

City of Santa Barbara SUSTAINABILITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE AGENDA

SEPTEMBER 19, 2022

1:30PM Room 15, City Hall 735 Anacapa St Santa Barbara 93102

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Kristen Sneddon (Chair) Meagan Harmon Eric Friedman

STAFF: Alelia Parenteau, Acting Sustainability & Resilience Director Sarah Knecht, Assistant City Attorney

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NOTICE: On Wednesday, September 14, 2022, this Agenda was posted on the outdoor bulletin board at City Hall.

AGENDA

1. Roll Call

2. Public Comment

Any member of the public may address the Committee for up to three minutes on any subject within the jurisdiction of the Committee that is not scheduled for public discussion before the Committee.

3. Review of Recent Legislation Regarding Permitting for Solar Photovoltaic and Electric Vehicle Charging Systems

Recommendation: That the Sustainability Council Committee receive a presentation from staff and provide comments regarding the City's approach to implementing Assembly Bill 1124 (2021 Statutes, Ch. 235) and Assembly Bill 970 (2021 Statutes, Ch. 710) for both private and municipal facilities.

4. Presentation on Santa Barbara Clean Energy's Home Power Program

Recommendation: That the Sustainability Council Committee receive a presentation from staff regarding the Santa Barbara Clean Energy Home Power Program, a turnkey solar and battery energy storage program aimed at serving low- and middle-income residents.

5. Updates to the City's Single Use Plastics Ordinance

Recommendation: That the Sustainability Council Committee receive a presentation from staff regarding an update to Chapter 9.165 of the Municipal Code (Restrictions on the Provision of Plastic Beverage Straws, Stirrers, and Cutlery) to include state legislation on single-use foodware accessories and standard condiments.

6. Input from Committee on Topics of Interest

Recommendation: that the Sustainability Council Committee have a discussion and provide direction to staff regarding topics of interest relating to sustainability to be introduced to and explored by the Committee.

7. Adjournment