

**MINUTES**  
**Town of Dedham**  
**Sustainability Advisory Committee**  
**10/10/18**  
**Notes taken by Leigh Hafrey**

Present: John Gorham, Chuck Kabat, Deb Harrison, Matt Simonson, Emily Walton, Leigh Hafrey. Public attendees included Terri Union, a visitor from North Carolina; David Ward, a mechanical engineering consultant from Dedham; Jenna Gibson, Chair for the Green Team at Novartis; Trinity Farrar, a student at Northeastern, blogging for a course there; Kathy Smith, with Transparent Dedham.

Leigh motioned to open the meeting; Chuck seconded. The meeting opened.

1. No minutes for previous meeting available—minutes not approved
2. Johanna McBride from Dedham Historical Society not present
3. Plastic ban bill: Terri Union presented
4. Recycling:
  - a. Review of volunteers' times
  - b. Review of materials that can be recycled
5. DSAC goals review
  - a. Leigh reminds committee of process over the past several months
    - i. Mission/goals to be converted into a one-page marketing version: done
  - b. Greening the Rte. 1 corridor
    - i. One of our goals
    - ii. Emily suggests appearing before the planning board to advance it
      1. Ask Ginny for info on previous \$ made available for the project and her source of info on that money
  - c. Do we need a meeting to approve going forward with DSAC goals?
  - d. How do we proceed on the plastic bag ban? (Emily)
    - i. Determine what Ginny has already done (John)
    - ii. Follow up with Amy Haelsen (Emily)
    - iii. Someone from Town Meeting needs to propose ban—political engagement? (Emily)
    - iv. Make the ban part of our agenda for 11/14 (John)
6. Old/New business: informal conversation with various guest attendees at the meeting
7. Leigh motioned to adjourn the meeting; Chuck seconded; adjournment approved at ??