



ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA

7:00 PM - Monday, September 12, 2022

Telephone/Video Conference only

Please Note: Per California Executive Order N-29-20, the City of Los Altos Environmental Commission will meet via teleconference only. Members of the Public may call (669) 444-9171 to participate in the conference call (Meeting ID: 852 6525 5531, Passcode: 663130), or via <https://losaltosca.gov.zoom.us/j/85265255531?pwd=VGdLd2UvSjVZZTE3S1JwalJjcUZsdz09>

Members of the Public may only comment during times allotted for public comments.

Public testimony will be taken at the direction of the Chair and members of the public may only comment during times allotted for public comments. Members of the public are also encouraged to submit written testimony prior to the meeting to ECpubliccomment@losaltosca.gov. Emails received prior to the beginning of the meeting will be included in the public record.

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. Please complete a "Request to Speak" form and submit it to the Staff Liaison. Speakers are generally given two or three minutes, at the discretion of the Chair. Please be advised that, by law, the 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 noticed on the agenda before any discussion or action.

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION

1. **Environmental Commission Minutes**
Approve minutes of the regular meeting of August 8, 2022.

2. **Environmental Commission Meetings Schedule**
Consider an alternative to the current Environmental Commission meeting schedule. If approved the alternative schedule shall be subject to City Council approval.
3. **Gas-Powered Leaf Blower (GPLB) Ban**
Discuss, amend/approve a statement of support by the Environmental Commission to the City Council for additional ways of enforcing the GPLB Ban, based on the Letter by GreenTown Los Altos Clean Air Advocates, dated August 8, 2022, regarding GPLB Ban enforcement.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

4. **Electrification Services**
Presentation by BlocPower, a climate and energy startup.
5. **Reach Codes**
Report by the Subcommittee.
6. **Tree Protection Ordinance** Report by the Subcommittee.
7. **Environmental Commission Work Plan**
Discuss Work Plan updates.
8. **City Staff Updates**
Receive information and announcements from City staff.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS AND COMMENTS

POTENTIAL FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

SPECIAL NOTICES TO PUBLIC

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