

## ROCK HILL CLEAN & GREEN BOARD

The Rock Hill Clean & Green Board is a citizen advisory board to the City's Department of Public Works focusing on creating a cleaner, greener, and more beautiful City.

### AGENDA

**June 3, 2024 – 5:30 PM**

City Operations Center

757 Anderson Road South

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. Approval of Minutes from May meeting.
3. ATTENDANCE – (*excused, present, absent*)
4. OLD BUSINESS – (*items from previous meeting*)
  - a. Vote on amending bylaws.
  - b. Litter Index assessment update. (Ward 1 Elizabeth, Ward 2 Jacob, Ward 3 Gale, Ward 4 Gary, Ward 5 Julie, Ward 6 Chris)
  - a. Previous months volunteer activities (1 education session at Macfeat Multi-age kindergarten)
  - b. Vote on meeting in July instead of August, and push retreat out to September.
  - c. Production of Safety cards and business cards with Rock Hill Clean & Green
    - i. Email address: [RHcleanandgreen@cityofrockhill.com](mailto:RHcleanandgreen@cityofrockhill.com)
  - d. Volunteer list
5. NEW BUSINESS
  - a. Volunteers needed for Board Organizer position. To be voted on during annual retreat.
  - b. River Sweep (October) \*Is this feasible for our group?
    - i. Other suggestions for Fall events?
  - c. Goal has been met for Bags to Benches program. New year does not start until October 2024.
    - i. Discuss what to do with donations from now until new challenge starts.
  - d. Annual retreat.
    - i. Finalize date for this.
    - ii. Julie has volunteered for to bring food. What other volunteers are needed?
    - iii. Key items to be discussed during annual retreat:
      1. Litter index, updating education material, exhibits and give-a-way items.
  - e. Subcommittee Updates
    - i. Education
    - ii. Litter & Beautification
    - iii. Recycling
6. REMINDERS
  - a. Next Meeting (*first Monday of month @ 5:30 PM*) Date TBD after voting during old business.
7. ADJOURN

## **ROCK HILL CLEAN & GREEN EVENTS**

Polar Bear Pickup (January or February) – Completed for 2024  
Litter Index (March) – Completed for 2024  
Spruce up for Spring (March – April) – Completed for 2024  
Earth Day Birthday (April) – Completed for 2024  
Come See Me (April) – Completed for 2024  
River Sweep (October)  
America Recycle Day (November)  
ChristmasVille (December)

## **ROCK HILL CLEAN & GREEN BOARD GOALS**

- Reduce Litter Index:
  - Hot Spot Identification Program: Board members will locate areas of litter hot spots.
  - 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.
  - Work with Neighborhood Services to identify a beautification project.
  - 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 up.

## **SUBCOMMITTEE GOALS**

Litter & Beautification Subcommittee:

- Attend neighborhood meetings in Wards 1 and 6.
- Locate graffiti around town.

Recycling Subcommittee:

- Place educational stickers on the residential roll carts.
- ARD Recycle Sculpture Contest plan for 2024.

Education Subcommittee:

- Main Key events: ChristmasVille, ARD, Earth Day Birthday, Come See Me.
- Expand to new events: Could work with 5K and 10K and have tabling to have information out at the event. Fundraiser walk, have a presence at those events.