

MINUTES

The meeting was convened at 7:01 p.m. with Chrise de Tournay, Chair, presiding.

ROLL CALL

Present: Chrise de Tournay, Annette Poliwka, Rachel Doughty, Margo Schueler (7:30pm),
Nicole Ulakovic, David Grubb
LOA: None
Absent: Antoinette Stein

STAFF PRESENT: Liam Garland, Greg Apa, Heidi Obermeit

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT: 9

PUBLIC COMMENTS (on non-agenda items): 1

ACTION MINUTES:

- 1. Approval of the March 22, 2021 Regular Meeting Agenda**
M/S/C (de Tournay/Doughty) to approve the agenda for the March 22, 2021 regular meeting.
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Schueler, Stein
- 2. Approval of the February 22, 2021 Meeting Minutes**
M/S/C (Grubb/Poliwka) to approve the February 22, 2021 regular meeting minutes with one correction: David Grubb was in attendance for the final vote. Secretary will correct the error.
Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Schueler, Stein
- 3. Discuss Current Status of Mixed Non-bottle #1-7 Plastics**
Discussion only; no action taken.
Public comments: 3
- 4. Discuss Textile Recycling Options**
Discussion only; no action taken.
Public comments: 2
- 5. Discussion and Possible Action to Continue, Modify, or Disband the Deconstruction Subcommittee**
Discussion only; no action taken.
Public comments: 0
- 6. Review Zero Waste Declaration and Consider Action to Submit a Recommendation to City Council to Adopt the Declaration**
Discussion only; no action taken.
Public comments: 1

7. Discuss Covid Impacts on Waste Generation and Avoiding Losing Ground on Waste Reduction Goals

M/S/C (Ulakovic/Doughty) to approve the formation of a Covid Related Waste Mitigation Subcommittee to further explore this topic with Ulakovic and Doughty approved as the Subcommittee members.

Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Stein

Public Comment: 1

8. Discuss Future Agenda Items:

1. Continue discussion regarding mixed non-bottle #1-7 plastics
2. Textile Recycling Update from CCC/City Staff
3. Discuss Deconstruction Subcommittee status and possibly schedule presentations from Deconstruction experts
4. Discuss submitting a recommendation to City Council to adopt the Zero Waste Declaration
5. Updates from the Covid Related Waste Mitigation Subcommittee

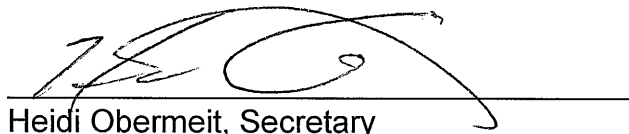
9. Adjournment at 8:47 p.m.

M/S/C (de Tournay/Schueler) to adjourn the meeting at 8:47 p.m.

Ayes: Unanimous; Abstain: None; Absent: Stein

The next regular meeting of the Zero Waste Commission will be held on Monday, April 26, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. by virtual videoconference/teleconference. The link to access the virtual meeting will be posted to the Community Calendar: www.cityofberkeley.info/communitycalendar/

Respectfully Submitted:



Heidi Obermeit, Secretary