



North Salem | Climate Smart Community

**North Salem Climate Smart Community  
Leadership Team  
November 16, 2021  
5:30 pm**

**ZOOM DIAL IN NUMBER**

1. 929-205-6099
2. ID 914-261-2636
3. <https://zoom.us/j/9142612636>

**AGENDA**

1. Climate Emergency Resolutions (County Legislator Kitley Covill)
2. Approval of Minutes from September 21, 2021 and October 19, 2021
3. Win Waste Materials Recovery Facility Field Trip, Stamford 10:30am
  - a. Wear sturdy closed-toe shoes
4. LED Lightbulb Swap – ongoing efforts (Katherine)
5. Community Choice Aggregation update
6. Community Solar Program update (Janine, Katherine)
7. Solar Power for Horse Farms October 23 (Charlotte)
8. Other solar projects under consideration
  - a. Salt shed
  - b. CFFD – both buildings
  - c. NSVAC
9. Schoolhouse – 3 Owens Rd.
10. Rough Draft of Climate Action Plan
11. COP26 takeaways (group discussion)
12. Subcommittee Reports
  - a. Building
    - i. GHG inventory benchmarking (Nina)
  - b. Transportation (Katherine)
  - c. Clean Energy (Chris)
  - d. Land, Air, Water (Jocko)



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- e. Food practices/recycling (Edris/Janine)
  - f. Legislation (Katherine and Janine)
    - Passage of Federal Infrastructure Bill
  - g. Newsletter, Instagram, Facebook pages (Emily, Eric, Katherine)
  - h. North Salem Central School District Climate Smart Task Force
13. Grant Updates
- a. NYSERDA \$5,000 largely used
  - b. \$5,000 Anticipated for Community Solar Program?
  - c. \$5,000 Anticipated for NYStretch
14. Timeline for completing first draft of Climate Action Plan: ***First Draft December 2021.***
15. Ideas for community education programs/master list
- a. Community Solar (in progress)
  - b. LED lightbulb swap (completed)
  - c. Solar Power for Horse Farms (completed)
  - d. Workshops on recycling
  - e. Workshops on composting
  - f. Workshops on eliminating pesticides and herbicides
  - g. EV vehicle show
  - h. Workshop on EV charging stations
  - i. Carbon sequestration studies
  - j. Geothermal heating/cooling presentations
  - k. Homeowner solar presentation
  - l. Wind power
  - m. Pollinator Pathway – Environmentally friendly gardening/invasive species removal
  - n. Reading group
  - o. Solar house and/or barn tour
  - p. Program on using goats and other herbivories for weed and invasive control
  - q. List Other