Town of New Paltz Environmental Conservation Board April 11, 2018

Community Center 7:30pm

Participants:

**Public Comment:**

**Approval of March 21 minutes:**

**Planning Board Projects:**

**Discussion Items:**

Plastic Straw Challenge

Scenic Hudson solar symposium update and continuation of solar law discussion

* Should there be size thresholds for large-scale solar?
* Should large-scale solar be prohibited in certain areas? Where? Zoning districts, resource areas
* Is there a threshold for medium size system to fit in residential neighborhoods?
* What else do we want to encourage/promote, vs. discourage/prohibit?

Climate Smart Communities grant update

* Overview
* Natural Resources Inventory work group

North Putt Traffic Study letter

EMC update

Green Procurement update

Plastic Bag Ban research update

New Paltz Green Infrastructure Capital Improvement Feasibility Plan update

Street Tree Inventory and Management Plan update

**Announcements**: