

**Commission on the Environment (Tuesday, January 2, 2024)**

*Generated by Andrew Cheney on Monday, January 2, 2024*

**Meeting called to order at 6:30 PM****1. Call to Order**

Motion by Kristin Whitesell, second by Melissa Rodriguez

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: George Thompson, Melissa Rodriguez, Molly Boron, Kristen Whitesell, Leslie Taylor, Jennifer Raley, Nicole Bega

**2. Roll Call**

Members present

George Thompson, Melissa Rodriguez, Molly Boron, Kristen Whitesell, Leslie Taylor, Jennifer Raley, Nicole Bega

**3. Review and Approval of Minutes**

Review and Approval of Minutes for Meeting of December 5, 2023

Motion by Kristin Whitesell, second by Melissa Rodriguez

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: George Thompson, Melissa Rodriguez, Molly Boron, Kristen Whitesell, Leslie Taylor, Jennifer Raley, Nicole Bega

**4. Review and Approve Annual Report**

Motion by Kristin Whitesell, second by Jennifer Raley

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: George Thompson, Melissa Rodriguez, Molly Boron, Kristen Whitesell, Leslie Taylor, Jennifer Raley, Nicole Bega

**5. Review and Approve Revised Budget**

Motion by Melissa Rodriguez, second by Leslie Taylor

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: George Thompson, Melissa Rodriguez, Molly Boron, Kristen Whitesell, Leslie Taylor, Jennifer Raley, Nicole Bega

**4. Old Business**

Discussion: A. Dr. Mark Southerland, Safe Skies Maryland

Discussion: B. Tree Canopy Task Force Discussion

**5. New Business**

Discussion: A. Review and Approve 2023 Annual Report

Discussion: B. Earth Day 2024 Preparation : Musicians and shirts needed. County times add needed.

Discussion: C. Sustainability Awards Kickoff: Update link for 2023 nom.form

Discussion: D. Tree Canopy Intern: Ben's info and position description.

Discussion: E. Leonardtown Library Bird-safe May Event: Amy poc (Brandon Manager) to get vendors for the event. (May 4th event date?)

**6. Adjourn**

Motion by Kristen Whitesell, second by Leslie Taylor.

Final Resolution: Motion Carries

Yea: George Thompson, Melissa Rodriguez, Molly Boron, Kristen Whitesell, Leslie Taylor, Jennifer Raley, Nicole Bega