

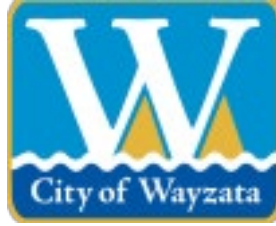


## **ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, April 28, 2025 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM**

**Wayzata City Hall  
600 Rice Street East  
Wayzata, MN 55391**

1. Roll Call
2. Introductions
3. Approve Agenda
4. Approve March 31, 2026 Meeting Minutes
5. Member Recruitment
6. County Tree Planting Update
7. Home Energy Squad Discount Renewal
8. All Electric Event Planning
9. [Resilience Plan](#) Discussion
10. Next Meeting – Tuesday, May 26
11. Adjournment



**ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**Tuesday, March 31, 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM**

**1. Roll Call**

Committee Attendees: Chair Lauren Lindelof, Dr. Edmund Chute, and David Ferri.

Wayzata City Staff Member: Nick Kieser, Parks and Environment Planner

Additional Attendees: Bruce Goodman

**2. Approve Agenda**

Motion to approve agenda, first by Chute, seconded by Ferri. Motion passed 3-0.

**3. Approve February 24, 2026 Meeting Minutes**

Motion to approve minutes, first by Lindelof and seconded by Ferri. Motion passed 3-0.

**4. Sustainability Champion Award Review**

The Sustainability Champion Award was presented to Folkstone at the March 24 City Council meeting. The presentation went well and Folkstone had a number of folks in attendance to receive the award. Chair Lindelof noted that Folkstone is showcasing their award at other events and discussing the sustainability projects they have completed.

**5. Member Recruitment**

Staff noted that Cam Bentrrott will be appointed by Council at their April 8 meeting. If approved, Mr. Bentrrott would be the newest member of the Energy and Environment Committee. The Committee would then have five members, so there would still be room for two additional members.

**6. Arbor Month Discussion**

Staff noted that the potted tree giveaway is live to giveaway 50 hackberry trees. In addition, the County is doing tree planting on Monday, May 11 from 8:00 am – 2:30 am. The Committee agreed that the City can advertise this event, but they acknowledge that there would be limited participation since it is on a Monday during the day.

The Committee discussed planning for a potential “all-electric” event, similar to the previous EV Ride and Drive Event. This event could have electric vehicles, electric yard equipment, and electric boats. This would serve as an educational event for the community on electric vehicles and equipment. Jukka Kukkonen, who spoke at the previous event, could be contacted to be a speaker at this event again. The event could be planned for June. Staff and Chair Lindelof will start contacting folks if they could attend this type of event in the summer.

### **7. Resilience Plan Discussion**

Staff noted that there is a City Council Workshop scheduled in June to discuss EVs and potentially the Dark Sky initiative. For the EV topic, staff has contacted Xcel Energy, Zef Energy, and our electrician to determine if we can get EV infrastructure installed at the Public Works facility. Staff is still working to get an answer on the feasibility and potential costs to install charging stations in the building.

Staff also showed a Dark Sky city code template that could potentially be incorporated into the city’s lighting code. Staff will reach out to our contact at Dark Skies to discuss this code template.

### **7. Next Meeting – Tuesday March 31**

### **8. Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn, first by Ferri, seconded by Chute. Motion passed 3-0.

## Wayzata Energy and Environment Committee

### 2026 Schedule for Taking Meeting Minutes

Date	Committee Member
January 27	Staff
February 26	Ferri
March 31	Yorro
April 28	Chute
May 26	Lindelof
June 23	Ferri
July 28	Yorro
August 25	Chute
September 22	Lindelof
October 27	Ferri
November 24	Yorro

# Join the Energy & Environment Committee to Help Advance Sustainability Goals in Wayzata!



## Work on initiatives like...



Resilience Plan Implementation



Dark Skies Research & Implementation



Sustainable Champions Program



Sustainability Events



Electrify the Municipal Fleet



Contact Nick Kieser at 952-404-5313 or [nkieser@wayzata.org](mailto:nkieser@wayzata.org) to discuss the Committee and learn how to apply!

# Waste Container Options

[Option 1](#)

[Option 2](#)

[Option 3](#)

[Option 4](#)

[Option 5](#)

[Option 6](#)

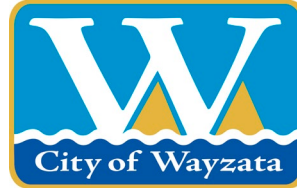
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[Option 10](#)

# City of Wayzata 2026 Meeting Calendar



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- Energy & Environment 5:30 PM
- Planning Commission - 6:30 PM
- City Council - 7:00 PM
- Local Board of Appeal & Equalization - TBD April 2026
- Charter Commission - 9:00 AM
- Lake Minnetonka Conservation District (LMCD)
- Heritage Preservation Board (HPB) - 2:00 PM
- Housing & Redevelopment Authority (HRA) - 7:30 AM
- Parks & Trails Board - 6:00 PM
- Public Art Committee - 5:00 PM
- Night to Unite
- Holiday Observed  
City Offices Closed
- Election  
Precinct Caucuses—2/3/26 (No Public Meetings)

**Meeting dates and times are subject to change. Dates can be confirmed by calling City Hall.**

Revised  
1/14/2026