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Monthly Green Team Meeting

Thursday, May 19, 2022

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AGENDA

Intros

Announcements & Updates

Debrief: April Freecycle

Up Next: Sustainable

Commencement messaging



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INTRO

What is your name and what do you do here at HGSE?

Will you do anything in particular to make your Commencement plans more sustainable?





ANNOUNCEMENTS + UPDATES

MOVING? DONATE UNWANTED ITEMS AT THE MOVE OUT DONATION STATION — Now through Monday, May 30, Gutman Vestibule

Drop off any unwanted **clothing, home or school supplies** in clean, usable condition in the Move Out Donation Station bin in the Gutman vestibule. [The Harvard Recycling and Surplus Center](#) then collects these items to [allow them to be reused](#), offering them up to incoming students arriving in the fall through their annual Stuff Sale and to other charitable organizations in need, including Habitat for Humanity. For additional resources and a list of accepted items, visit green.harvard.edu/moveout.

Green.Harvard.edu re-do

Any material you'd especially like to see on the Harvard Sustainability website?

New waste signage for the café

Any suggestions?

DEBRIEF

Earth Day!

[ELOE Grow Together](#) planting study break –
April 13

Freecycle! – April 13-14, 11am – 2pm, Gutman
Commons Café
48 boxes of donations collected

Congratulations to the HGSE Sustainability
Fellows on completing a year of work towards
their projects!

- Kerry Wang
- Cecelia Di Mino
- Michelle Lane



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EARTH DAY
2022

Charles River
Clean-up

FRIDAY, APRIL 22 @ 10AM-12PM
CHARLES RIVER, CAMBRIDGE

All Harvard community members,
family and friends are welcome.

Limited to the first 50 people.
Sign up by April 15 at hrvd.me/CharlesRiverCleanup

UP NEXT

Sustainable commencement

Make your events sustainable:

- ✓ Ask for RSVPs for accurate food amount
- ✓ Ask guests to compost
- ✓ Avoid balloons, opt for paper or reusable fabric decorations
- ✓ Other ideas?



CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATES!

We will be cheering you on! (And hand-sorting waste for maximum waste diversion...)

In particular, thank you and best wishes to these active Green Team members and Sustainability Fellows who are graduating:

- ❖ Cecelia DiMino
- ❖ Michelle Lane
- ❖ Kerry Wang
- ❖ Lindsey Pockl
- ❖ Naomi Morrison
- ❖ Majo Brito



MEETING NOTES

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Attendance:

Anne Sargent, Operations & Office for Sustainability



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