

2024 Work Plan for Environment and Energy Commission

2024 Initiatives and Ongoing Projects

ENABLING LANGUAGE	PROJECT	OUTCOMES/METRICS	TIMEFRAME	BUDGET	PROGRESS UPDATES
<p>Advise on energy-related matters of concern</p> <p>The best methods of maintaining an environment beneficial to the Village</p>	<p>Oak Park Electric Shuttle</p>	<p>Collaborate with Disability Access Commission and Transportation Commission to evaluate feasibility of an Oak Park Electric Shuttle and other sustainable and accessible modes of transportation. Participate in a working group comprised of representatives from a variety of local taxing bodies and sustainability nonprofits to develop recommendations. Deliver recommendation to Board.</p>	<p>Q4 2024</p>	<p>\$750 for community outreach activities including digital, print, and/or in-person communications</p>	
<p>Advise on energy-related matters of concern;</p> <p>Promote energy efficiency</p>	<p>Building Energy Policies</p>	<p>Propose ordinance to Board to electrify existing buildings during renovations. Coordinate with Building Code Advisory Commission on policy development.</p> <p>Receive staff update on benchmarking program progress and provide program improvement recommendations.</p> <p>Participate in cross-jurisdictional and collaborative groups as needed.</p>	<p>Q4 2024</p>		
<p>Solid waste management-</p>	<p>Community Waste</p>	<p>Propose updated waste rate ordinance. Perform outreach and focus groups, as well as case</p>	<p>Waste reductions proposals</p>	<p>\$1000 for outreach, communications, in-person</p>	

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related matters generally	Reduction Program	<p>studies on communities similar to Oak Park. Publish survey on composting for community feedback. Collaborate with Public Works to help develop recommendations.</p> <p>Propose policy to achieve universal composting.</p> <p>Receive staff presentation on single-use bag ordinance. Collaborate with Disability Access Commission to recommend ordinance update as needed.</p>	delivered to Board by August 2024	events, etc. to solicit community feedback	
The best methods of maintaining an environment beneficial to the Village	Biodiversity Program	<p>Propose parkway planting ordinance recommendations to Board.</p> <p>Propose exterior lighting ordinance recommendations to Board.</p>	Q4 2024		
Promotes energy efficiency... a pollution-free environment in Oak Park... recycling...	Sustainability Awards (Green Awards)	Solicit, evaluate, and recommend award recipients. Participate in awards ceremony.	Q4 select awardees / Q1 awards ceremony	\$500	