

Hadley Climate Change Committee
Agenda
August 11, 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.*

• **Welcome Ed Golding- Friends of Hadley Public Library-** Guest speaker series

• **Review-**

Marian & colleagues- **Declaring a climate emergency-** Discussion and connections to Ed's request for speakers.
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1FI002VGDK0kjf1Bh-iRTi-iTtH1c2TN8rt7oBkJFsb8/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. Here is a link to Mark Rabinsky's revised policy:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1VCl9btqb4tJtnYxXEyKa1Xrg8DaMw23E/edit?usp=sharing&oid=107108850088411206732&rtpof=true&sd=true>

Ken L's Suggestions-

Reduce electrical usage & minimize the use of paper towels- Your thoughts on these ideas?

Ideas from Leverett- Alternatives to Plastics

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1hR4BDssSXs5bzRYLlIMrN27PedptRayGothVFgRExOI/edit?usp=sharing>

Website Updates- Kelly, Kathy, and Jack

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 (September 11, 2022)*

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

Public Comment (TBD)

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