



MINUTES
CITY OF SEASIDE
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE

REGULAR MEETING
Council Chamber
Tuesday, October 1, 2019
5:30 PM

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

5:32 PM

2. **ROLL CALL - ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM**

PRESENT: Raak, Bala, Murphy, De La Valle

3. **ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE**

4. **REVIEW OF AGENDA**

5. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

6. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

A. **APPROVE MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 10, 2019**

APPROVE MINUTES FROM SEPTEMBER 10, 2019

Motion by Bala, second by Murphy. Unanimously approved.

7. **BUSINESS ITEMS**

A. **PRIORITY IMPACT PLASTIC POLLUTION PREVENTION DRAFT
CODE AMENDMENTS, ASSOCIATED OUTREACH AND
COMMITTEE TASKS.**

CM Raak provided update. To post draft on website after EC reviews and approves at next meeting.

Public Comment: None.

----- Molle arrive 5:39-----

B. **POLLINATOR HABITATS: PLANTING DETAILS, BAR MEETING,
AND REQUEST FOR HABITAT STEWARDS**

CM Murphy communicated that Return of the Natives will take care of the plants until ready for the ground. Hoping for Nov outreach event near library. Molle: mentioned Highland-Otis community group that talked about doing a planting.

Murphy: asked Molle to find out about stewarding near park.

Molle: Metz park is closer for personal stewarding and she supported using the park near the library as a community event.

Murphy: BAR to review and approve plantings at parks.

Bala: will be steward at library. Spoke with Linda Wahlig and attended meeting on tentative planting plan. Library is open to resources and input. Murphy: library "sandboxes" around top perimeter are ideal planting site.

Bala: library also talked about rainwater harvesting.

Raak: Lives close to Beta park.

Need to check with Neighborhood Improvement Committee.

Molle: She knows some people at Monterey Signs and will ask them about the design.

Public Comment: None.

C. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT: TREES IN SEASIDE

SL Rocha and Molle to work on flyer. To send to other committees.

Public Comment: None.

8. REPORTS FROM COMMISSIONERS

A. UPDATE ON FRIENDS OF SEASIDE LIBRARY (FOSL) LANDSCAPE PLANS

Sufficient as discussed by Bala in item 7B.

B. NEONICOTINOID INFORMATION

Raak discussed topic and SL Rocha mentioned collaborating with Sustainable Seaside on disposing of certain chemicals as part of a larger event.

C. ReLEAF: 2019 SOCIAL EQUITY FOREST IMPROVEMENT GRANT PROGRAM

Presented by Murphy, who discussed application requirements.

9. REPORTS FROM STAFF

None.

10. ADJOURNMENT

6:45 PM