

**CITY OF LONG BEACH  
SUSTAINABLE CITY  
COMMISSION MINUTES**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2017  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER  
333 W. OCEAN BLVD, 4:00 PM**

Coby Skye, Chair  
Sona Coffee, Vice Chair  
Donna Bergeron-Birge, Commissioner  
Carla Dillon, Commissioner  
Elliot Gonzales, Commissioner



Nicholas Lind, Commissioner  
Eric Rock, Commissioner  
Alan Tolkoff, Commissioner  
Morgan Wheeler, Commissioner

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**FINISHED AGENDA AND DRAFT MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Skye called the meeting to order at 4:03 PM.

**ROLL CALL**

**Commissioners** Donna Bergeron-Birge, Carla Dillon, Nicholas Lind, Eric Rock,

**Present:** Alan Tolkoff, Morgan Wheeler and Coby Skye

**Commissioners** Elliot Gonzales and Sona Coffee

**Absent:**

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:** Members of the public are invited to address the Commission on items of interest to the public within the Commission's jurisdiction. Each speaker will be limited to two minutes unless that time is extended by the Chair.

Laura Selmer, resident of District 4, provided public comment.

Chair Skye spoke.

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17-023SC Recommendation to receive and file the minutes of the Sustainable City Commission meeting of Thursday, July 27, 2017.

## MINUTES

**A motion was made by Commissioner Dillon, seconded by Commissioner Bergeron-Birge, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 7 - Donna Bergeron-Birge, Carla Dillon, Nicholas Lind, Eric Rock, Alan Tolkoff, Morgan Wheeler and Coby Skye

**Absent:** 2 - Elliot Gonzales and Sona Coffee

## REGULAR AGENDA

- 1 17-024SC Recommendation to receive a presentation from Long Beach Water on Water Conservation Metrics and Programs.

Krista Reger, Water Resources Specialist from Long Beach Water, gave the presentation.

Chair Skye spoke.

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Commissioner Bergeron-Birge spoke.

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Commissioner Dillon spoke.

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Commissioner Tolkoff spoke.

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Commissioner Tolkoff spoke.

Chair Skye spoke.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Dillon, seconded by Commissioner Morgan, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 9 - Donna Bergeron-Birge, Carla Dillon, Nicholas Lind, Eric Rock, Alan Tolkoff, Morgan Wheeler, Coby Skye, Alison Riordan and Larry Rich

**Absent:** 2 - Elliot Gonzales and Sona Coffee

- 2** 17-025SC Recommendation to review the 2018 Office of Sustainability Work Plan and forward to City Council for approval.

Larry Rich, Sustainable City Coordinator, introduced Courtney Chatterson, Communications Specialist, who presented the staff report.

Chair Skye spoke.

Larry Rich spoke.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Lind, seconded by Commissioner Tolkoff, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Yes:** 7 - Donna Bergeron-Birge, Carla Dillon, Nicholas Lind, Eric Rock, Alan Tolkoff, Morgan Wheeler and Coby Skye

**Absent:** 2 - Elliot Gonzales and Sona Coffee

## **PROGRESS UPDATES, ACCOMPLISHMENTS & NEXT STEPS FROM SUSTAINABLE CITY STAFF**

Larry Rich, Sustainable City Coordinator, spoke.

## **COMMENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM SUSTAINABLE CITY COMMISSIONERS**

Larry Rich spoke.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Skye adjourned the meeting at 4:57 PM.

## **GUIDE FOR PERSONS INTENDING TO SPEAK**

This guide has been prepared as an aid so that you will be able to express your opinions briefly and clearly before the Commission and thus increase the effectiveness of your presentation. Remarks are generally limited to 3 minutes.

- 1. State your name and address.**
- 2. Organization you represent, if any.**
- 3. State whether for or against the proposal.**

Your statement should include all pertinent facts within your knowledge; avoid gossip, emotion and repetition. It is important to discuss only those matters relating to the hearing and to tie your discussion of the facts directly to the decision you wish the Commission to reach. A clear, concise and non-repetitive argument is impressive.