

Town of Marlborough Conservation Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes January 9, 2025, 6:30 PM

Conference Room, Marlborough Community Center

Sign in 6:15-6:30 In Attendance Mici Simonofsky, Brian Simonofsky, Niki Stureski, Joan Delatorre, Naseem Haidaoui; Patti Haidaoui as Guest

- **6:30** Call to Order with Pledge of Allegiance
- Approval of December minutes motioned by Brian, second by Naseem, passed

Reports of Committees

- **6:40** IT Report PE 9 Action - continue to advertise for person to help build a website

Old Business

- 6:45 Greenhouse Gas Inventory update- Jannelle Koszarek reported she has not received info requested from the town in Nov. and again in Dec. Mici & Joan to follow up
- 6:50 Climate Smart Report Naseem Haidaoui: Update on where and how to get CSC points was reviewed: Get Farmers Market Data; Cooling Centers Info (see Emergency Management Plan); Buy Green Campaign. Idea for points on a Buy Green campaign from Mici who will look into this with Meena and how we could possibly declare a Green Month with TB and with MMIM cooperation. Possibly also including a solar theme Naseem reviewed [Marlborough 2022 Data](#) [Marlborough 2010 Data](#) and [2010 vs. 2022 Data Comparison](#) with the group
- 7:05 Earth Day event on again; info from Rosemary Wein should be forthcoming from DEC and date can then be determined for an event at Sands Avenue Park. Ideas: food truck, Forget me Not cupcakes with Pat Roza, Nothing Bundt Cakes Suzie Horton; dog parade and photo op- contact Lucia DeNatalie and Vивиian Lazarone. Possibly including solar vendor and have a CAC table as well
- 7:10 Solar Expo PE 9 Action to be included above or at an October event with the Bounty Festival or Community Day
April and October events will be our goals for 2025 and work with the appropriate one
- 7:15 Orchard View Subdivision environmental issues to be addressed Possible PE 6 Action discussion. Letter to Planning Board to be read at TB meeting to emphasize need for CAC comments for large projects and note that increase in vehicular traffic will cause increase in emissions citing idling cars, search for parking

New Business 7:20

1. EV charger Grant Mici to have meet with Ben LaPlante of EVUnited on Friday and to report back to the TB
2. Calendar Of events ongoing
3. Planning Board meeting attendance - link minutes of PB minutes is difficult because they are verbatim by stenographer. All are encouraged to monitor them and use social media as warranted

Next Meeting - February 13, 6:30 Community Center Conference Room MICI TO EMAIL REMINDER TO OPEN DOOR AT 6:30 Adjournment 7:55

[Climate Smart Checklist Spreadsheet](#) [as of January 6th]<https://climatesmart.ny.gov/>