



Climate Emergency Management Workgroup



Meeting Minutes
April 8, 2021
5:00 PM

- I. Welcome – Quorum Established, Barb shared good news, the Mayor & Board of Aldermen have added \$100,000.00 to the FY 2022 Budget for a compost program.
- II. March 25, 2021 Minutes approved by consensus.
- III. Guest Speaker – Amir Sapkota, Applied Environmental Health, University of Maryland School of Public Health presented a power point on Human Health Impacts of Climate Change.
- IV. Subgroup Reports - Ag, Forestry, and Land Management (AFL), Karen Cannon provided an update. Energy, Transportation, and Building (ETB) Milton Dahl provided an update. Health, Extreme Weather Adaption, and Resilience (HWL), Kevin Sellner provided an update. Public Awareness and Outreach (PAO), Kate Wilson provided an update.
- V. Open discussion- Barb & Kevin led the discussion. A few more meetings with County and City Staff have been held. Barb acknowledged the volunteers who have provided a detailed spreadsheet with all of the City & County Plans in one document. There has been good follow up with researchers. There have also been meetings with Realtors and Downtown Frederick Partnership.
- VI. Next Workgroup meeting will be held on Thursday, April 22, 2021. Kristen Harbeson, Political Director for the Maryland League of Conservation Voters will present a review of the 2021 Legislative Session. Jonathan Lacock-Nisly, Director of Faithful Advocacy for Interfaith Power & Light will provide a review on the Federal level.
- VII. No public comment was taken.
- VIII. Adjourned at 6:14 PM