



# *City of El Segundo*

## **ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE**

### **MEETING MINUTES**

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Friday, March 5, 2021, 12:08 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called order at 12:08 pm, held virtually via Zoom.

2. ROLL CALL

The following Committee Members were present:

- Tracey Miller-Zarneke, Resident, Local Business, Committee Chair
- Corrie Zupo, Resident, Committee Vice-Chair
- Kevin Maggay, Local Business, Member
- Caroline Hawks, Resident, Member
- Sarah Brockhaus, Resident, Member

The following Committee Members were not present:

- 1 vacancy, El Segundo School District, Member
- Rachel McPherson, Resident, Member

The following City staff member(s) and resident were present:

- Elias Sassoon, City of El Segundo, Director, Public Works
- Ryan Delgado, Community Services
- Pa Cha: Recently moved to El Segundo

3. PUBLIC COMMUNICATION

None

4. REPORTS: Public Works

- a. Director Sassoon provided an update regarding joining California Green Business Network. The questionnaire has been filled out and sent to Ms. Jo Fleming.
- b. Director Sassoon provided an update regarding Beekeeping Ordinance progress. This item was presented to Planning Commission on 2/25/2021 which was unanimously approved. This item will be presented to the City Council on 4/20/2021 for first reading.

5. ACTION ITEMS:  
Smoking ban in public places and ROW was presented by member Maggay. After discussion, Madam Chair Miller-Zarneke moved to approve this presentation to the City Council by the Environmental Committee subject to the following edits:
  1. Use the word “amend” instead of “draft”
  2. Acknowledgement of current Marijuana Ordinance being more restrictive than this proposed amended ordinance
  3. Recognize enforcement challengesMember Maggay seconded the motion.  
The motion was approved unanimously.
6. REPORTS: COMMITTEE MEMBERS
  - a. A questionnaire will be prepared by committee and will be sent to Director Sassoon for review and consideration to be included with EDCO billing to citizens regarding plastic use.
  - b. Discussed earlier
  - c. No update
  - d. No need to update this item anymore, but will keep it as part of the goals.
  - e. Discussion took place and staff concluded that the recommended actions would be a big undertaking and is beyond and above current resources. Member Zupo to do more research on this item.
  - f. Additional information to be sent to Director Sassoon to review and potentially added to the City website.
  - g. New goals to be led by member Zupo regarding Community Garden; and by member Hawks regarding Public Education Packet Opportunities.
7. CONSENT AGENDA:  
Approved Minutes for February 5, 2021 meeting. Member Brockhaus moved to approve; member Maggay seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously.
8. ADJOURNMENT:  
Closing announcement: Next meeting will be held on April 2, 2021 at noon.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:35 pm.