

Sustainability Committee Minutes March 08, 2023

Members present: Nancy, Brenda, Jan

Members absent: Herb, Lauren, Jeremy

Approved Minutes of February Meeting

Reusable Bags - Earth Day Project at Hannaford's - Brenda will check with manager but date preferred will be Friday April 21st/ table with info and handouts on single use plastic/ giveaway bags.

Movie - Jan has arranged with the library to show Merrimack: River at Risk on June 27th at 6:30 pm at the library. Jan will work on publicity for this event with the library. An email to our list will be sent by Jan with suggested environmental films and HOLD THE DATE for library showing.

Interaction with High School meeting - Nancy reported that she attended a meeting at Newfound HS about collaboration with the community on projects that students are interested in. She will be the contact person on this.

Updated web page on Bristol Town Webpage - Nancy has been working with Cade to update. Jan talk to Lauren about putting minutes on Google Docs.

Skip the Stuff Campaign - We are going to work on this campaign talking with restaurants to promote not giving out single use items unless requested by patrons. This is part of a statewide campaign. Posters and information will be available for restaurants to use. Nancy will present to the Select Board in April, and will gather information. This will be a project for May. Jan will compile a list of restaurants in the Bristol downtown area.

TTCC Earth Day Activity - Nancy is working with them on a project.

Minot Sleeper Library summer theme is "We Are All in This Together" - they are collecting plastic lettuce packages and looking for ideas for projects. Nancy will check if they need volunteers to help. Jan suggested something to do with "Leave No Trace."

Summer Brochure TTCC - Jan to put in the film showing June 27

Possible new meeting place - we are looking for a new place to meet because there is no space at town offices.

NEXT MEETING: No meeting in April. Next meeting will be June 1st at the library, 6:30 pm.

Nancy will reserve.

MEETING ADJOURNED at 7:50 pm

Minutes submitted by Janet Metcalf