**Town of Orangetown**

**Climate Smart Community Mtg - Meeting Minutes**

**Date: Tuesday April 27th, 2021. 10 am**

**Location: Town Hall – Multipurpose Room**

Attendees: Eamon Reilly, Commissioner DEME/Committee Chair (ER)

Maria Gagliardi (MG) Allison Kardon (AK) Mike Andrea (MA)

Christopher Sheehan (CS)

Discussion Topics:

1. Orangetown current Point accumulation review = 24 pts accomplished tasks. AK compiled/submitted list.
2. Need to send Carla Castillo (Hudson Valley Regional Counsel) Orangetown’s completed tasks & have her help develop customized list for Orangetown to achieve the ‘Bronze’ Certification.
3. AK working with Orangetown’s Bldg Dept for ‘Stretch Code’ to achieve Climate Smart & Clean Energy Certifications. Submission target = 01/2022.
4. Review of Greenhouse gas points – compared to other Villages that have successfully achieved points.(PE2.1 & 2.2)
5. Review of potential tasks to achieve additional points;
   1. 3.2 LED lighting
   2. 3.4 sink fixtures for Water Efficiency.
   3. 3.8/3.9 Fleet inventory – Need to submit
   4. 3.1.5 Street lights – Completed. Need to submit.
   5. Traffic light conversion (ask Highway)
   6. Other completed projects that may be included
      1. Solar Code Updated/completed. Need to submit.
      2. Farmers’ Market – Will Orangetown continue? Can we submit from 2020 season?
      3. 3.2 Recycle Bins
      4. Community Solar
      5. 5.9 (St. Patrick’s Day Parade)
      6. 6.11 Electrical Vehicle recharging stations. Completed. To be submitted.
      7. 6.10 Bike trails. Complete. To be submitted.
      8. 9.5 Website/Social Media (Environmental Committee to help)
      9. 7.21/8.8 MA to review other possible completed projects that may qualify as points.

Action Items:

1. AK to sent completed tasks to Carla – Get customized OTown project list from Carla.
2. MA to reach out to Piermont & others to let us know how to achieve Greenhouse Gas points.
3. ER/Jim Dean/Aric Gorton to create a building list to assess LED lighting potential.
   1. ER called/emailed Dept Heads 04/27/21.
4. ER/Jim Dean/Aric Gorton to create fixture list to assess Water Efficiency potential.
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5. AK to submit Fleet Inventory, Street Light Improvement, Solar Code, Recycle Bins & Bike Trails.
6. Farmers’ Market –Check with Palisades
7. Community Solar – MG to let OTown know if this is possible.
8. MA/MG to inform OTown of what info to put on Website/Social Media – On-going.
9. MA/MG to forward additional completed projects that can be used for credit/points; Mountainview Ave, Oaktree Rd, etc.