

Town of Shandaken, NY CAC minutes November 20, 2023

Attending members: Beth Waterman, Bruce Barry, Angel Molina, Maya Lilly, Catherine del Tufo

Guest speakers: Sara Byer, Sophie Grant

Pledge of allegiance 6:32 pm

M Lilly and A Molina approve minutes

Hudson Valley Regional Council (HVRC) awards Shandaken CAC Momentum Award
Ceremony in December

New sign for use at town recycling center: Residential Food Waste Collection Program

Sign will be used as part of the Ulster Savings CAC display table

New web page and QR code discussed

Committee Reports

Compost: Food waste compost program to begin after January 1, 2024

Comprehensive Plan: n/a

GOCAP: waiting for town board and public hearing for approval

Community Climate Action Plan: in progress

NRI: Correspondence to several organizations initiated, funding may be available spring 2024

Pollinator Pathway: researching seed sources for 2024 Earth Day (phone and email)

Repair Cafe: no new scheduled event

Earth Day 2024: Phoenicia Playhouse may be available, many ideas discussed

Community Solar Scoping document submitted by M Lilly

EV Charging Scoping document ready to be submitted by B Barry

Clean Heating and Cooling Scoping document in process of completion

Shandaken Housing Committee presenters, Sophie Grant and Sara Byer discuss conference
"Room Enough for Both", on how housing and conservation issues intersect, existing
Projects, Hudson Valley Patterns for Progress.

Next meeting December 18, 2023

Adjournment at 7:49, motioned by B Barry, seconded by A Molina