

Onondaga Citizens League "Greening CNY" Steering Committee Meeting Notes,
January 19, 2010

Present: Jason Allers, Peter Arsenault, Carol Boll, Diane Brandli, Mary Jean Byrne-Maisto, Dave Coburn, Lori Dietz, Chris Fowler, David Holder, Steve Kearney, Karen Kitney, Sarah McIlvain, Chethan Sarabu, Sara Wall-Bollinger, Sandra Barrett.

NEXT STUDY SESSIONS:

LEED® and Green Buildings: What are They and Why Should I Care?

Tracie Hall, Executive Director, U.S. Green Building Council, New York Upstate Chapter

Monday, January 25, 4 – 5:30 PM

Enable, 1603 Court Street, Syracuse - Enable's "green" building is the first facility in Syracuse to receive LEED® Certification from the U.S. Green Building Council.

The new County Sustainable Development Plan

Megan Costa, Manager of Planning Services, Syracuse-Onondaga County Planning Agency

Thursday, February 4, 8:15 – 9:15 AM

Nottingham Room, Drumlins, 800 Nottingham Road, Syracuse

NEXT MEETING DATE: Feb. 2, 3:30 – 5 PM Sandra will invite Andy Maxwell, City of Syracuse and Rachel May, SU

DISCUSSION

Plans for the **Public Perception Surveys** are proceeding. David Holder has identified "green" surveys of businesses done by the Chamber over the past three years and will provide the results to the committee.

Future Study Sessions – Two separate transportation/mobility/accessibility sessions are being planned.

Case Studies – Diane and Peter reviewed sustainability initiatives of Nashville, TN and Dubuque, IA (PPT is attached, notes on the presentation to follow). They will lead additional discussion of ICLEI, etc. at the next committee meeting.

RECOMMENDED WEBSITES

- Nashville Green Ribbon Committee Report http://www.nashville.gov/mayor/green_ribbon
- Greener Nashville, Sustainability Info for Middle Tennessee <http://www.greenernashville.org>
- Nashville Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee <http://www.nashville.gov/mayor/bpac/index.asp>
- Nashville Clean Water Infrastructure Program <http://www.nashville.gov/water/swip/>
- **City of Dubuque** <http://ia-dubuque.civicplus.com/>
- **Sustainable Dubuque** <http://ia-dubuque.civicplus.com/index.aspx?nid=606>
- **Metropolitan Area Solid Waste Agency** www.dmaswa.org
- **Sustainability Pledge:** <http://ia-dubuque.civicplus.com/index.aspx?nid=692>
- **ICLEI** <http://www.iclei.org/>
- **Mayors Climate Protection Center** <http://www.usmayors.org/climateprotection/revise/>
- **Coolcities** <http://www.coolcities.us/>