



**City of Bloomington  
Environmental Commission**

## **ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION AGENDA**

Thursday, January 17, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – McCloskey Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (5 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, February 21<sup>st</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>, 4:10 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: February 20<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill Office
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: Feb. 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Courthouse (2<sup>nd</sup> Wed of the month)
3. Approval of November & December minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (50 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L/Natural Landscaping Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste, Emily)
  - C. BEQI Committee (10 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Eco Hero Award Committee (10 min: Carrie, Kriste, Emily)
  - E. Martin Luther King Day activities (10 min: Diane, Kriste)
7. Old business (10 min)
  - A. EAB follow-up (10 min: Mike)
8. New business (40 min)
  - A. 2013 project discussion (30 min: Carrie, all)
  - B. Election of officers (10 min: Carrie, Mike, Chaim)
9. Commissioner announcements (10 min)
10. Adjournment



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Thursday, February 21, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – McCloskey Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (8 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: March 14<sup>th</sup>, 4:10 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: March 20<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill Office
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: March 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: March 13<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm 100 Showers North (2<sup>nd</sup> Wed of the month)
  - F. MCMGA Garden Fair: April 6<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 – 4:00, IN National Guard Armory
  - G. Echo Heroes award ceremony: April 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, City Hall atrium
3. Approval of January minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (35 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L/Natural Landscaping Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee (5 min: Carissa, Carrie)
  - D. Eco Hero Award Committee (5 min: Carrie, Kriste)
  - E. Martin Luther King Day recap (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
7. Old business (10 min)
  - A. EAB follow-up (5 min: Linda)
  - B. I 69 follow-up (5 min: Carrie)
8. New business (40 min)
  - A. Committee volunteers (10 min: Carrie, all)
    - i. Eco Hero ceremony
    - ii. Public Education committee (in response to EAB plan)
    - iii. Garden show
  - B. Ordinance discussion (30 min: Carrie, all)
9. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
  - A. BCOS update
10. Adjournment



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1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (8 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: March 27<sup>th</sup>, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 4:10 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: April 17<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill Office
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: April 9<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: April 10<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm 100 Showers North (2<sup>nd</sup> Wed of the month)
  - F. MCMGA Garden Fair: April 6<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 – 4:00, IN National Guard Armory
  - G. Echo Heroes award ceremony: April 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, City Hall atrium
3. Approval of February minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (50 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L/Natural Landscaping Committee (10 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Eco Hero Award Committee (15 min: Carrie, Kriste, Emily)
  - E. Garden Show (5 min: Diane)
7. Old business (5 min)
  - A. Internship postings (5 min: Linda)
8. New business (10 min)
  - A. Committee volunteers (10 min: Carrie, all)
    - i. Eco Hero ceremony
    - ii. Public Education committee (in response to EAB plan)
    - iii. Garden show
9. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
10. Adjournment



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Thursday, April 18, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – McCloskey Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (8 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: April 24<sup>th</sup>, May 15<sup>th</sup>, 4:10 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: May 15<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill Office
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: May 14<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: May 8<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm 100 Showers North
  - F. Echo Heroes award ceremony: April 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, City Hall atrium
3. Approval of March minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (70 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L Committee garden show & sign update (15 min: Diane, Kriste, Emily)
  - C. BEQI Committee air discussion (20 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Eco Hero Award Committee ceremony plans (20 min: Carrie, Kriste, Emily)
  - E. Tree Commission report (5 min: Dedamia)
6. Old business (5 min)
  - A. Internship update (5 min: Linda)
7. New business (20 min)
  - A. Waste Reduction Committee projects (10 min: Carrie, Carissa, Andy)
  - B. EC guest speaker discussion (10 min: Carissa)
8. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
9. Adjournment



