

MANSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY ADVISORY BOARD

Sustainability Committee

Minutes

Thursday, January 17, 2019 9 AM

Director's Office, MPL 54 Warrenville Rd. Mansfield, CT 06250

1. Call to Order
 - i. Present: Diane Dorfer; Megan Stanton (Members), Leslie McDonough (Director), Jen Kaufmann; Virginia Walton (Guests)
2. Approval of Minutes, Dec. 20, 2018 meeting
 - i. Minutes Approved
3. Communications
 - i. None
4. New Business
 - i. Continue discussion of the library's participation in SustainableCT
 - ii. Diane reviewed concept of workshops for Jen Kaufmann and Virginia Walton
 - Possible initial roll-out of first workshops for Spring 2019
 - iii. Discussed how initiative could dovetail with existing Town/ Community programming
 - to complement rather than recreate
 - cross promotion and building networks to connect to other programming across the town
 - Under umbrella of 'Sustainability'
 - iv. Discussed ways to possibly integrate with Sustainable CT
 - Activities to fall under 'Innovative Action'
 - v. First possible collaborative event with Solid Waste Advisory Committee
 - film screening hosted at Library on waste to complement Town plastic bag ban initiative
 - vi. Action Steps
 - Jen to put together SustainableCT events to share info and be intentionally coordinated
 - Library Team to plan initiative branding and workshop roll out
5. Agenda Items for Future Meetings
 - i. Next Meeting- Building Strategic Plan for 2019
6. Adjournment
 - i. Adjourned