

## MINUTES

The meeting was convened at 5:30p.m. with Steven Sherman presiding as Chair.

### ROLL CALL

Present: Layla Dargahi, Swasti Johri, Philip Monrad, Chrise de Tournay, Steven Sherman,  
Dennis Uyat, Jamie Ruth (Alternate for Sandra Curtis)

LOA: Sandra Curtis

Absent:

STAFF PRESENT: Julia A. Heath, Zohe Slack

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT: 3

PUBLIC COMMENTS (on non-agenda items): 2

### ACTION MINUTES:

- **Approval of the January 16, 2025 Regular Meeting Agenda**  
Action Taken: M/S/C (de Tournay/Monrad) to approve the January 16, 2025 meeting agenda.  
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Sandra Curtis
- **Approval of the November 21, 2024 Regular Meeting Minutes**  
Action Taken: M/S/C (de Tournay/Monrad) to approve the November 21, 2024 meeting minutes.  
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Sandra Curtis
- **Public Comment**  
2 public comment. No Action Taken.
- **Commissioner Announcements**  
Discussion only. No Action Taken.
- **Staff Updates**  
Discussion only. No Action Taken.
- **Discuss Upcoming Commissioner Elections Happening at the February Commission Meeting**  
Discussion only. No Action Taken.  
**Public Comment: 0**
- **Report out from the Special Events Subcommittee**  
Discussion only. No Action Taken.  
**Public Comment: 0**

- **Presentation, Q&A, and Discussion by the Green Building Subcommittee about Progress Towards a Green Building Ordinance**

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.

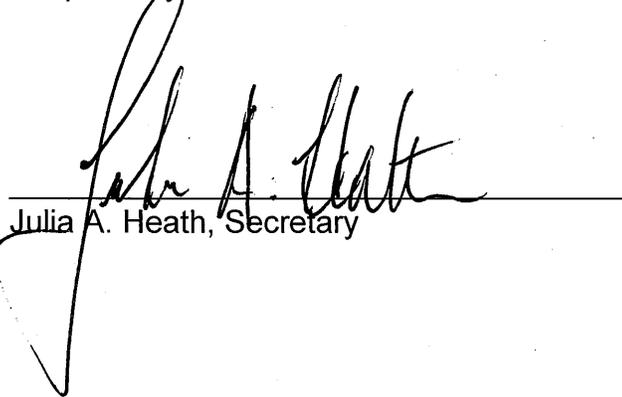
- **Adjournment at 7:27 p.m.**

M/S/C (de Tournay/Monrad) to adjourn the meeting.

Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Sandra Curtis

The next regular meeting of the Zero Waste Commission will be held on Thursday, February 20, 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