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Thursday, May 16, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – McCloskey Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (8 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: May 29<sup>th</sup>, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 4:10 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: June 19<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Bryan Park
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: June 11<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: June 12<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North
3. Approval of March minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (30 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee air discussion (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Tree Commission report (5 min: Dedamia)
6. Old business (10 min)
  - A. Imagine Bloomington update (10 min: Mike)
7. New business (35 min)
  - A. Waste Reduction Committee projects (10 min: Carrie, Carissa, Andy)
  - B. EC guest speaker discussion (10 min: Carissa)
  - C. Update EC Handbook discussion (5 min: Carissa)
  - D. Committees for summer intern projects (10 min: Linda)
8. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
9. Adjournment



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Thursday, June 20, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – McCloskey Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (8 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: June 26<sup>th</sup>, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 4:10 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: July 17<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Bryan Park
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: July 9<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: July 10<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North
3. Approval of May minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (45 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee air discussion (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Tree Commission report (10 min: Dedaimia)
  - E. Climate Action Plan report (10 min: Deborah, Dedaimia, Carrie, Linda, Steven)
6. Old business (15 min)
  - A. Bug Fest update (10 min: Diane)
  - B. Taste of Bloomington update (5 min: Carrie)
7. New business (20 min)
  - A. Parks & rec Green Spots tour (10 min: Kriste)
  - B. Schedule for EC guest speakers (10 min: Carrie)
8. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
9. Adjournment



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Thursday, July 18, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – McCloskey Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (8 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: July 24<sup>th</sup>, August 15<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: August 21<sup>st</sup>, 9:30 am, Bryan Park
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: August 13<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: August 14<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North
3. Approval of June minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Guest speaker: Mark Tschida, MCPL (15 min)
6. Committee reports & discussions (35 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (10 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. Natural Landscaping L4L Committee (5 min: Diane)
  - C. BEQI Committee air discussion (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Tree Commission report (5 min: Dedaimia)
  - E. Climate Action Plan report (10 min: Deborah, Dedaimia, Carrie, Linda, Steven)
7. Old business (37 min)
  - A. Bug Fest recap (2 min: Diane)
  - B. Taste of Bloomington recap (2 min: Carrie)
  - C. Green Spots tour (2 min: Kriste)
  - D. Street tree statement from EC discussion (20 min)
  - E. Guest speaker update (11 min: Carrie)
8. New business (30 min)
  - A. Meeting start time for completion of 2013 (10 min)
  - B. Commission representative schedule (10 min)
  - C. Downtown parking requirements (10 min: Dedaimia)
9. Commissioner announcements (10 min)
10. Adjournment



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## **ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION AGENDA**

Thursday, August 22, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – Hooker Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (8 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: August 28<sup>th</sup>, September 12<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: September 18<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Bryan Park
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: September 9<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room (Carissa attendee)
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: September 10<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North (Diane attendee)
3. Approval of July minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (45 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Dianne, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L Natural Landscaping Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee air discussion (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Tree Commission report (10 min: Dedaimia)
  - E. Climate Action Plan report (10 min: Deborah, Dedaimia, Carrie, Linda, Steven)
6. Old business (20 min)
  - A. Guest speaker update (5 min: Carrie)
  - B. Street tree removal recommendation from EC (15 min: Linda, Jayne)
7. New business (25 min)
  - A. Weeds & Poison Ivy brochure discussion (15 min: Diane)
  - B. Fall intern projects (10 min)
8. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
9. Adjournment



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Thursday, September 19, 2013, 7:00 pm  
City Hall – McCloskey Room, 401 North Morton Street

1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (10 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: September 25<sup>th</sup>, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: October 16<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: October 8<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: October 9<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North
  - F. Next ERAC meeting: October 9<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm, Bryan Park
  - G. Next MPO meeting:
    - Citizens Advisory Committee: September 25<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 pm, McCloskey Room
    - Policy Committee: October 11<sup>th</sup>, 1:30 pm, Council Chambers
    - Technical Advisory Committee: September 25<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am, McCloskey Room
  - H. Hügélkultur workshop: October 5<sup>th</sup>, 4790 N. Mt Gilead Rd.
  - I. Chinampas workshop: October 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, Sat. 9-4, Sun. 9-1, 4790 N. Mt. Gilead Rd
  - J. Open Streets: September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10:00 – 3:00, West Kirkwood Ave
3. Approval of August minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (20 min)
  - A. Presentation of Open Streets
5. Committee reports & discussions (45 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L Natural Landscaping Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Tree Commission (10 min: Dedaimia)
  - E. Climate Action Plan (10 min: Deborah, Dedaimia, Carrie, Linda, Steven)
6. Old business (25 min)
  - A. Street tree removal compensation recommendation letter from EC (10 min: Dedaimia, Carrie)
  - B. Weeds & Poison Ivy brochure (15 min: Diane)
7. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
8. Adjournment



