

City of El Segundo

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES

Friday, May 14th, 2021, 12:00 p.m

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
 - The meeting was called to order at 12:10 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
- Caroline Hawks, Resident, Member
- Sarah Brockhaus, Resident, Member
- Rachel McPherson, Resident, Member

The following City staff member(s) were present:

- Elias Sassoon, City of El Segundo, Director of Public Works
- Jesus Diaz, City of El Segundo, Admin Tech Specialist

The following member of the public was present:

- Craig Cadwallader, Surfrider Foundation
- 3. PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS
- 4. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS
 - a. Mr. Walter Siembab, and Ms. Jacki Bacharach, South Bay Cities Council of Government (SBCCOG), went over the Power Point Presentation regarding "Local Travel Network" and answered all questions.
- 5. REPORTS: Public Works
 - a. Director Sassoon provided an update on joining California Green Business Network. There is still no word from CGBN and still awaiting funding.
 - b. Director Sassoon provided an update regarding Bee Keeping ordinance. The ordinance was approved on May 4^{th} by City Council and second reading of the Ordinance is on May 18^{th} City Council agenda.
- 6. ACTION ITEMS:

After a short discussion, it was decided to keep the times and dates of the monthly committee meetings as they are.

7. REPORTS: COMMITTEE MEMBERS

- a. Community Garden Expansion update: presentation of idea of collaboration with DEI and Arts & Culture Advisory Committees will take place at those meetings in near future by Vice-Chair Zupo.
- b. Green Construction update: want to find a way to include solar panels in future city project RFPs. Welcome conversation with Planning Department representative.
- c. Smoking Considerations Presentation: Discussed finals revisions and will schedule to make this presentation to City Council in July.
- d. Public Education Packet opportunities: No update
- e. Solid Waste Reduction/Elimination of Single-Use Plastics: No update
- f. Water Conservation: No update

8. CONSENT AGENDA:

Approved Minutes for April 2, 2021 meeting. Member McPherson moved to approve; Member Hawks seconded the motion. The motion was approved unanimously.

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Closing announcement: Next meeting will be held on June 11th, 2021 at noon.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:22 p.m.