

**Natural Resources Committee**  
A subcommittee of Strategic Plan Advisory Committee



**City Hall**  
**109 James Street, Upstairs Council Chambers**  
**Wednesday, May 5, 2021**  
**7:00pm**

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1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call  
Jay Womack Bill Doeckel Adam McMillen Jeanine McMillen Tom Dickinson Carrie Carter John Frankenthal  
Stephanie O'hara Dan Ludwig Kelvin Limbrick Rachel Ratos Mel Rooney Steve Matravers Anna Kresler
3. Amendments to the Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes from last meeting
5. Active Projects:
  - Earth Day Event, April 24, 2021
    - i. NRC helped GPD plant 50 trees at Peck Farm Park.
  - Eastside Fire Station Natural Landscaping Project
    - i. Redo in Spring of 2021.
  - River Clean-up Day
    - i. The event will be held again in 2021 to align with Our Fox River by the Friends of the Fox River.
  - Rain Barrels for sale
    - i. Barrels are \$75each, have black and terra cotta.
    - ii. Have sold 12 barrels so far.
  - Greening Geneva Initiative
    - i. NRC helped plant 50 trees in April with the Geneva Park District.
    - ii. Need to look at trees planted in last two years, some are dead and need to be replaced.
  - Wine, Cheese, and Trees
    - i. NRC received its 15% share of the proceeds from the District.
  - Fabyan Preserve Stewardship
    - i. Workdays now consist of garlic mustard pulling.
  - Elm Park Restoration Work
    - i. Update from Kelvin
  - NRC Facebook page and Instagram
    - i. General update
  - Recycling Bins on 3<sup>rd</sup> Street
    - i. The City agreed to a recycling bin pilot/trial period for 2021.
    - ii. The NRC will purchase one recycle bin to help with the initiative.

- Tree Ordinance
  - i. Waiting to hear back from City re:revisions from NRC.
- 6. New Initiatives
  - Create an education piece to reduce plastic and styrofoam at restaurants.
  - Clean Energy Jobs Act - May 10<sup>th</sup> at 7pm meeting at City Hall, meeting is open to the public.
- 7. Treasurer's Report
- 8. Additional business
- 9. Adjournment