

# Lafayette Waste Reduction Advisory Committee Meeting

March 5, 2020

## Minutes

**Call to Order:** by Chair LeBeau at 6:34 PM.

**Attendance:** Becky O'Brien, Becky Tyer, Matt LeBeau, Kathy Wertz, Adam Gianola, Kali Diamond, Jenn Dingman Tony Raeker (Staff Liaison), Tonya Briggs (Council Liaison), Jenny Steel (public), Josh Brown (public),

**Minutes:** The minutes of February 7, 2020 were approved unanimously with a motion from Becky O. and a second by Adam.

**Public Comment:** There were no public comments.

**Council/RCAB Update:** Matt covered the Compost Pilot presentation, and the presentations of two other awardees, Planet Bluegrass and KGNU's FLOWS program.

**Staff Update:** Tony covered the PAYT expansion, the sustainability intern recruitment, the IgCC and addressing C&D waste, and the Sustainability Plan. Adam added some comments about the status of the Comprehensive Plan as well.

**Applications to WRAC:** The committee voted recommend to Council that appoint Josh Brown to WRAC with a motion Becky O. and second from Becky T. Passed unanimously.

**Art Night Out:** Matt covered some ongoing discussions with Rachel, but there are still some differences of opinion. WRAC would like pare down the overstaffing of volunteers at the event. Tony will look into creating a volunteer form for WRAC.

**Waste Composition Study/Zero Waste Toolkit:** The committee discussed some of the Toolkit rankings, and the difference between adopting a policy and actual achieved results. Some of the categories where Lafayette scored lower may be area of opportunity for WRAC efforts.

**Food Recovery:** The program is going well, though donations have been down recently. Becky O., Becky T., and Jenn said that they could use some additional help covering the routes when one person or another has a prior engagement or is unavailable.

**Film series:** The film series is going well and there are ongoing discussions with Louisville about coordinating the programs.

**Meeting Adjourned** at 8:00 by a unanimous vote with a motion by Becky T. and a second by Becky O.

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City of Lafayette, Colorado

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Tony Raeker  
Staff Liaison

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Waste Reduction Advisory Committee  
Matt Le Beau, Chair