



City of Santa Rosa

City Hall, Council Chamber
100 Santa Rosa Avenue
Santa Rosa, CA 95404

Climate Action Subcommittee Regular Meeting Minutes - Draft

Tuesday, June 11, 2019

2:00 PM

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1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Mayor Schwedhelm called the meeting to order at 2:03 p.m.

Present: 3 - Tom Schwedhelm, Chris Rogers and Julie Combs

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Mayor Schwedhelm opened public comments at 2:04 p.m.

Debbie McKay, president of the League of Women Voters spoke on renewable energy for City services.

Second speaker - spoke on reducing green house gas reduction.

Steve Green - spoke on having one point of contact for the Climate Action Plan.

Rick Tice - Spoke in favor of climate action legislation.

Kevin Conway - Friends of Climate Action Plan - spoke in favor of the climate action plan.

Gail Goodbread - ridgeway district - spoke regarding Climate Action Plan.

350 Sonoma Ave. - spoke on Climate Action Subcommittee meeting times.

Julie Moore - Rincon Valley - Wanted to know more about the meeting process.

Nevin - youth leader with Schools for Climate Action - Interested in the committee meeting more frequently.

Shelly - Spoke regarding interest in a public bank.

John - Clean Coalition - north bay resilience community initiative. Spoke on microgrid solutions.

Chris Thompson - Oakmont Progressives and Oakmont Democratic Club. Support greenbelt alliance, public bank, climate action plan.

Tom Conlins - Spoke regarding costs for all electric options.

Deborah - stopthecrime.net - Spoke on the climate action plan and new green deal.

John Allen- Spoke on costs related to energy efficiency and was not in favor of reach code adoption.

Jeff Schwaine - Real estate - Spoke on reach codes.

Keith Woods - North Coast Builders Exchange - Spoke on climate action and reach codes.

David Petrich - Spoke on land use planning.

Albie - member of North Bay Organizing Project, spoke on housing and homeless issues.

George Uberti - spoke in favor of climate action.

Mayor Schwedhelm closed public comments at 2:43 p.m.

3. ALL-ELECTRIC READY ORDINANCE AND REACH CODE ALTERNATIVES

David Guhin, Assistant City Manager, and Aleka Seville, Director of Climate Programs for Sonoma County Regional Climate Protection Authority, presented and responded to questions from committee members.

Deborah - Asked questions on metrics.

Tish Levee - Spoke in support of all-electric ready.

Pete Gang - Spoke in favor of all electric.

Tom Collins - Sierra Club - Questioned barriers to implementation.

Teri Shore - Questioned how codes would fit into new development.

Elaine Holt - Asked questions on community outreach.

Clean Coalition - builder in the north bay - Spoke in favor of all electric.

George Uberti - Spoke in favor of public outreach.

A citizen spoke in support of all electric reach codes.

Rick Theis - Spoke in favor of all electric ready and reach code alternatives.

Council member Combs supported All-Electric Reach Code.

Vice Mayor Rogers is in favor of All-Electric Reach Code.

Mayor Schwedhelm is in favor of All-Electric Favored Reach Code.

Subcommittee recommends moving from 2019 Building Code and

All-Electric Ready Ordinance to All Electric Reach Code.

4. EVERGREEN ANALYSIS

Item continued to a date certain.

5. FUTURE ITEMS AND MEETING SCHEDULE FREQUENCY

Item continued to a date certain.

6. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Schwedhelm adjourned the meeting at 3:52 p.m. to July 10, 2019 at 4:00 p.m.