



A G E N D A
CITY OF SEASIDE
ENVIRONMENTAL
COMMITTEE

SPECIAL MEETING
Seaside Creates
656 Broadway Avenue
Tuesday, November 26, 2019
5:30 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL - ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

3. ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

4. REVIEW OF AGENDA

If there are any items that arose after the 72-hour posting deadline, this is the point in the meeting where a vote may be taken to add the item to the agenda. (A 2/3-majority vote is required).

5. PUBLIC COMMENT

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6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

7. BUSINESS ITEMS

A. SEASIDE TREE SURVEY BRAINSTORMING

RECOMMENDATION: The purpose of this item is to have a brainstorming session on the questions to be included in the survey, including methods of distribution. It's recommended the commission provide input.

B. POLLINATOR KIT UPDATE AND PLANNING SESSION

RECOMMENDATION: The purpose of this item is to provide the EC with an update on the pollinator kits, up-potting efforts, and receive input on the ecological restoration "lab" at Stephen E. Ross Memorial Park near Seaside Library and City Hall.

It's recommended the commission share their ideas and availability to participate in the lab activities.

C. ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE BUDGET ALLOCATION TO THE POLLINATOR HABITAT PROJECT

RECOMMENDATION: The purpose of this item is for the EC to consider allocation of a portion of their annual budget to the pollinator habitat project. It's recommended the commission discuss the amount to be contributed out of the remaining budget (\$1,314.27).

D. PRIORITY IMPACT PLASTIC POLLUTION NEXT STEPS DISCUSSION

RECOMMENDATION: The purpose of this item is to discuss the following: draft ordinance on website for community input, council presentation strategies, and preparing mailings for businesses that will have to comply with the regulations.

Provide direction and prepare mailings.

8. REPORTS FROM COMMISSIONERS

9. REPORTS FROM STAFF

10. ADJOURNMENT

Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting:
Tuesday, December 10, 2019
Seaside City Hall
Regular Meeting

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City of Seaside Tree Survey

Seaside is a vibrant, proudly diverse, energetic and safe community with extraordinary natural beauty. The City of Seaside thrives to perpetuate these qualities even further by thoughtfully planning well-designed spaces that respect community needs and desires while complementing the natural environment. Thriving urban forests contribute to increased environmental quality, improved mental and physical health of its residents, benefiting residents and the region as a whole. The City of Seaside would like to further develop our urban forest, but we need your input to understand what you currently value and what you would like to see accomplished with trees in Seaside.

1. Have you ever planted a tree in Seaside?

Mark only one oval.

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

2. Would you be interested in planting a tree in honor of someone in your life/community?

Mark only one oval.

- ☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Other: _____

3. Where would you like to see more trees planted?

Check all that apply.

- ☐ Parks
☐ Front/back yards
☐ Right-of-ways (street, sidewalk, etc.)
☐ Vacant lots

4. Would you be interested in installing rainwater harvesting devices on your home to collect water for trees?

Mark only one oval.

- ☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Other: _____

5. Where and what is your favorite tree in Seaside?

6. What do you think of the holiday tree lighting of the cypress tree at City Hall?

7. **Should Seaside plant community gathering trees, where people can meet to show support and solidarity?**

Mark only one oval.

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Other: _____

8. **CSUMB students mapped 185 fruit trees in 10 square blocks of Seaside and found all the fruit listed below. What would you pick and eat?**

Mark only one oval per row.

	Nectarine	Guava	Apricot	Loquat	Plum	Avocado	Apple	Pineapple Guava	Lemon	Column 10
Don't just pick one!	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

9. **What kind of trees should be planted in Seaside?**

Check all that apply.

- ☐ Drought-tolerant
- ☐ Shade trees
- ☐ Fruit trees
- ☐ Native trees
- ☐ Flowering trees
- ☐ Trees that attract wildlife/pollinators

10. **What did we forget to ask and what more do you want to share about trees in Seaside?**

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