



City of Harrisonburg

City Hall
409 South Main Street
Harrisonburg, VA 22801

Meeting Agenda

Environmental Performance Standards Advisory Committee

Wednesday, October 29, 2025

5:00 PM

Public Works Building

1. Call To Order
2. Approval of Virtual Participation (if needed)
3. Approval of Meeting Summary

2025-07 - Harrisonburg EPSAC - Meeting Summary

Attachments: [2025-07 - Harrisonburg EPSAC - Meeting Summary](#)

4. Public Comment
5. New Business

5a. EAP Focus Area Updates

FA2: Land Use & Green Space

Responses to Urban Forestry Questions

Attachments: [Responses to Urban Forestry Questions](#)

FA4: Sustainable Transportation- Review 2025 Target Data. Discuss future interim targets

Focus Area 4 EAP Targets Update

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FA5: Waste Reduction & Recycling- Discussion on Recycling Program Changes

- i. Cardboard recycling numbers, particularly from the new online reservation collection process
 - 1. General background on program
 - 2. Discuss which parts of the City are using the online reservation system
 - 3. Discuss plans to expand the service and plans to overcome barriers such as technology and language access
 - 4. What caused the change in the cardboard & bulk pickup process? Was it something the public asked for or was it a staff led initiative
- ii. General recycling tonnages and quality over the past few years
- iii. How has the City piloted changes? How has the City decided to make changes to the program (such as adding the mobile recycling unit and the locations for the unit)?

5b. EAP Community Goals Updates

Reduce GHG Emissions

Public Engagement & Education

5c. Updates from Sustainability Manager

Solar on Turner Pavilion Project Update

Reminder for Member Reapplications

Update on Current City of Harrisonburg Environmental Initiatives

Attachments: [Update on Current City of Harrisonburg Environmental Initiatives](#)

5d. Harrisonburg Community Town Hall Updates

EPSAC Harrisonburg Community Town Hall- Process Proposal

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6. Other Committee Topics

6a. EPSAC New Member Recruitment (5 Vacancies)

6b. Report on Recent Meetings

6c. Member Check-In: Sharing Emerging Issues (Informational Only)

7. Meeting Dates for 2026

January 28, 2026

April 29, 2026

July 29, 2026

October 28, 2026

8. Adjournment

Notice to Public

Residents/Media will be able to attend the meeting. The Public can also view the meeting live on the "Harrisonburg Public Works" Facebook page.

Residents also may provide comment by 12:00 noon the day prior to the meeting by e-mail to keith.thomas@harrisonburgva.gov and indicating that it is a Public Comment for the EPSAC meeting.