**Town of Orangetown**

**Climate Smart Community Mtg - Meeting Minutes**

**Date: Thursday December 21st, 2023. 3 pm**

**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/data collection review. (AK) compiling/will submit list.
2. Currently at approximately 98 of required 120 points with uploaded tasks. Planned items to complete should total approximately 130 points. If all accepted, Orangetown will have attained enough points for Bronze Status.
3. Review of planned/In-process tasks to achieve additional points.
   1. Detention basin specifics – HWY

Specs rec’d by AK – Just need to upload.

* 1. LED Traffic Lights - HWY

Hwy collecting data – to provide AK. Should be 26-50% - 3 points.

* 1. Electrical fixture data – CS

CS to gather info from Parks to find data on purchase of compliant bulbs.

* 1. Meeting Minutes from 2021-22 – CS

Provided to AK.

* 1. Website info

Website OK – Just need to upload.

* 1. Social media interaction

Orangetown Facebook page includes Supervisor’s weekly newsletter – conforms. Need to upload.

* 1. Nation/region climate program

Green Infrastructure activities qualifies Orangetown – Need to uplad.

* 1. Fleet inventory

In process.

* 1. Residential waste

On-going – Upload will qualify for points.

* 1. Local forestry program – planting trees

Orangetown is considered a ‘Tree City’. Upload will provide points.

1. Collect all data and aim for 04/05/24 submittal for Bronze Status. There will be time for the State to review & for Orangetown to edit application for final approval by 07/2024.

Action Items:

1. Committee to continue to follow up on items in #3 to finalize completion & point total.
2. Committee to complete collection & review data collected for a. – j.
3. Submittal of application on/before 04/05/24.