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  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: October 23<sup>rd</sup>, November 14<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: November 13<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: November 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: November 13<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North
  - F. Next ERAC meeting: December 11<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm, Parks Dept.
  - G. Next MPO Citizens Advisory Committee: October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 6:30 pm, McCloskey Room
3. Approval of minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (10 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (40 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Mike, Linda)
  - B. L4L Natural Landscaping Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Tree Commission (5 min: Dedaimia)
  - E. Climate Action Plan (10 min: Deborah, Dedaimia, Carrie, Linda, Steven, Jayne)
6. Old business (15 min)
  - A. Street tree removal compensation recommendation letter from EC (10 min: Dedaimia, Carrie)
  - B. Follow up on 319 grant for Soil & Water Conservation District (5 min: Linda)
7. New business
  - A. Meeting RSVPs (5 min: Carrie)
8. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
9. Adjournment



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1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements (10 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, December 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: November 27<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: December 11<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: December 10<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: December 11<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North
  - F. Next ERAC meeting: December 11<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm, Parks Dept.
  - G. Next MPO Citizens Advisory Committee: January, 6:30 pm, McCloskey Room
3. Approval of minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Guest speaker Kerwin Olson energy in Indiana (20 min)
6. Committee reports & discussions (45 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Mike, Dedaimia, Linda)
  - B. L4L Natural Landscaping Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI Committee (5 min: Carissa, Carrie, Jayne)
  - D. Tree Commission (10 min: Dedaimia)
  - E. Climate Action Plan (10 min: Deborah, Dedaimia, Carrie, Linda, Jayne)
  - F. MPO CAC (5 min: Chaim)
7. Old business (25 min)
  - A. 2014 project list and committee membership (25 min: Linda, et al)
8. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
9. Adjournment



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1. Introductions (5 min)
2. Announcements: \*Dates for January meetings are still unknown because next year's City calendar has not yet been distributed to departments (10 min)
  - A. Next Environmental Commission meeting: Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - B. Next Planning Committee meetings: January ??<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 pm, Planning Dept.
  - C. Next Tree Commission meeting: January ??<sup>th</sup>, 9:30 am, Rose Hill
  - D. Next BCOS meeting: January ??<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm, McCloskey Room
  - E. Next Co. Environ. Quality & Sus. Com. meeting: January ??<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm, Rm. 100 Showers North
  - F. Next ERAC meeting: January ??<sup>th</sup>, 4:30 pm, Parks Dept.
  - G. Next MPO Citizens Advisory Committee: January ??, 6:30 pm, McCloskey Room
3. Approval of November minutes (5 min)
4. Public comment (5 min)
5. Committee reports & discussions (45 min)
  - A. Planning Committee & Sr. Environmental Planner (15 min: Chaim, Mike, Dedaimia, Linda)
  - B. L4L Natural Landscaping Committee (5 min: Diane, Kriste)
  - C. BEQI/CAP Committee (10 min: Carissa, Carrie, Dedaimia, Jayne, Deborah, Norm, Linda)
  - D. Tree Commission (10 min: Dedaimia)
  - E. MPO CAC (5 min: Chaim)
6. Old business (45 min)
  - A. 2014 project list and committee membership (25 min: Linda, et al)
  - B. Follow-up to CAC visit (20 min: Carrie, et al)
7. Commissioner announcements (15 min)
8. Adjournment; happy holidays