

## **Sustainable Arlington**

## **An Environment Committee of Envision Arlington**

## Agenda

Date: Wednesday, May 15, 2024

**Time:** 7:00 - 8:00 pm

**Location:** Virtual Meeting by Zoom

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At the start of the meeting, we will:

- 1. Confirm first and last name of everyone on the call for the minutes and make sure that everyone can hear each other
- 2. Read <u>Preamble to Remote Meetings</u>
- 3. Introduce all members, staff, and persons on the agenda
- 4. Meeting materials will be available online through Novus or Town website for the public.

## Agenda for May 15, 2024

- 1. Introductions
- 2. Native American Land Acknowledgement
- 3. Updates:
  - a. Planning Department
  - b. Massachusetts Climate Action Network (monthly meetings open to all)
- 4. Planting and managing climate resilient gardens, brief overview and resources
- 5. No Mow May: why native pollinators need us all year (not just in May) and what to do
- 6. Why Massachusetts urgently needs a climate omnibus bill this year
- 7. Adjourn

Next meeting: June, 2024, specific date TBD

The agenda will be posted on our website and on the Town calendar.

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