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Democrats' Green Agenda to be considered before Environment & Public Works Committee Today

Rochester, New York – August 22, 2007. At 4:30 p.m. today, the Monroe County Environment and Public Works Committee shall consider proposals from the Democrats' newly-released Green Agenda, including **Reducing Monroe County's Energy Consumption, Implementing Green Procurement Standards, Curbing Light Pollution in Monroe County, and Establishing a Legislative Recycling Commission.**

"The main objective of our Green Agenda is to reduce the County's energy costs, conserve resources, and limit pollution by promoting a greener way to do business in Monroe County," Legislator Travis Heider explained. In January 2007, Legislator Travis Heider had also submitted a proposal calling for the reduction of diesel emissions in Monroe County.

A vote on each proposal is expected at the committee meeting. Upon passage, they shall be delivered to the Full Legislature in September.

To view the Green Agenda, go to www.democraticledger.org.

WHAT: Environment and Public Works Committee

WHEN: TODAY
August 22th, 4:30 PM

WHERE: Legislative Chambers, Room 407
Monroe County Office Building

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