## **ROCK HILL CLEAN & GREEN**

**Mission Statement:** To promote litter reduction, beautification and recycling through public awareness, education and special events designed to reach every segment of the population; To make recommendations to city government on programs, policies and codes which impact these issues.

## Agenda September 11, 2023 5:30pm

Present: Excused:

Staff:

- 1. Call to Order:
- 2. Approval of Minutes of August meeting
- 3. Board Goals: See back page for updated for goals.
- 1. Subcommittee Goals:
  - Committee Sign Up Sheets and Subcommittee
- 2. Past Volunteer Activities
- 4. Upcoming Volunteer Activities
  - September 23 at 10 AM litter cleanup with Keep York County Beautiful and Men on a Mission. Highway 5 and Rawlinson Road.
  - Riversweep October 7

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  - America Recycles Day School Event November
- 5. New Business
  - a. Boards and Commissions Picnic 9/14/2023
  - b. Bags to Benches: August total 483 pounds, total of 9,481 pounds

Adjourn

Next meeting October 2, 2023, 5:30 PM

## Board Goals 2023/2024

- Reduce litter index:
  - Hot Spot Identification program: Board members will send Elizabeth pictures (text or email) of litter hot spots and we will encourage others to participate in a cleanup. Outreach through social media.
  - o Focus litter cleanups in Wards 1 and 6
- Highlight the local economic benefits and closed loop process of recycling.
- Label event center bins for recycling.
- Plan and complete a beautification project.
  - o Work with Neighborhood Servies to identify a beautification project.
  - o Coordinate yard cleanups before Rolling in Rock Hill with Neighborhood Services.
- Increase awareness about bags to benches program and next steps of taking reusable bags.
- Invite Council Members and Mayor to meetings to give us updates and let us know how we can help.

Litter & Beautification Subcommittee Recycling Subcommittee Education Subcommittee