



Kingston Conservation Advisory Council

AGENDA

October 10, 2023 Monthly Meeting 6:00pm  
City Hall Conference Room 1

Call to Order: \_\_\_\_\_ pm

**Council Members**

- Emilie Hauser (Chair) \_\_\_\_\_
- Kevin McEvoy (Secretary) \_\_\_\_\_
- Helen Atkinson \_\_\_\_\_
- Anita Collins \_\_\_\_\_
- Briana Gary \_\_\_\_\_
- Theodore Griese \_\_\_\_\_
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Common Council Liaison

- Michele Hirsch \_\_\_\_\_
- Staff
- Julie Noble, Sustainability Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_

Guests

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- I. Welcome Guests**
- II. Modifications to the Agenda**
- III. Review and Approval September 2023 Monthly Meeting Minutes**
- IV. Special Presentation: *Melissa Iachetta, Scenic Hudson’s HOW TO SOLAR NOW Solar Mapping Tool Tutorial, Solar Zoning discussion***
- V. Old Business**
  - a. Wood Smoke/Air Quality Sub Committee
    - i. Gas powered leaf blowers/noise ordinance
  - b. Kingston Forward City-wide Rezoning
  - c. City Plan Review (see [www.engagekingston.com](http://www.engagekingston.com))
    - i. RAISE
    - ii. Kingston Point Park Improvements
    - iii. Kingston Organics
    - iv. Community Preservation Plan
  - d. PACE University resiliency assessment (LWRP)
  - e. NYNJHATS
  - f. Pollinator Gardens
- VI. New Business**
  - a. Legislation re: Release of Helium Balloons
  - b. Action on Wetland Preservation
  - c. Open Issue Discussion
- VII. Communications**
- VIII. Announcements/Events**
- IX. Reports/Updates**
  - a. Complete Streets (*Helen Atkinson*)
  - b. Planning Board Liaison (*Kevin McEvoy*)
  - c. Public Safety Liaison (*Emilie Hauser*)
  - d. Climate Smart Kingston (*Kevin McEvoy*)
  - e. Ulster County Environmental Management Council Liaison (*Ted Griese*)
  - f. Tree Commission (*Anita Collins*)
- X. Adjournment: \_\_\_\_\_pm**

**Mission:** *Ensure the conservation of the City of Kingston’s natural resources and the enhancement and protection of its environment while fostering unified action on environmental matters.*