



Long Branch Green Team Meeting Minutes – July 21, 2025

Meeting was called to order at 8:05 pm

Attendees: Annette Benanti, Kathy Buchan, Rich Catanese, Manju Chidambaram, Harry Dellane, Nan Simon, Faith Teitelbaum, Suzan Cole, Mark Davis

Guests: Kim Campo

Administrative:

- Clarify new city liaison as Richard Thompson has resigned

Old Business:

- Recycling
 - Recycling education – outreach to community
 - Proposal was developed and sent to Jaye Sims for feedback
 - Main thrust is to use the city social media to educate community (Recyclopedia) with weekly flyers
 - Discussion underway with city to add recycling containers in Pier Village as well as relabeling city trash containers
 - Team will follow up regarding garbage and recycling
 - Looking into communicating recycling rules for renters
- Park Restoration:
 - Ross Lake
 - Water level low
 - Jackson Woods
 - Maintenance on aerator this weekend
 - New benches from Girl Scouts and Trex plastic collections to be installed
 - Daffodil planting to be done in September

New Business:

- Energy Planning (Solar)
 - Community Energy Planning Grant funding to be released in September; EC/GT to be involved in building the plan with consultant to be hired by city

Adjournment at 8:40 pm