

**The Village of Nyack Sustainability Committee
Meeting Agenda
October 7, 2020**

DISCUSSION

1. Review Committee Mission, Responsibilities and Organization

2. Addressing Policy

Policy on Local projects
County/Regional Policies

3. Recruitment

4. Communication

- Administrator and Board
- VON Website
- Local News
- Presentations
- Calendar

WORKING GROUP REPORTING

Informing and inspiring the public is part of all working groups. Strategies, dates?

Energy

Chair: Steve Cea, *Members:* Marcy Denker

Current Projects

1. Greenhouse Gas Inventory (governments and community).
2. NYSERDA Energy Navigators Program
3. Low embodied energy concrete (possible local policy and presentation). Hastings has passed a resolution.
4. Energy code and code enforcement
5. CCA (we all should know the basics. Plus--*Town of Philipstown disposal program paid for with Community Solar funds.*

Ecological Landscaping

Chair: Marcy Denker *Members:* Dana Harkrider, Lorien Barlow, Rosemary Farrell

Current projects

1. *Beyond [Love Em and Leave Em](#) (Plan for immediate next steps for outreach)*
2. Coordination with NyackPollinator Pathway

Transportation

Chair: Dave Zornow Members: Marcy Denker, Village staff,

Current Projects:

1. Integrated decision-making related to traffic throughout the village in coordination with Parks/Waterfront,
2. Implementation of Greater Nyack Bike Walk Masterplan recommendations; coordinating these actions with other river villages
3. Implementation of Village of Nyack Broadway/S Franklin TAP Streetscape improvements (NYS DOT grant)
4. Implementation of public service messaging re: bike/ped/motorists safe cycling/walking/driving best practices as funded by the Rockland County Health Department and the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee ([GTSC](#))

Materials Management

Chair Marcy Denker Member: Joel Newton

Current Projects:

1. Composting and food waste in coordination with Rockland Composting Coalition
2. BYOBag Nyack
3. Refrigerants management--leakage and disposal issues-- in coordination with *New Yorkers for Cool Refrigerants Management*