



City of Bloomington  
Environmental Commission

The mission of the Environmental Commission is to advise the City of Bloomington on how its actions and policies may preserve and enhance the quality of Bloomington's environment, including the life-supporting processes that natural ecological systems provide to humans and other organisms.

# ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION AGENDA

18 March, 2021, 6:00 PM

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://bloomington.zoom.us/j/94723325501?pwd=M2hoV29hNStSK1RzdHhNZVlsRlV4QT09>

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1. Call to order and quorum confirmation
2. Introductions
3. Approval of minutes
4. Public comment: Limit 5 minutes per person, 20 minutes total
5. Presentations: Hugh Kremer: Gas-powered leaf blowers (15 minutes)  
Matt Flarety: City Council's relationship with the EC (20 minutes)
6. Reports from TC, MoCo EC, BCOS, ERAC, MPO-CAC, FOLM, & MC-IRIS
7. Discussion from Environmental Commission working groups: **A Cycle**  

<u>A Cycle</u>	<u>B Cycle</u>
A. ECPC/Plan Commission	A. Outreach
<del>B. Waste/Hazards</del>	B. ECPC/Plan Commission
<del>C. Water</del>	C. Biodiversity
8. Old business
  - A. HT greenspace column
  - B. Update on Connectivity Plan
9. New business
  - A. BEQI & BEAP update process
10. Commissioner announcements

## 11. Adjournment

Next EC meeting: 15 April, 2021, 6:00 p.m., ZOOM

### Statement on public meetings during public health emergency

*As a result of Executive Orders issued by the Governor, Eric Holcomb, the Commission and its committees may adjust normal meeting procedures to adhere to guidance provided by state officials. These adjustments may include:*

- allowing members of the Commission and its committees to participate in meetings electronically;*
- posting notices and agendas for meetings solely by electronic means;*
- using electronic meeting platforms to allow for remote public attendance and participation (when possible);*
- encouraging the public to watch meetings via Community Access Television Services broadcast or livestream, and encouraging remote substitution of public comment (via email, to [environment@bloomington.in.gov](mailto:environment@bloomington.in.gov)).*

As a quorum of the Commission or its committees may be present, this gathering constitutes a meeting under the Indiana Open Door Law (I.C. § 5-14-1.5). For that reason, this statement provides notice that this meeting will occur and is open for the public to attend, observe, and record what transpires.