

Keep Lakewood Beautiful
Meeting Minutes
April 17, 2024

In attendance

Tony Bruzas, Agnes Stevenson, Joe Stolitza, Mindy McGuffee, Shellie Sedlak, Ruth Gillett, Matt Bixenstine, Meghan Chaired by Melissa Meehan. Also in attendance, Rita Gonzales from Lakewood HS

Welcome & Comments

- Thanks to Rita Gonzales, environmental science teacher at Lakewood HS, for discussing student outreach!

Business

- **March Meeting Minutes Approved**
- **Earth Day/Clean Up Event Final Plans – 4/27/24**
 - Sam to put up event signs in City Center, Tony to put some up as well
 - KLB members to arrive at 8am to City Center; Melissa to pickup supplies from City Center, Tony to deliver trees
 - Ruth & Melissa to bring tables (2-5) & tents (3?)
 - Activities will include litter pickup, weeding, and mulching trees in City Center & along Detroit. City truck will have mulch, wheelbarrows, shovels (we can bring additional shovels)
 - Lakewood HS AP Environmental Class to join for educational opportunity, also horticultural class
 - Donna from Your Refill Station to attend or provide supplies
 - Glen from refuse – can he bring something for electrical recycling?
 - Ruth to reach out to Rust Belt Riders
 - Mindy responsible for photographs
 - Root supplying coffee, Beyond supplying smoothies
- **Adopt-A-Spot Update/Business**
 - New email address: klb.adopt.a.spot@gmail.com
 - Megan is updating contacts & website photo list, will send an email introducing herself
- **KLB Logo Update/Purchase Apparel**
 - Logo #2 is the final selection, Melissa to look into t-shirts
 - Tony to stencil pickup buckets
- **KLB Humus and Perennial Plant Sale – 5/11/24**
 - 9-12 am, all hands on deck, KLB members to arrive at 8am
 - Community service workers are ready for Thursday/Friday humus
 - Sunbeam delivering Saturday Morning, Meadow City delivering Friday (to city hall garage?)
 - Melissa will talk to Kurt about getting Meadow City plants to the Park
- **Pop Up, Pick Up, Pour Up Update – 3/27/24, next Pop Up 5/29/24**
 - Great turnout for the March event! Tony to host May event & confirm location
- **School Outreach**
 - Melissa led a recycling event at Emerson last week, and has an upcoming native plant talk at Horace Mann
- **Monarch Waystation Garden**
 - Mindy & Agnes to talk to Wild Ones about how best to clean up, define the space, identify plants

Next Meeting: May 15, 2024, at Cove Community Center
Meeting adjourned at