

**Village of La Grange Park
Sustainability Commission – Minutes
Monday, March 7, 2022**

The La Grange Park Sustainability Commission meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm on Monday, March 7, 2022.

1. Commission Chair Twickler called the meeting to order. Members include:

Donna Twickler, Commission Chair	Present	Laura McAllister	Present
Krista Grimm, Commissioner	Present	Kelly Burns	Present
David Mrazek, Commissioner	Present	Kathy Johnson	Present
Joe Marino, Commissioner	Present		

Also present was Public Works Director Rick Radde, serving as Village Staff Liaison.

2. Public Comment

- No Public Comment

3. Approval of Minutes – February 7, 2022, were presented. Commissioner Grimm made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Commissioner Mrazek seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

4. New Business-

- Earth Day April 22nd – Kelly will reach out to the Library for potential education programs they may offer. Donna will reach out to the Cook County Forest Preserve for Earth Day programs.
- Krista presented an idea for an in-person outreach education opportunity to reduce CO2.
- Joe brought with him an article his firm created on Carbon Footprint. The report could be tailored for the Sustainability Commission's use.
- Municipal Energy Usage Data Into the Energy Star Portfolio Manager – Public Works complete.

5. Old Business

- Holiday Lights – No Data from La Grange yet. Rick to pass on when available
- Contest on Sustainable Practice – Extended Entry Date – Outreach to schools about the contest.
- Native Bike Tour – Possibly June 12th from 11 am to 4 pm. Kathy to reach out to past volunteers
- Waste Reduction Plan – No Update
- Facebook – Top Performers – Elmhurst Solar and Spring Flower Show
- Future Posts – Road Salt, Styrofoam Recycling in Western Springs, and the Video Contest

6. Open Discussion

- **April 4th Meeting – CRTI Presenting on Canopy Cover**

7. Next Steps

- **Tree of the Month and Kelly would like to volunteer for a tree walk.**

8. Next Meeting Date – April 4, 2022, at 6:00 pm at the La Grange Park Village Hall.

9. Adjournment – Commissioner Mrazek made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Johnson seconded the motion. A roll call vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:04 pm.

Respectfully submitted,



**Rick Radde
Village of La Grange Park
Public Works Director**