

Name of Commission: Environment and Climate Commission

Commission Secretary: Billi Romain

Proposed 2023 Commission Meeting Dates

The ECC generally meets the 4th Wednesday of the month from 5:00pm – 7:00pm

Month	Meeting Day & Date	Time
January 2023	Wednesday 1/25/23	5:00pm
February 2023	Wednesday 2/22/23	5:00pm
March 2023	Wednesday 3/22/23	5:00pm
April 2023	Wednesday 4/26/23	5:00pm
May 2023	Wednesday 5/24/23	5:00pm
June 2023	Wednesday 6/21/23 6/28: Conflict Eid al-Adha	5:00pm

Month	Meeting Day & Date	Time
July 2023	Wednesday 7/19/26 7/26: Conflict Tish'a B'Av	5:00pm
August 2023	No Meeting (Council recess)	NA
September 2023	Wednesday 9/27/2023	5:00pm
October 2023	Wednesday 10/25/23	5:00pm
November 2023	Wednesday 11/29/23 (11/22: Conflict Thanksgiving)	5:00pm
December 2023	No Meeting	NA

Dates to Avoid: Holiday schedule attached and other Planning Department Commission meetings:

- Planning Commission – 1st Wednesdays, 7:00pm
- Landmarks Preservation Commission – 1st Thursdays, 7:00pm
- Design Review Committee – 3rd Thursdays, 7:00pm
- Zoning Adjustments Board (ZAB) – 4th Thursdays, 7:00pm

City Policy Regarding the Scheduling of City Meetings on All Significant Religious Holidays

Pursuant to Resolution No. 70,066-N.S., it is the policy of the City to avoid scheduling meetings of City Legislative Bodies (City Council, Commissions and Boards, Council Policy Committees, Task Forces) on religious holidays that incorporate significant work restrictions.

City legislative bodies must avoid scheduling meetings on the religious holidays listed below.

Religion	Holiday	Date	2023 Date
Christian	Good Friday	Varies (March or April)	4/7/23
Christian	Easter Sunday	Varies (March or April)	4/9/23
Christian	Christmas	December 25	12/25/23
Jewish	Rosh Hashanah	Varies (Sept. or Oct.)	9/15/23-9/17/23
Jewish	Yom Kippur	Varies (Sept. or Oct.)	9/24/23-9/25/23
Jewish	Sukkot - first and last day	Varies (Sept. or Oct.)	9/29/23, 10/6/23
Jewish	Shmini Atzeret/ Simchat Torah	Varies (Sept. or Oct.)	10/6/23-10/8/23
Jewish	Chanukah (1 st night)	Varies (Nov. or Dec.)	12/7/23
Jewish	Passover (Nights 1, 2, 7, 8)	Varies (March or April)	4/5,4/6,4/12,4/13
Jewish	Shavuot	Varies (May or June)	5/25/23-5/27/23
Jewish	Shabbat	Weekly	Friday sunset to Saturday sunset
Jewish*	Purim	Varies (February or March)	3/6/23-3/7/23
Jewish*	Tish'a B'Av	Varies (July or August)	7/26/23-7/27/2023
Jewish*	Yom HaShoah	Varies (April or May)	4/17/23-4/18/23
Buddhist	Vesak	Varies (April or May)	5/5/23
Hindu	Diwali	Varies (Oct. or Nov.)	11/12/23
Hindu	Dussera	Varies (Oct.)	10/24/2023
Hindu	Holi	Varies (March)	3/8/23
Hindu	Makar Sankranti	Varies (January or February)	1/14/2023
Islam	Eid al-Fitr	Varies	4/21/23-4/22/23
Islam	Eid al-Adha	Varies	6/28/23-6/29/23
Shinto	New Year	January 1-3	1/1/23-1/3/23
Shinto	Obon Ceremony	August 13-15	8/13/23-8/15/23
Baha'i Faith	Birth of Baha'u'llah	Varies	10/16/23-10/17/23
Baha'i Faith	Birth of Bab	Varies	10/16/23-10/17/23
Cultural	Chinese New Year (Day 1-7)	Varies (Jan. 21 – Feb. 20)	1/21/23-1/27/23
Cultural	Kwanzaa	Dec. 26 – Dec. 31	12/26/23-1/1/24

* No work restriction, but avoid scheduling meetings if possible