



**ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION
MEETING (AMENDED 8/14/24)
AGENDA**

6:00 PM - Wednesday, August 14, 2024

Via Video Conference and In Person

IN-PERSON PARTICIPATION: Members of the public may participate in-person at the Los Altos Community Center in the Sequoia Room located at 97 Hillview Ave., Los Altos, CA.

REMOTE MEETING PARTICIPATION: Members of the public may attend the meeting virtually via the link below, but will not be permitted to provide public comment via Zoom or telephone.

<https://losaltosca-gov.zoom.us/j/81672879521?pwd=qD1zGXbDdkYaXQ7nntFUb1hLNAdroE.1>

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PUBLIC COMMENT: Public comments can be made verbally, in-person at the public hearing or submitted in writing prior to the meeting. Written comments can be mailed or delivered in person to the Development Services Department or emailed to ECPublicComment@losaltosca.gov.

Correspondence must be received by 2:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting to ensure distribution prior to the meeting. Comments provided after 2:00 p.m. will be distributed the following day and included with public comment in the Environmental Commission packet.

Public comment cannot be taken via Zoom or telephone.

PLEASE NOTE: Commissioner Teksler will participate in the meeting via videoconference from the site listed below. The meeting agenda will be posted at the videoconference site, which is accessible to the public. Anyone wishing to address the Commission from the videoconference site will be provided with an opportunity to do so.

Location: 2800 Erwin Road, Durham, North Carolina

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ESTABLISH QUORUM

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Members of the audience may bring to the Commission's attention any item that is not on the agenda. The Commission Chair will announce the time speakers will be granted before comments begin. Please be advised that, by law, the Planning Commission is unable to discuss or take action on issues presented during the Public Comment Period. According to State Law (also known as "The Brown Act") items must first be noted on the agenda before any discussion or action.

1. **8-14-24 Public Comments**

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

2. **Special Presentation:** GreenTown's summer interns will present on the benefits of joining Tree City USA.

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION

3. **Meeting Minutes:** Approve minutes of the regular meeting of June 12, 2024.
4. **Building Electrification Subcommittee Presentation:** The subcommittee will present its recommendations to the Commission outlining strategies to accelerate building electrification.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

5. **Budget Update:** Report out on sustainability budget allocation.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

6. **2025 EV Fair:** The Commission will continue the discussion on hosting a 2025 electric vehicle fair.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS AND COMMENTS

1. **Council Meeting Report Out**

2. **Ad Hoc Committee Reports**

- a. Single-Use Plastics
- b. Building Electrification
- c. Dark Skies/Bird Safety

STAFF UPDATES**POTENTIAL FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

1. SVCE Update (FALL)
2. CAL Water Update (FALL)
3. General Outreach

ADJOURNMENT**SPECIAL NOTICES TO PUBLIC**

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