LNR Community Advisory Group (CAG) Agenda November 19, 2024

Location: Shops at Riverwood Community Room 912 River St Hyde Park, MA The entrance is located to the right of the "Family Dental." There's a small parking lot next to the building. Street parking is available.

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Date: November 19, 2024 from 6 - 8 PM

Attendees: See email invite

Meeting Outcomes: Group Building; Introductions (SKEO, TASC)-Roles and Responsibilities; 11/12 Public Meeting- Reflect and discuss; Committee Overviews: Scope of work and current strengths/assets and challenges/needs (led by respective committee).

AGENDA:

6:00 PM 20 minutes - Meeting Starts, Marilynne

- a. Connecting Activity: Write down your thoughts and reactions from the Nov 12 Public Meeting
- b. Non-verbal Communication: The Line Up
- c. Norms: Revisit and Monitor

6:20 PM 40 minutes, Andres

- a. EPA Technical Assistance
- i. Introductions and Role: Joe Cronin (SKEO Facilitator), Bianca Boggs (SKEO Facilitator
- Support), Technical Advisor Support status.
- ii. Explain EPA/Neponset CAG responsibilities
- b. NepRWA Letter to EPA Riverside On-Site Coordinator
 - I. React and decide the next steps

7:00 PM 5 minutes, Jay

- a. Summarize
- b. Feedback on monitoring norms

7:05 PM 10-15 minutes per subcommittee, Jessica

CAG Committee Updates: Discussion led by committee.

Membership, Scope of Work, Current Strengths/Assets and Challenges/Needs and next steps

- a. Additional Technical Committee Updates
- b. Outreach Committee Updates
- c. Organizing Committee: Updates: Overview and Use of CAG Google Drive
- 7:50 PM 5 minutes, Andres
 - a. Community and Related Events :
 - b. Anything else

7:55 PM Closure, Marilynne

- Thumbs Up/Thumbs Down:/Thumbs in the middle
- **Connecting Activities**
- Structure/Process
- Content

8:00 PM End

Have a peaceful Thanksgiving holiday weekend!

Nobel Laureate Hermann Hesse wrote: "How he loved this river, how it enchanted him, how grateful he was to it! In his heart, he heard the newly awakened voice speak, and it said to him:

Love this river, stay by it, learn from it. It seemed to him that whoever understood this river and its secrets, would understand much more, many secrets, all secrets."

"That word in all its forms of Naponset — Aponset, or Neponset defies analysis." Many have surmised it means "river that flows through meadows." This would be a fair description since it travels through nearly seven miles of beautiful grassy meadows — the Fowl Meadows, in fact. So attractive to the early settlers were these grasses that the seeds were harvested and exported to Europe to produce the same luxurious grasses there. Source: 11.16.24 True Tales: Our river through the meadows | Canton Citizen

Upcoming Meeting Dates:

Dec 17 CAG River St Jan 21 CAG River St

Please read and review:

- EPA/Neponset website -<u>www.epa.gov/neponsetriver</u>
- How to Write a Comment (EE/CA) Public meeting handout 'Make your voice heard'
- EPA reports and communications
- CAG emails
- Sign up for the EPA Environmental Justice Newsletter : (Feldscher.Talia@epa.gov)