



## Sustainability Advisory Committee “Green Team” Meeting Minutes

A Sustainability Advisory Committee meeting was held virtually on Wednesday, March 2nd, 2022 at 5:30 via zoom. In attendance were: Green Team members Ryan Weitzel, Amy Heger, Noah Bressman, Marina Feeser, Elise Trelegan, Megan Outten, Ley Rideout, Sara-elah Hoffman ; Council Representative: Michele Gregory; City Staff: Alyssa Hastings and Brian Soper; members of the Public: Matthias Pieplak, Sarah Surak, Jenna Boyd, Mike Angelot, Ryan Devine, Kaillyne Jolitz, Dylan Laconich, and Ryan Devine.

Discussion included:

1. Minutes from the February 2022 meeting were discussed. Marina moved to approve the minutes, Noah seconded, and the vote was unanimous to approve the minutes.
2. The team discussed the podcast “How to Save a Planet” that Elise shared with the committee.
3. Alyssa asked the team for any thoughts on the draft sustainability survey the Salisbury University Students put together. A few members suggested different wording choices. The survey will be sent to BEACON for edits on Thursday and Alyssa hopes to have the survey shared as widely as possible once it is complete and translated.
4. The Green Team discussed their remaining budget and ideas for how to spend their remaining funds. Ideas included seed bombs, a community environmental mural in downtown Salisbury, supporting the Environmental Student’s Association’s bee project, tree seedlings to support the Tree City certification, and buying plants to support the downtown edible garden.
5. The committee members discussed upcoming events including various cleanups. The Youth Environmental Action Summit is Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup> and Green Team members are welcome to volunteer and participate. The SU students will be leading a community visioning process to kick-off the summit. Earth Day at the Zoo is Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> and green team members are also welcome to help with the survey distribution and giveaways.
6. Sara-Elah moved, Marina seconded and the vote was unanimous to adjourn the meeting at 6:30 pm.

The next meeting will be **Wednesday, April 6th 2020 at 5:30 pm** via zoom.