

Draft Agenda, September 18, 2021 IGOV  
Virtual Symposium on Climate Change: Save Money and Protect the Planet

9:00 - 9:10 Welcome

Susan Buchanan, Village Of Oak Park Trustee, IGOV Liaison

9:10-9:20 Senator Don Harmon (D-IL), Senate Majority Leader (Give a brief rundown of CEJA law). Possibly Camille Lily (D-IL) ? Susan will find best way to confirm her participation, as she is currently registered.

9:20-9:25 Laura Derks, Energy and Environment Commission Commissioner and Chair, Overview of Symposium and Introduction Amy Rosenthal

9:25-9:35 Amy Rosenthal, Keller Science Center on Action, Field Museum, Oak Park Resident "Climate Change: Global picture, regional and local effects"

9:35 Laura to introduce to Taxing Body representation Village of Oak Park, Park District, D200

Mindy Agnew, Sustainability Coordinator, Village of Oak Park

Sandy Lentz, Park District Commissioner

Tom Cofsky and student, D200

9:37—9:58 Climate and Sustainability Action: Village of Oak Park, Oak Park Park District, D200 7 minutes each

9:58 Susan to introduce panel of Oak Park support and programs for energy savings and changes in households (An Action Kit will be sent to all participants and available on all websites for IGOV bodies that include links to the presentations and to the programs described in detail.)

10:00 - 10:50 Oak Park Initiatives—what oak park residents need to know about programs in place and soon to be implemented. 5 minute will follow each presentation for Q and A. Laura to monitor chat during each presentation for Questions.

- 1) Energy audits (Comed. Mindy identifying this speaker)
- 2) Energy Retrofits (Elevate, Vetic Hill and Amrit Sookh)
- 3) Renewable Energy (Mark Burger, Solar energy consultant Oak Park)
- 4) Advocacy (Pam Tate, Climate Reality Expert and member of Oak Park CAN)
- 5) Composting and Recycling (Mindy Agnew)

10:50 Susan Wrap up. Ask for suggestions on other ways to discuss and engage with residents, climate strategic planning over next 6 months. Website.