

TOWN OF KEEDYSVILLE, MARYLAND

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Approved

Green Team Minutes November 21, 2024

The monthly meeting of the Keedysville Green Team was called to order at 7:01 pm with the following present: Chairman Jeff Russell, Mayor Ken Lord, Team Members, Evan Wiegand, Jason Krebill and Administrative Assistant Teresa Pangle.

The minutes from October 17, 2024 were approved.

Old Business

Main St/Rt 34 Railbed Lease Update – We are waiting to hear back from Mr. Hulse with DNR. We did receive a hold over letter for month to month until the lease process is completed.

Railbed Cleanup Update – We are waiting to hear back from Mr. Hulse with DNR.

Tree Planting Update – Ms. Pangle reported 12 people planted 20 trees in Taylor Park on 11/4/24. Four students received a total of 10 SSL hours

Sustainable MD Grant Opportunity – Ms. Pangle reported the grant was submitted on 11/6/24 and we should hear something by mid-December. Sustainable Maryland said they received 24 applications.

Springfest 2025 – The team agreed to start contacting vendors by the end of December. Mr. Wiegand will update the website with the new date and create a flyer. Travis Riner has agreed to provide music and will coordinate with other potential musicians. Ms. Pangle has confirmed two food vendors (Fireside Pizza & My Mini-Mart) and will confirm with Ms. Gemeny that the Ruritan's will serve Nutter's Ice Cream.

New Business

New GT Applicant Skadie Cooke – Mayor Lord asked how Skadie heard about the Green Team. She saw the post for tree planting in Taylor Park on the Town FB page and came out to help. Skadie was welcomed to the Green Team. Ms. Pangle mentioned Amy Thomas from Potomac Valley Audubon Society (and town resident) stopped in today to pick up an application to become a member of the Green Team.

Comments by Team – Ms. Pangle reported the installation of the drinking fountain at Taylor Park was completed on 11/20/24. Mr. Krebill said his daughter had her presentation the other night and received her Girl Scout Bronze Award. Mayor Lord said we can highlight the fountain at SpringFest.

Mr. Krebill wanted to re-visit the railbed project. There was much discussion about the old building and potential historical concerns along the railbed. Mr. Krebill said he's willing to reach out to the Md Historical Society after Ms. Pangle checks with Mr. Hulse from DNR in regards to the building.

Meeting adjourned at 8:22 pm.

Respectfully Submitted
Teresa Pangle
Administrative Assistant

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Green Team Agenda November 21, 2024

Call to Order

Approval of Minutes: October 17, 2024 minutes.

Old Business: Main St/Rt 34 Railbed Lease Update; Railbed Cleanup Update; Tree Planting Update; Sustainable MD Grant Opportunity Update; Springfest 2025

New Business: New GT Applicant

Comments by Residents

Comments by Team

Adjournment