

**Hadley Climate Change Committee
Agenda
September 8, 2022, 7:00PM- Hadley Senior Center**

Mission Statement:

- Assemble and explain information regarding the Town's current ecological footprint.
- Assemble and explain information regarding potential actions the Town might take to reduce our ecological footprint.
- Help the town evaluate, choose, and implement actions that promote sustainable practices.
- Monitor changes in the Town's ecological footprint over time.

• **Review-**

Marian & colleagues- **Declaring a climate emergency-** Preparing for September 22.

→ What do we need to do to prepare?

The latest version of the climate crisis statement:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1FI002VGDk0kjf1Bh-iRTi-iTtH1c2TN8rt7oBkJFs8/edit?usp=sharing>

• **Updates-**

Green Communities & Energy Review-

Fuel Efficient Vehicle Policy- Approved by the select board at their last meeting. On to the school committee for review and a vote this month.

Jacinta is working away on our application to become a Green Community, due by September 30:

As of today, my records indicate that these are the outstanding items for designation:

- ~~Delivered fuels data from Osterman~~ request was made, waiting on a response
- **FEV Policy approval from the School Board / Committee** – need an update on yesterday's meeting
- **ERP submission** – no longer waiting on Osterman's data PVPC will move forward to complete the draft, will update accordingly when it comes

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1GJuBIn5QsSHUxB7MvQ_JdbSi09_mW2y_/edit?usp=sharing&oid=107108850088411206732&rtpof=true&sd=true

Website Updates- Kelly, Kathy, and Jack- Suggested reading list will be added

Hazardous Waste Day details- Kathy

**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY
for Hadley, Pelham, Shutesbury & Amherst residents**

September 24, 2022, 9am - 12 noon

Fort River Elementary, 70 South East Street, Amherst

For a complete list of what you can bring and to register online visit:

<https://www.amherstma.gov/157/Recycling---Solid-Waste>

Registration Deadline September 13, 2022

→ Next meeting (October 13, 2022)

New items not anticipated at time of posting (TBD)-

Public Comment (TBD)

Action items/Homework – *Scribe found = Kelly* (5 minutes)

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