



AGENDA  
Environmental Commission  
Community Room  
Arlington Heights Village Hall  
33 S. Arlington Heights Rd., AH 60005  
June 16, 2026  
7:00 PM

- I. CALL TO ORDER
  - II. ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS
  - III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
    - A. May 6th, 2026 Minutes
  - IV. REPORTS
  - V. OLD BUSINESS
    - A. Review of 2026 Goals and Updates from Goal Champions
      - i. Landfill Diversion Education & Communication — Luanne Eisenhardt
      - ii. Publication of VAH Sustainability Metrics — Mark Porwit
      - iii. Livestream Event with AH Memorial Library — "Greener Living in Arlington Heights" — Phil Flores
      - iv. Curbside Composting Awareness — Susan Skrudland
      - v. Develop Recognition Program for Sustainable Business — Theresa Jordan
    - B. Review Special Topics
      - 1. Textile Recycling — Benchmark Programs in surrounding communities
      - 2. Polystyrene Foam Ordinance — Benchmark Ordinances in surrounding communities
  - VI. NEW BUSINESS
    - A. Farmers Market Outreach
  - VII. OTHER BUSINESS
  - VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT
- Anyone wishing to speak on a subject not on the Agenda may speak at this time. Please limit your comments to three minutes.
- IX. ADJOURNMENT

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**Village of Arlington Heights  
Environmental Commission  
Minutes from May 6, 2026**

**I. Call to Order**

Chair Jordan called the meeting to order at 7:16 p.m.

**II. Roll Call**

**Present**

Chair Jordan  
Commissioner Porwit  
Commissioner Eisenhardt  
Commissioner Skrudland  
Commissioner Flores

Commissioner Sawyer  
Commissioner Wilk

**Not Present**

Youth Commissioner Finn

**Also Present**

Jeff Bohner, Staff Liaison

Barbara Taylor, Village Resident  
Cheryl Wayman, Village Resident

**II. Approval of Minutes**

**Commissioner Eisenhardt moved to approve the minutes of the April 21, 2026, Environmental Commission meeting. Commissioner Sawyer seconded the Motion. The Motion passed unanimously.**

**III. Reports**

The Commission welcomed Commissioner Wilk and invited him to assist with one of the goals for the year.

**IV. Old Business**

Chair Jordan asked for updates on the Commission projects.

**A. Landfill diversion**

Commissioner Eisenhardt said the Village had shared information on social media about the re-use store events along Rand Road. She reported contacting various groups and individuals about the presentation to Committee of the Whole meeting on May 11.

**B. Livestream event**

Commissioner Flores stated the event is still scheduled for September 12 from 1-3pm. He has been receiving confirmations from the environmental organizations he had contacted about attending or presenting at the event.

**C. Publication of Sustainability Metrics**

Commissioner Porwit stated he was waiting to hear from the Village staff on publishing the metrics.

**D. Curbside Composting Awareness**

Commissioner Skrudland said the objectives of this goal have not changed. She is planning on having educational exhibits at the farmers market in June, will promote the program in the livestream event, and hopes to have a short survey for residents to discover barriers to participation in curbside composting.

- E. Recognition Program for Sustainable Businesses  
Chair Jordan said there is no update.

**V. New Business**

A. Preparation for the Committee of the Whole Meeting

The Chair presented slides she had created for the presentation for the Committee of the Whole meeting on single-use bags. Commissioners made some comments and additions to add to the report. The Chair asked the other Commissioners to attend the meeting and consider what questions may be asked.

Chair Jordan agreed to make the changes discussed and route the final version to the Commissioners and liaison. She also said she would be meeting with the Village Manager to discuss the meeting and presentation.

**VII. Other Business**

Commissioner Porwit mentioned that he had secured a spot for the Commission in the Memorial Day parade.

The group agreed to meet again on June 16.

The Chair asked Commissioner Porwit to reserve spots as greeters and to run the kids table at the farmers market.

**VIII. Adjournment**

**With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Commissioner Flores to adjourn. Commissioner Skrudland seconded the Motion. The Motion passed unanimously.**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.



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**Environmental Commission**  
**6/16/2026**

**Item:** Farmers Market Outreach  
**Department:** Health & Human Services

**Item Description:**

**ATTACHMENTS:**

None