

VILLAGE OF GLENCOE
SUSTAINABILITY TASK FORCE

Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, June 26, 2018, 7:00 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The following Task Force members were present:

Hall Healy, Chairman
Donna Craven
Lisa Fremont
Jean Hahn
Fred Miller
Dudley Onderdonk
Scott Padiak
Elsabé Schimmelpenninck van der Oye
Scott Padiak

Also present were:

Adam Hall, Management Analyst

2. CONSIDER THE MAY 22, 2018 SUSTAINABILITY TASK FORCE MEETING MINUTES The

minutes from the May 22, 2018 Sustainability Task Force were approved.

3. TASK FORCE MEMBER UPDATES ON GSTF PROJECTS

The Task Force members presented and discussed brief updates on various initiatives and the established time frames and deliverables for several ongoing initiatives. The updates included the following: A review of the Glencoe Anchor monthly sustainable news article. In July, the Task Force article will be focusing on health benefits of parks and will be written by Task Force member Onderdonk. Task Force members also discussed the sustainable business recognition program, and areas of conversation include an eBlast calling for more applications, photos of businesses receiving medallions for their sustainability activities on the Task Force webpage, business breakfast meeting and Rotary club meeting.

Task Force member Reilly provided an overview of the work completed on the community solar initiative. Task Force members reviewed a proposed project schedule, discussed a solar educational campaign potentially to be conducted by Elevate Energy a consultant that assists communities in increasing solar installations, and provide general assistance and resources to residents who may have an interest in installing solar panels on their homes.

4. RECYCLING AND COMPOSTING

Task Force members discussed the recycling and composting initiative. Items included: contacting the Plan Commission to discuss appearance standards for recycling containers

bike racks within the downtown, and outreach to the Village of Winnetka to discuss recycling in their downtown.

5. TRANSPORTATION

Task Force members discussed the Active Transportation Planning Study that is currently underway. Discussion centered on the schedule of the project, the next community event to occur at the French Market on July 28, and on forthcoming recommendations from the Active Transportation Alliance.

6. RAVINES

Task Force members discussed the overview of the Ravine Outfall Improvement Projects. Task Force members also discussed the forthcoming Ravine Alliance kick-off meeting to be held at Task Force member Fremont's home. Discussion centered on anticipated outcomes, future meetings and review of the drafted invitation.

7. MEATLESS MONDAY

Task Force members discussed the upcoming summer event at the French Market focused on educating the community on consumption of meat and its impact on the environment. Task Force members Fremont and Craven will be staffing the French Market table on July 7 to discuss the concept of "meatless Mondays". This campaign will teach residents and consumers about the high energy cost of meat consumption, will include games and prizes, and, in coordination with local food businesses, encourage residents to consume less meat on Mondays throughout this year.

8. SUSTAINABILITY IN THE COMMUNITY

Task Force members discussed sustainability in the community. The discussion focused on the Glencoe Public Library's assistance with various educational campaigns, social media posts by organizations in Glencoe that advance or inform the community on initiatives that are currently underway and the review of taglines and educational campaigns that the Task Force should move forward in the coming months.

9. OTHER BUSINESS

No other business came before the Task Force.

10. PUBLIC COMMENT TIME

There were no comments from the public.

11. SUMMARIZE AND OUTLINE NEXT STEPS

A discussion occurred on tasks needed to be completed for the July Sustainability Task Force meeting. General consensus from the Task Force was that group members would continue to work on the initiatives that they have selected to be involved in as project leaders, and report back to the Task Force at the next meeting.

12. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Sustainability Task Force, upon motion made, seconded and unanimously adopted by those present, the Meeting was adjourned at 9:04 p.m.