Town of Shandaken, NY CAC minutes January 20, 2025

Attending members: Beth Waterman, Karen Lee, Nicole Caputo, Catherine del Tufo (via zoom)

Pledge of allegiance 6:32 pm

December minutes accepted by K Lee and B Waterman seconded

Priorities and Comprehensive Plan

- K Lee announces task force kick-off set for January 25, consisting of 3 public meetings to begin First at Parish Hall in the morning, at town hall at one, and PHCC later in the afternoon. Plan and townwide survey will be introduced. Survey open until 3/1/25
- Disaster Plan workshop/program preparation is underway with assistance from Heidi Emrich. B Waterman reads letter from Emrich with suggestions. Zoom meeting planned.

Predicting and Planning (for extreme precipitation) webinar presentation on January 24

Next priority is CCAP (Community Climate Action Plan) - meeting with Eleanor Peck and Meena Viswanathan to be scheduled

No solar mapping updates

Pollinator pathway will be installed after Glen Brook Park restorations permit Dark sky initiative being researched

All attempts to contact Onteora HS potential student interest with CAC unsuccessful, so far

Adjournment 6:49 pm motioned by B Waterman, K Lee seconds

Minutes prepared by Catherine Del Tufo.