

ESC Meeting Notes – February 29, 2016

7:00-8:00 PM AV Community Room-7149 Ridge Rd

Attending: Merrie Stillpass, Joanne Gerson, Tom Muething, Roger Toennis, Rob Schmuelling, , Beth Muething, Marvin & Gerry Krauss, Jim Kelly, Hannah Smith, Chuck Grossman, Elida Kamine, Gary Meisner

1. *Welcome*

2. **Presentation:** Q/A by Gary Meisner, Landscape Architect for Adath Israel corner at Ridge & Galbraith

3. **OSD – April 10, 2016**

- a. Participant updates: Cohen - Royal Paper – Rockdale/Ohio Mills - ScrapNati
- b. Parking lot layout: Jim will update
- c. PR:
 - i. media – info posted on AV website, Green Umbrella, Hamilton County Recycling and Solid Waste District, Cincinnati.com, NextDoor
 1. all participants use their our organization’s web, social media
 - ii. banners – Andy working on graphics
 - iii. post cards – Andy working on graphics
 - iv. flyers – all participants circulate
 - v. letters – Tom will follow up
 - vi. AV Newsletter– article on recycling – Tom
- d. Volunteers: Rockdale working to get more; ESC will send out sign up form
- e. Scale: available from HCRSWD. Need to pick up: Beth?

4. **WeThrive updates**

- a. Continue to update pathway. Add MCWCC meeting
- b. need to complete Evaluation Survey - Tom
- c. Link to “Healthy Home” series articles to be posted on ESC portion AV website

5. **2016 Calendar**

- a. Rumpke recycling Feb. 18 recap– great video and discussion; 15+ in attendance
- b. TCUSA/Earth Day – April 25
 - i. Movie: Trees In Trouble – Merrie will contact Taking Root about showing Show movie (15-20 min) then ceremony
 - ii. Tree planting demo – location, species – work with AV staff
 - iii. PR – newsletter, calendar, NextDoor, Green Umbrella, Cincinnati.com
- c. Compost program at Amberley Green in May –Kathie
- d. Potential program ideas – Energy audit to be discussed further
- e. AG Clean-ups –Roger will discuss dates at March meeting

6. **2016-2018 ESC Board updates** – Village staff replacement to help with 5.b.ii. above –Tom

7. **Other –**

- a. revisit the Ordinance and other ESC operating documents at next meeting

b. NEXT MEETING: March 28th – 7 PM