FUUSM Green Sanctuary Committee meeting

Sunday, September 18. 2016

Acting chair: Heather Royer

Agenda

1. Vote on the August GSC meeting minutes, emailed previously, but amended as follows: Vitamin A is being genetically added to rice in the Philippines, not Malaysia.
2. Goals & objectives of the Green Sanctuary Committee for 2016-2017. Dawn will need to present them at the Committee Recharge event on Saturday, September 24.
	1. Dawn proposes that one goal should to expand and strengthen our relationships with local environmental groups (outside FUUSM) to work on common goals.
	2. Dawn also proposes that we should attempt to bring about solar panels on the sanctuary.
	3. Dawn also proposes that we should encourage all FUUSM members and friends to practice a Seventh-Principle lifestyle.
3. Update on the solar panel project. Dave Ballantyne, Kevin Morey and George Banziger met with Chip Pickering of PIckering Engineering on September 7 on this topic. (George).
4. Clarification of the GSC role with the Community Meal Committee on "green activities" practiced in preparation, during, and in clean up after the meal. (George)
5. Along with MOVCA, the GSC is hosting a showing of “Groundswell Rising” on Saturday, October 15, 7 p.m. in the FUUSM Fellowship Hall. Any final plans needed regarding the film event? Set up and clean up volunteers? Popcorn makers? Beverage bringers? Post-film conversation facilitators? (Cindy)
6. ARECC is partnering with some others to form a co-op (small c) that will work with OHSun to get solar for their homes. We need to discuss the possibility of forming a Mid-Ohio Valley chapter, and learn about some other opportunities in our area. An opportunity to learn about OHSun on Sept. 28: meeting in Athens. (Adeline)
7. A special project with Worship and Music Committee and MOVCA to invite a  nationally known speaker for an evening program open to the public. (Adeline)
8. Coffee sales- Do we want to add chocolate to our Equal Exchange order? Especially for Halloween, but other times too. EE supplies fairly traded, non-slave-produced bars and other things that we have offered before. (Adeline)
9. What to do about the proposal to remove the table in the fellowship hall that holds our recycling collection boxes.