

West Linn Sustainability Advisory Board Meeting

3/23/17

Attendance	Board / Staff / Guests: Alex Mihm, Sara Harding Mihm, Clare Bean, Sara Weihmann, Tamara Gilbert, Cecile Denny, Darren Wyss, Sharon Selvaggio
Action Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Darren to send an email to Eileen that says we voted to support Sharon Selvaggio's request to pass on a draft resolution to City Council. Follow up with Courtney to have social media posts to encourage homeowners to turn in their toxics to Metro (don't pour it down the drain!) and plant pollinator-friendly plants.• Tamara: Send 2017 SAB meeting dates to SAB, Russ• Clare, Tamara: A letter to be drafted to City Council that covers lessons learned, background, next steps, seek input, etc., that describes what happened during the planning process of West Linn Earth Fair.• Everyone: Monday, April 3, 6pm, work session Eileen and Council about Boards• WLEF Team: When approaching Kahut, share the holistic benefits of offering a wide range of sustainability-related topics as it relates to them, e.g., energy, waste water management, etc. When approaching Kahut about sponsoring the event, ask them about keeping the name, and which location would be best.• Sharon Selvaggio to contact Metro about holding a toxics turn in event in West Linn.• In general, create a paper trail.• 2017 Goals<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 1.1: Alex, Glen○ 1.2: Tamara Gilbert (City Council to pass a Resolution)○ 1.3: Alex, Tamara○ 1.4: Sara W., Glen○ 1.5: Clare, Sara W.○ 1.6: Tamara○ 2.1: Clare, Cecil, Sara W.○ 2.2: Glen○ 2.3: Alex, Sara M.○ 3.1: Sara M.○ 3.2: Alex, Sara M., Clare○ 3.3: Alex○ 3.4: Clare○ 3.5: Glen, Clare, Alex○ 3.6: Courtney
Decisions Made	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SAB will write a letter to City Council to recommend City Council adopt an ordinance/resolution to ban neonicotinoids on City grounds. Not to affect private property, so no regulatory impact on homeowners but would set an example and provide education.