

SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION



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7:15 PM

Water Operations Building
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Call to order

1. Approval of minutes from July 16, 2019- Steve McGeehan

2. City Sustainability Report- Kelli Cooper

Kelli Cooper, City of Moscow Sustainability Technician, will update the Commission on the City's sustainability activities.

ACTION: Receive the report and provide applicable feedback to staff.

3. Moscow High School Subcommittee- Ilan Carter

Report on sustainability activities at Moscow High School including the Environmental Club and Soil Society.

ACTION: Receive the report and take other such action as deemed appropriate.

4. Fracking Issues in Idaho – Shelley Brock (via Skype)

****POSTPONED UNTIL SEPT****

Shelley Brock of the Citizens Allied for Integrity and Accountability (CAIA) will discuss the status of fracking in Idaho including challenges to the process used by Idaho's Department of Lands to force landowners to lease their mineral rights to oil and gas companies.

ACTION: Receive the report and take other such action as deemed appropriate.

5. Sierra Club "Ready For 100" campaign – Al Poplawsky and Eric Willadsen

Eric Willadsen from the Sierra Club will present a "Ready For 100" campaign which works with cities and municipalities to help them commit to 100% clean energy by a certain date (such as 2050). The City of Boise recently made such a commitment.

ACTION: Receive the report and take other such action as deemed appropriate.

6. Climate Survey for the Farmers Market Table – Amber Ziegler

Amber volunteered to assemble the survey and would like to have a short conversation about what kind of information we would like to gather.

ACTION: Receive the report and take other such action as deemed appropriate.

7. Seed packets for Farmers Market table – Kelli Cooper

Kelli will purchase native plant seeds and organize a seed packing group. The seed packs will be distributed at the SEC Farmers Market table on Sept. 28.

ACTION: Approve the use of SEC funds to purchase the seeds or take other action as deemed appropriate.

8. Commission Survey questions – Steve McGeehan

The City is seeking questions for the 2019 Commission Survey. This survey is designed to provide an opportunity for Commissions to ask questions of the general public regarding their mission or services.

ACTION: Discuss and approve questions for the SEC to submit for the Commission Survey.

9. Presentation to City Council – Steve McGeehan

Steve presented a summary of SEC activities and accomplishments to City Council on August 5.

ACTION: Receive the report and take other such action as deemed appropriate.

10. Announcements/Other Business

Next meeting (Sept 17, 2019).

Farmers Market Table (September 28, 2019)

Adjourn

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