

Town of Shandaken, NY CAC minutes for August 19.2024

Council attendees: Beth Waterman, Angel Molina, Karen Lee, Maya Lilly, Catherine del Tufo

Speakers: Robert Drake, Constance Bloomfield

Pledge of allegiance: 6:32

Minutes from July approved by A Molina and seconded by K Lee

Membership, correspondence, announcements

Catskill Chronicle article promotes accomplishments of Shandaken CAC

UCRRA Hazardous waste collection day, New Paltz . 8/24

Ulster Co Environmental Management Council roundtable/dinner 8/29 in Rosendale

Hudson Valley Partners for Climate Action mixer 9/19 Kingston (Hutton Brickyards)

Constance Bloomfield, property owner in Woodland Valley suggests needed information for owners to prepare for climate change preparation and mitigation issues

Robert Drake discusses Catskill Watershed Association programs and LFA (local flood analysis)

Community Climate Action Plan discussion begins

Initiative spreadsheets need to be completed and work group will form to do so

Discussion regarding Shandaken town building problems and relocation ensues

Future plans for the land housing current town hall facility suggested could become "rewilded"

Plan for working group meeting determined , 9/4/24 5-7 pm

Community Solar sign up issues to be investigated

Comprehensive Plan discussed especially regarding Climate Smart Communities

Next officially scheduled meeting September 16th, 2024

7:41 - A Molina motions to adjourn and K Lee seconds