

Oak Grove Presbyterian Church  
Green Committee  
Minutes for April 4, 2019



Attending: Sunny Ray, John Crampton, Pdon Pinkham, Bob Gerdes, Ruth Dukelow, Al Frechette

Meeting at 7:02 P.M. with a devotion from Bob.

The minutes from March were approved. Al suggested that we approve the minutes by email so that he can get them onto our committee's web page and distribute to members who were absent. There was a brief discussion about this option and it was approved by motion. Sunny, as Chair will give the final approval after members have had 4 days to review and comment on the draft minutes.

Al gave an update on the landscaping workshop and noted that he had a sign-up sheet for carpooling on the table in the narthex. Bob will give an announcement at both services about the need to carpool on Sunday, April 7.

Ruth Dukelow reported efforts to improve social media: Facebook, website and perhaps instagram. She asked that we send items for social media to Carrie Wilkens ([carriewilkens@comcast.net](mailto:carriewilkens@comcast.net)) or herself ([ruth.dukelow@gmail.com](mailto:ruth.dukelow@gmail.com)). They will post to the appropriate location. There was a lengthy discussion on how we can use the different social media options.

John said he would like to improve our data on our solar panels to obtain information for each panel. There was a discussion about this and a motion was offered and passed to pay \$250 to obtain this information for the performance of each panel. This will help identify problem panels.

John reported that we have a faith formation approved for May 12 and he was preparing a tour of our Committee's improvements for this. He also reported that on June 20 the Bloomington Sustainability Tour was being organized to showcase the things we have done for our church. John distributed a handout (attached) on this.

Bob handed out a proposed program for the EV Expo for September 14<sup>th</sup> (attached). There was a discussion about the logistics.

Al reported that the [Presbyterians for Earth Care](#) organization had agreed to our offer to host their first meeting at Oak Grove. Optional dates were noted and the committee suggested May 18 or 25, both Saturdays would work for most of our committee members.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted  
Sunny Ray, Chair,