

MINUTES

The meeting was convened at 5:31p.m. with Steven Sherman presiding as Chair.

ROLL CALL

Present: Layla Dargahi, Swasti Johri, Corey Busay, Sandra Curtis, Philip Monrad, Chrise de Tournay, Steven Sherman
LOA: Dennis Uyat
Absent:

STAFF PRESENT: Julia A. Heath

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT: 4

PUBLIC COMMENTS (on non-agenda items): 2

ACTION MINUTES:

- **Approval of the November 21, 2024 Regular Meeting Agenda**
Action Taken: M/S/C (de Tournay/Sherman) to approve the November 21, 2024 meeting agenda.
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Dennis Uyat
- **Approval of the October 17, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes**
Action Taken: M/S/C (Curtis/Monrad) to approve the October 17, 2024 meeting minutes.
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Dennis Uyat
- **Public Comment**
0 public comment. No Action Taken.
- **Commissioner Announcements**
Discussion only. No Action Taken.
- **Staff Updates**
Discussion only. No Action Taken.
- **Presentation by Berkeley Recycling – Update on Current Operations**
Discussion only. No Action Taken.
Public Comment: 0
- **Presentation about New Legislation That Will Help Address CA Waste Challenges – Chrise de Tournay**
Discussion only. No Action Taken.

~~Public Comment: 0~~

- **Report out from the Green Building Subcommittee**
Discussion only. No Action Taken.
Public Comment: 0

- **Discussion Legislative Updates**
Discussion only. No Action Taken.
Public Comment: 0

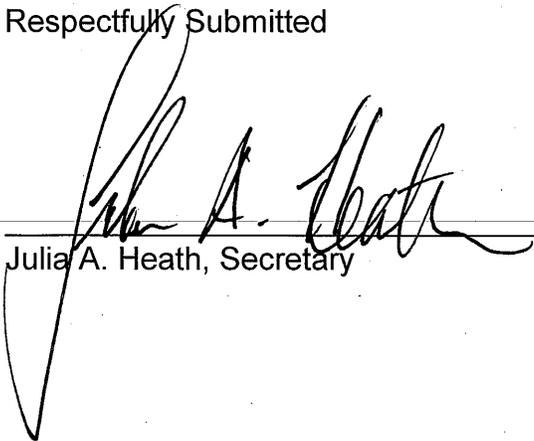
- **Discuss Future Agenda Items**
Public Comment: 0
 - Presentation about History of Plastics and Copenhagen by Commissioner Sandra Curtis
 - Ecology Center Update
 - Inviting Susan Collins, president of the Container Recycling Institute to give a presentation on Bottle Bills
 - Discuss including an informational Zero Waste insert in all City of Berkeley issued residential leases.

- **Motion to extend the meeting by 5 minutes**
M/S/C (de Tournay/Monrad) to extend the meeting by 5 minutes
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Dennis Uyat

- **Adjournment at 7:35 p.m.**
M/S/C (de Tournay/Monrad) to adjourn the meeting.
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Dennis Uyat

The next regular meeting of the Zero Waste Commission will be held on Thursday, January , 2024 at 5:30 p.m. in person at City of Berkeley Corporation Yard (Ratcliff Building, Willow Room) 1326 Allston Way, Berkeley.

Respectfully Submitted



Julia A. Heath, Secretary