

Climate Smart Communities
Oct. 29, 2020
New Lisbon Town Hall

In attendance:

Nancy Martin-Matheson
Ed Lentz
Vicky Lentz
Warren Ryther
Flo Loomis
Alyx Braunius
John Braunius

Minutes from previous meeting were approved.

Nancy reported:

1. that she had spoken with Amy Wyant from Climate Smart Institute. There will be a Zoom class on green house gas inventories. Flo will participate in class sometime in Nov. or Dec.
2. Since we are part of the Clean Energy Community, a regional group, we have earned 3 points and as a member of the Climate Smart Institute, we have earned additional 3 points.
3. The formation of the Task Force gets us 20 points

There was discussion of reviewing and adjusting the number of points we are attempting to earn. Ed will update dashboard with respect to PE1: CSC Task Force when these minutes are approved. Also, wrt PE5: Recycling Bins, which is now completed.

We need two more priority actions. We are already doing the Greenhouse gas emissions inventory action.

John and Ally will begin work on the Complete Streets and/or the Cycling/Walking action by looking at our infrastructure for bicycling and walking for a possible 10 points for PE6: Planning & Infrastructure for Bicycling & Walking and/or PE6: Complete Streets Policy.

Vicky will look into doing a Natural Resource Inventory. She will try to work with Amy Wyant and OCCA.

Ed is going to look at Hazard Mitigation.

The information on recycling could be uploaded to our dashboard on the CSC website, which is <https://climatesmart.ny.gov>. Nancy is going to do more work on our dashboard. Nancy will make sure that everyone has access to our dashboard on the CSC website.

Next Meeting: January 7, 2021