



Green Team Minutes



A Green Team Committee meeting was held on Wednesday, December 5, 2018 in Room 306 of the Government Office Building at 125 N. Division Street in Salisbury.

Members present: Kacey Martin, Matt Bellacicco, Charles Simms, Ryan Daniher, Terri Gladus, Ryan Weitzel, Katilyn Grigsby-Hall

Public present: Geraldine Bell, Matthew Heim, Michael Auger, Lexi, Peter Bozick

City Staff present: Laura Baasland, Alyssa Massey, Amanda Pollack

Discussion included:

1. The “Green Business” Certification rack card and implementation was discussed. The Green Team website will have information to supplement the rack card. Terri will work on a draft of website resources. Next month the Committee will review the final documents and discuss the implementation plan.
2. Matthew Heim from Oceana gave a presentation on Atlantic Offshore Drilling. He asked that the Green Team consider sending a recommendation to the Mayor to support a Resolution that would state that Salisbury was not supportive of Offshore Drilling in the Atlantic Ocean. Matthew will provide copies of draft Resolutions via email. The Committee will review the draft resolutions and discuss at the next meeting. No action was taken at this meeting.
3. Kacey offered to develop a series of classes for citizens with topics such as gardening issues, rain barrels and soil amendments. The Committee could hold an Earth Day workshop. We could also try to work with schools to grow native plants.
4. At a future meeting, the Green Team can consider a ban or levy on plastic bags, and ways to encourage use of biodegradable and reusable bags.
5. For the next meeting, members are asked to brainstorm ideas for green giveaways.
6. Meeting was adjourned at 6:55 pm.

The next meeting will be **January 9, 2019 at 5:30 pm** in Room 306.