



Kentucky Environmental Education Council (KEEC)
Interagency Subcommittee on Environmental Education Meeting Minutes
January 23, 2024

Meeting Location: Mayo-Underwood Building, 500 Mero St., Room 439CW, Frankfort, KY

Meeting Time: 2:00 p.m. Eastern

Committee Members in Attendance: Elizabeth McNulty, Department for Environmental Protection; Carey Ruff, Department of Parks; Roberta Burnes, Division for Air Quality; Johnna McHugh, Division of Conservation; Stephanie Bunge, Division of District Support; Shana Weber, Division of Enforcement; Chris Wiedamann, Division of Forestry; Amber Hawkins, Division of Water; Kirsten Delamarter, Energy and Environment Cabinet; Eileen Hardy, Office of Energy Policy; Hailey Mattingly, Office Energy Policy; Kendall McDonald, Office of Nature Preserves

Other Staff in Attendance: Ashley Mike, Willa Dawn Bayne

A. Introduction

1. Call to Order. W. Bullock called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.
2. Quorum. W. Bullock noted that, per KEEC operating policies, the members of the committee present at any meeting of that committee shall constitute a quorum for transaction of business.

B. Land, Legacy and Learning VI

1. Master Plan for Environmental Education in Kentucky. W. Bullock reported on the statutory requirement for KEEC to "Create and update annually a five (5) year management and operational plan to make as effective as possible the coordination, delivery, and marketing of all state environmental education programs."
2. 2024 Survey of Kentuckians' Environmental Knowledge, Attitudes, and Behaviors. W. Bullock reported on the statutory requirement for KEEC to "Monitor and report periodically on environmental literacy in Kentucky."

C. Agency Introductions

1. Each attendee reported on the environmental education-related initiatives that their agency is conducting, has planned, or would like to plan.
2. The committee discussed possible collaborations.

D. The next meeting will be scheduled in May.

E. W. Bullock adjourned the meeting at 3:00 p.m.