

**Manitowoc Sustainability Committee**  
**05/27/10 meeting minutes**

**Present:** Paul Braun (PB), Kelly Eskew (KE), Tony Fodden (TF), Jen Glowaski (JG), Jenny Heinzen (JH), Joel Sandersen (JS), John Reisenbuechler (JR) & Carol Westphal (CW)

**Absent:** Sherrie Richards (SR)

*Meeting was called to order at 3:08 by TF.*

**1. Project Funding / Project File:**

- Earth Day – KE recommended a smaller group within the committee to take over the organization of Earth Day, with Bobbi Schuetze no longer taking care of this. We need a new leader or “point person.”
- KE made a motion to use the sub-committee format for future projects, like Earth Day. JS seconded. No discussion. Motion passed unan.

**2. Downtown Recycling Collection:**

- KE is looking into details for the recycling bins. Biggest question is who will take care of them. The Parks Department does the garbage collection, so perhaps they can do this as well. We will hear more about this at our next meeting. The garbage cans are wrought iron, so it is the preference of this group that the recycling bins are aesthetically pleasing and “match” the current design of downtown.
  - Action item 1: TF researching designs
  - Action item 2: JS researching other cities currently doing this

**3. Sheboygan Sustainability Challenge:**

- Mayor Nickels accepted challenge from Bob Ryan. Bike to work week begins June 12. Letter from Bob Ryan distributed to the committee.
  - Action item 1: PB will talk to Mayor
  - Action item 2: TF will talk to the Chamber
  - Action item 3: KE will talk to the YMCA

**Other Business:**

- New members (JR & CW) will submit short biographies to the group.
- Mayor Nickels will appoint an alderperson to the committee.

Motion to adjourn by PB. Seconded by JS.

*Meeting adjourned at 4:10.*

Minutes drafted by JH