



Elgin Math & Science Academy

Environmental Work Group Meeting

Date and Time

Friday February 17, 2023 at 7:00 AM CST

Location

Just added a Zoom link

Neil/Elementary Cafeteria

1600 Dundee Ave; Elgin, IL 60120

Elgin Math and Science Academy is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Enviro Work Group

Time: Feb 17, 2023 07:00 AM Central Time (US and Canada)

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Agenda

	Purpose	Presenter	Time
I. Opening Items			7:00 AM
A. Record Attendance			1 m
B. Call the Meeting to Order		Kerry Kelly	
C. Approve Minutes	Approve Minutes		1 m
II. Water Resource Management			7:02 AM
A. Administration Building Plans	Discuss	Dan Alexander & Chris Flaherty	10 m
Review			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. plans to protect Admin Building from water infiltration; 2. rainwater drainage; 3. other concerns. 			
B. Rainwater Campus-wide	Discuss		2 m
III. EMSA Parking Plan			7:14 AM
A. Need for a Parking Plan at EMSA	Discuss	Kerry Kelly and Dan Alexander	10 m
The Enviro Group's assignment: to lead and support the creation of a parking plan for EMSA			
B. Next steps			10 m
IV. Environmental Work Group Continuing Items			7:34 AM
A. Educational Spaces, Playgrounds & Natural Play Areas	Discuss	Team	10 m

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expanding play areas: behind Admin Bldg, in front of gym, beside gym, other <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Gym-area playground--next steps (quote from GG, MS students to mulch) ◦ Weedy patch between Gym & Admin (not part of prior construction agreement?) Ideas/Plans • Campus Map--info on use • Map of Forest Preserve • Kindergarten outdoor learning space • 4th grade sound impact from playground • Rain barrels--keep on radar • Pollinator garden, Oak plantings, oak understory--maintenance plans • Adoption and communication of Tick Policy • Silo Art Project 			
B. Ecosystem Education	Discuss	Team	10 m
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Teacher support on ecosystem education 2. Partnership with Friends of the Fox 3. Friday Field Studies 4. Partnership with Forest Preserve of Kane County. 5. Enviro Club or Hiking Club plans 6. Casual trail/walking for staff and students 7. Signage: tree signs, info signs 8. Land Acknowledgement 9. "Green Label" School Designation 			
C. Sound Wall (Illinois Tollway)	Discuss	Dan Alexander	2 m
Update from D Alexander and next steps.			
D. IDOT - Traffic on I-25	Discuss	Dan Alexander	2 m
Update from D Alexander and next steps (outreach to elected officials).			
E. Ongoing Tree Care & Planned Landscaping		Christopher Flaherty	2 m
V. Other Business			8:00 AM
A. EMSA Mission-Vision-Goal Setting Enviro Recommendations	Discuss	Sue Bennett	5 m
Next steps			

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VI. Closing Items			8:05 AM
A. Adjourn Meeting	Vote		