

Village of Ardsley

Climate Advisory Committee (CAC)

With program updates on [ArdsleyCAN](#) and [Ardsley Pollinator Pathway](#)

AGENDA Thursday, February 2, 2022 7-8 pm via Zoom with passcode
CAC meets the first Thursday 7-8pm in October, December, February, April, & June

Meeting: Ardsley CAC February 2023

February 2nd, 7-8pm Ardsley CAC is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Meeting Zoom access link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82734954188?pwd=WmMvQUVxSjR2N3JwL0ZNdkxWaHVQUT09>

Meeting ID: 827 3495 4188

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For troubleshooting access at the meeting time please send a text to 646-942-1678

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1. Outcome of NYSERDA audit of Village Hall and current actions including application of related CEC grants received to date.
 2. Upcoming PP meeting with CRS env. club advisors, plus upcoming activities and recap on activities since Dec.
 3. Spring ArdsleyCAN activities in review of possible collaborations with AHS ETF
 4. Status of GridRewards for Village.
 5. Update on NYU capstone study of municipal vehicles.
 6. FY 23/24 budget

At our April meeting, we'll be joined by
Millie Magraw, Program Coordinator (Water Quality & Planning)
Westchester County Dept. of Planning

Millie lead the remarkable 2022 project work. See the Phase I outcome development of the **Planting Westchester** resource guide available [here](#).

Millie reached out to the Ardsley CAC given the following. In preparation we'll inquire on what's useful for Ardsley given her inquiry to make for a meaningful April discussion.

Here's more background and the inquiry below.

Phase I of Planting Westchester has been completed. The initiative encourages and empowers Westchester residents, municipalities, schools and businesses and other organizations to help promote Climate Solutions, Restoration of Natural Systems and Local Food Security through growing and maintaining healthy trees and/or other plants. Underlying the project are core principals of inclusive, socially-equitable decision making, community participation, communication, and relationship-building, and the value of healthy natural systems including biodiversity not only environmental and climate resilience but also to human health and well-being.

Phase II is beginning during which the team will reach out to a few key municipal environmental groups to help develop a baseline of needs across the County by discussing ways in which the County can support CACs (or similar types of groups) and the municipalities in which they are located.

Specifically is there an interest in the County offering guidance (educational materials; model ordinances; training and educational workshops for residents, businesses, municipal DPWs local elected officials, etc.)? Here are the following four areas:

Community Gardens
Green Infrastructure
Invasive Species Management
Trees