses to their questions. Saranya Konala stated that it may be worth waiting until traffic patterns return to normal following the pandemic. Walker Gaffney stated that by the time the greenhouse gas inventory is conducted, traffic patterns may be closer to normal. Saranya Konala asked if the city is required to go out to bid for this service. Staff liaison Melissa Bradford stated that due to the high cost, it is likely the city is required to go out for bid. Melissa Bradford noted that the Committee would need to address what will be different about this greenhouse gas inventory and what actions the city would take based on the results. Saranya Konala stated the greenhouse gas inventory could measure the impact of the actions taken since the last greenhouse gas inventory in 2014. Walker Gaffney stated that sustainability is more relevant now and less of a new concept than it was 10 years ago. An updated greenhouse gas inventory could help with the planning of future environmental policies for the city. Andrew Lowenthal motioned to recommend the city contract with a company soon to provide a greenhouse gas inventory. One option for consideration would be Greenheart Partners. Walker Ganney seconded, the motion passed with 5 ayes.

RESULT: Passed

MOVER: Andrew Lowenthal

SECONDER: Walker Gaffney

AYES: Sheerie Green, Saranya Konala, Greg Campbell, Hal Harris, Andrew Lowenthal, Walker Gaffney

NAYS: None

Hal Harris provided a summary of the Grow Solar St. Louis program and noted the city could consider installing solar panels on the police department's car ports. As a municipal partner, the City would help promote the program to residents. The program educates individuals about the benefits of solar panels and the group purchasing



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program available. Andrew Lowenthal motioned to recommend that the City be a municipal partner with Grow Solar St. Louis in 2023. Walker Gaffney seconded, the motion passed with 5 ayes.

RESULT: Passed

MOVER: Andrew Lowenthal

SECONDER: Walker Gaffney

AYES: Sheerie Green, Saranya Konala, Greg Campbell, Hal Harris, Andrew Lowenthal, Walker Gaffney

NAYS: None

3. Residential Recycling Education

No discussion was held.

4. Electric Vehicles

Hal Harris stated Webster Groves has approved the purchase of electric vehicles for the police department, making them the first in the region to implement electric vehicles.

NEW BUSINESS

No discussion was held.

BUSINESS FROM MEMBERS

No discussion was held.

BUSINESS FROM COUNCIL LIAISON

No discussion was held.

BUSINESS FROM STAFF

Staff liaison Melissa Bradford reminded members of the upcoming annual appreciation event. The December meeting has been canceled and the next committee meeting will be Wednesday, January 18, 2023.



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ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.