

**Roseland Environmental Commission
Meeting Minutes
May 23rd, 2016**

Call to Order 7:35pm

Reading of Agenda

- Motion: To approve the agenda for 5/23/2016
- Resolved: Agenda for the meeting on 5/23/2016: Motion approved

Approval of Minutes

Minutes from 4/25/2016 approved

Old Business:

- **Membership** – continue to promote, guest Carol Gallentine. Obtain mailing list from Tom to provide regular updates via email
- **Shredding day** – about 40 residents participated, indicated it was a great service and should be better promoted
- **Recycling containers** – provided options to Gary to investigate with larger capacity for parks. Also suggested one “smart” option powered by solar with wifi, sensors, etc
- **Pipeline update** – Mary provided an update on the pilgrim pipeline and possible general environmental concerns, not specifically linked to Roseland

New Business:

- **Plastic bag fee** – 5c fee proposed in Assembly for the end user
- Badges – discuss option of gamification to encourage participation – Open Badges could be a way to recognize such work

Standing Items:

- **Planning Board Update:** no current relevant plans before the board
- **Council Update:** Fernwood – discuss plans for soccer field, jogging path, use of open space funds – still in early planning stages. FERC – low income housing – need to provide 400 units; evaluating to see how many we need to provide and put plant together
- **ANJEC Update:** discussed upcoming items as per agenda

Meeting adjourned at 8:48pm

Next meeting: Mon, Jun 27th @ 7:30pm, Library Annex