

## **Sustainability Advisory Committee**

# SAC COMMITTEE VIRTUAL MEETING MINUTES JANUARY 28, 2021

#### **ROLL CALL:**

Linda Goldstein
Jenny Abeles
Bill Chamberlin
Susannah Fuch
Tina Murtha
Susan Buse, Aldermanic Representative
Dan Sokol, Aldermanic Representative
George Hettich Clayton Century Foundation Liaison
Kathleen Gund

#### **ABSENT:**

Michelle Harris, Mayor Cindy Mense Angela Flotken

#### **CITY STAFF:**

Matt Malick, Director of Public Works
John Wulf, Asst. Director of Public Works
Daneen Schlereth, Recording Administrative Specialist II

♣ Virtual meeting was called to order at 4:35pm; October minutes were approved.

## Clayton Complete Streets Policy

- Matt updated the committee regarding a few changes that he made to the draft of the new Clayton Complete Streets Policy.
- The draft is scheduled to be an informational discussion at the Board of Alderman's meeting – February 9<sup>th</sup>

## John's Updates

- Susan Pizzaz's Questions Updates
  - City participation in Recycling Program Susan spoke with Louisville, KY who has had extreme success – use of a 3<sup>rd</sup> party to promote called "Recycle Coach"; which use social media for advertising
  - Idle time difference backdoor vs curbside service
    - 63 seconds per home for back door
    - 29 seconds curb service
  - Band on plastic bags working on more information on other sources around the state's ordinance.
  - Committee had a general conversation regarding rear yard pick up vs curb side and trash contract.
- o 2020 Campaign Sign Recycling Event
  - 1st time event Center of Clayton
  - Metal and plastic sings can be recycled
  - November 14<sup>th</sup> volunteers collected
    - 72 corrugated plastic signs
    - 13 cardboard signs
    - 5 plastic signs
  - Positive feed back
  - Recommend we participate next year as well
- City's St. Louis Green Business Challenge Award
  - Virtual event
  - City received a plaque made from recycling material along with a handwritten letter from Jean Pozzi, thanking the city for its participation.
  - Report sent out as well, with each city having its own page with their different ideas, accomplishments, and percentages.
  - http://stlouisgreenchallenge.com/images/Challenge2020\_Accomp lishment\_Book\_FINAL.pdf

- o 2021 Electronic Recycling Event
  - o March 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> south parking lot Shaw Park

### ♣ New Business

- Tina asked if the city could use the City's app to offer information or changes, along with any updates on events being held
- Matt if referring to the "My Clayton App" its only for taking in information not offering.
- Kathleen Gund, resident offered a general comment on information posted in the City Views that was inconsistent with the city's website.
- Short discussion followed with the committee and addressed the comments. The staff informed the committee, we would be more vigilant in confirming accuracy of information going out to the public.

Next meeting: February 28, 2021

Meeting adjourned at 5:45pm