



City of Maplewood

7601 Manchester Road - Maplewood, Missouri 63143

SUSTAINABILITY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

March 6, 2018 - 6:00 P.M.

- 1) Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.
- 2) Roll Call: Ralph Bicknese, Nick Frisella, Eleanor Pardini and Jonathan Spencer. Staff present: Brian Herr.
- 3) Approval of meeting minutes from February 6, 2018: Jonathan Spencer motioned to approve, seconded by Nick Frisella and the majority approved with member Ralph Bicknese abstaining.
- 4) Public Comment: None.
- 5) New Business: Jonathan Spencer mentioned that he met with Scott Woodbury earlier in the day at the aquatic center. Scott mentioned several obstacles and discussed the potential of the area for the native plant display. Patrick Worzer spoke of some of the issues with maintenance of the planting bed and the time needed to get the native plants established. Eleanor Pardini mentioned that smaller, maintainable areas next to the entrance would be the best place to start. Ralph Bicknese indicated that providing signage describing the plants and details is important for this type of planting bed. Patrick presented a detailed drawing of a conceptual landscaping plan of the aquatic center lot and landscaping. He mentioned that the development of this site would lend itself to a “Sites Version 2” rating systems project.
- 6) Old Business: None.
- 7) Adjournment: Ralph Bicknese made a motion to adjourn at 7:30 p.m., seconded by Jonathan Spencer and all were in favor.