

CITY OF HENDERSONVILLE ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY BOARD

Environmental Sustainability Board

City Operations Center - 2nd Floor Meeting Room | 305 Williams St. | Hendersonville, NC 28792

Tuesday, August 12, 2025 – 4:30 PM

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - A. July 2025 Environmental Sustainability Board Meeting Minutes
- 4. PRESENTATIONS
 - A. Spotlight Solar Presentation Tom Grimes, Guest & Fiona McColley, Member (15 minutes)
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 6. CITY COUNCIL UPDATE
 - A. City Council Update *Gina Baxter, Council Member* (5 minutes)
- 7. OLD BUSINESS
 - A. Hendo Green Partnership Update Jane Edgar, Member (7 minutes)
 - B. Hendo Earth Fest Update Caitlyn Gendusa, Staff Liaison (7 minutes)

First subcommittee meeting: August 27th at 5:15 p.m. at the City Operations Center second floor meeting room

C. ESB Outreach Dates - Emily Davidson, Chair (7 minutes)

SDS Farmer's Market Schedule:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/15Qi4aX_5a6wihbGMvNnsarnLMD6J1KgE4VQ9PGQIu8/edit?tab=t.0

SDS at Farmers Market: August 9th

Brooklyn Community Garden (Jules Heimer & Tae Brown)

Caitlyn Gendusa hosting a waste reduction education game 10am-12pm

SDS at Farmers Market: September 13th - Symbolic Monarch Migration Month

Need volunteers

SDS at Farmers Market: October 11th - Seed Saving

Need volunteers

8. **NEW BUSINESS**

A. Low Waste City Meeting Pilot - Caitlyn Gendusa, Sustainability Manager (7 minutes)

The City will be offering compostable serving ware and food waste bins for the following events as part of a new pilot program. Food waste will be taken to the Sustainability Demonstration Station's compost bins. Pilot meetings include:

- Boards & Committees Appreciation Dinner (Sept or Oct 2025)
- Council/Staff Retreat (Feb or March 2026)
- City Council Budget Workshop (May of 2026)

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

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