

GGC meeting Tue, 6/17/25, Welcome Center conference room, 5:30.

Zoom: <https://hws.zoom.us/j/92156663764?pwd=UJJ7ExYP7DwblO0Ps2Et1zmjlqPfb.1#success>

Present: Pat Wallace (Chair), Marcia Cullen, Richard Cox, Heather Emery, Larry Campbell, Julia Hoyle

A, Call to Order. Approve April and May's Meeting Minutes Motion made by RC, 2nd by MC.

B, Correspondence: received GGC application from Heather Emery. Introductions all around.

C, Reports:

- 1, Castle Creek fence/debris update tabled.
- 2, Hotel area of City Lakefront Park gardening update tabled.
- 3, MZ techno-trash collection results: 66lbs, arranged and sponsored by Eileen Buckley.
- 4, Town Free Stuff Day was a success.

D, Discussions:

- 1, Local solid waste management:

LC: I was going to contact David West, but he's leaving. I'll contact a CC member, Ahmad Whitfield or someone, and ask if they can bring a Motion to CC to support the SMI landfill closure. Ontario County hired a consulting corporation.

RC: we should get the consulting corporation to come here to talk to us.

LC: I doubt that they would come, but there's probably a County report available. There was a FLT article. I should contact ClimateSmart. DW left; I'll talk to Amie Hendrix about achieving certification. They advise actions and do GHG inventories. I did the only one so far. The 2018 GHG inventory was broken down into categories such as buildings, streetlights, etc.

2, Green, Sustainable Prosperity Through Efficiency: this is Jim Stiles' outlined suggestions, tabled in his absence.

E, Announcements:

- 1, Ongoing: Weeding Wednesdays:

[https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E48ADAC2AA4F5C16-48380529-weeding/150107481#/#/](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E48ADAC2AA4F5C16-48380529-weeding/150107481#/)

2, Ongoing: Ontario County Solid Waste info & poll: <https://bandl.mysocialpinpoint.com/ontario-county-lswmp>

3, 6/22/25 Neighbors Together Garden Walk 2:00-5:00 starting at Pulteney Park, where maps with addresses of gardens will be available. One group will go up Washington St to Jim Norwalk's house, another group will go to the State St community gardens.

- 4, 6/26/25 Ontario County Solid Waste Management virtual meeting (JS)

5, 6/28/25 Rally regarding Greenidge; Welcome Center, 2:30

6, 7/13/25 Geneva Parks Foundation; Buzzuto Center, 22 Castle St, 12:00 noon

7, Early Aug '25 Neighbors Together veggie garden walk

8, Near Labor Day: home-grown tomato contest with multiple entry categories (largest, prettiest, best flavor)

9, 9/20/25 SunDay: <https://www.sunday.earth/welcome>

Motion to adjourn: MC, seconded: RC