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WISCONSIN

ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, February 21, 2023 at 5:30 PM

Council Chambers - City Hall, 3rd Floor
1717 E. Park Street, Two Rivers, WI 54241

AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL AND CHECK ON REMOTE PARTICIPANTS

Board Members: Darla LeClair, Tracey Koach, Donald DeBruyn, Ben Meinnert, Jay Orvis, Kate Gadd, Douglas Brandt

3. REVIEW LAST MINUTES - APPROVE OR CORRECT

4. PUBLIC INPUT

5. GUEST SPEAKER - NONE

6. CURRENT ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND ACTION

- Resignation of Kate Gadd & Katherine Dahlke
- New Member Douglas Brandt, possibly Jake Glaser/TRPD to replace Chief Benjamin Meinnert
- Front Yard Vegetable Garden proposal
- Winter Educational Series
 - Titus Seilheimer 2/7/23 presentation on the health of Rivers & lake, algae bloom, forget-me-not creek
 - Next presentation - 3/9/23 Nick VanDeHey/McMahon Associates - clean water/ stormwater runoff/ DNR requirements
- Future board meeting guest speaker - Joe Baeten/DNR - NR Basin Supervisor/ Runoff Management - talk about CAFOs & smaller family farms regarding runoff control responsibilities, difficulties & the bottom line
- City match WPPI new tree grant council resolution up-date
- Status of realtor pamphlet for realtors, Utility Bill Inserts focused on the benefits of trees, gardening & associated incentives plus information on green infrastructure projects the homeowner can do
- Keep main goal of stormwater – Quality
- Find other methods of improving stormwater runoff other than wet ponds

7. OTHER ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND ACTION

- Status of new DNR TMDL - 2023 or 2024? **TBD - will keep on agenda as placeholder**
- Explore Grant opportunities for environmentally related activities that are complementary to and cooperative with future City projects **ON-GOING**
 - Watch for opportunities for green infrastructure
 - Grant applications need to be considered two years prior to project

- Look at development of green infrastructure near Water Plant where it would be visible from Memorial Drive and/or from the trails in the area

8. NEXT BOARD MEETING - Tuesday, March 21, 2023, at 5:30pm

9. ADJOURNMENT

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It is possible that members of and possibly a quorum of governmental bodies of the municipality may be in attendance at the above stated meeting to gather information; no other action will be taken by any governmental body at the above-stated meeting other than the governmental body specifically referred to above in this notice.