

Environmental Sustainability Committee Meeting

October 5, 2016, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Sherwood Community Center, 3740 Old Lee Hwy, Fairfax, VA 22030

Agenda

1. Call to order and welcome

2. Consideration of the September 7, 2016 meeting minutes

3. "An Overview of Honey Bees and Beekeeping"

- **Presenter: Frank Linton**

Bio: Frank Linton has kept honey bees since 2005. An EAS-Certified Master Beekeeper, his main interest is in finding ways to use remote sensing technologies to monitor and improve honey colony bee health and productivity. Author of *The Observation Hive Handbook*, maintainer of the websites thebeekeeper.com and colonymonitoring.com, contributor to beekeeping magazines, invited speaker at beekeeping associations and civic groups, and mentor to new beekeepers, Frank runs a few hives on his suburban deck and hosts one, an observation hive, in his dining room.

4. Fall Festival Planning (October 8th)

5. ESC General Information Document and Resolution Review

6. Workplace and Neighborhood Sustainability Challenges Update

7. Chairperson's Items

- Fairfax County Underground Storage Tank Violations
- Whole Foods Hazardous Waste Violations

8. Committee Items

9. Staff items

- 2035 Comprehensive Plan Update
- Virginia Conservation Assistance Program MOU
- Virginia Peer Learning Exchange Grant Win
- Go Green Government Challenge – Silver Award

10. Public comments

11. Adjourn

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