

SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT COMMISSION



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Regular Meeting
~Agenda~

Kyle Steele
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<https://www.ci.moscow.id.us/551/Sustainable-Environment-Commission>

Tuesday
August 18, 2026

6:00 PM

Mayors Conference Room
1st Floor City Hall
206 E. 3rd St.

WELCOME AND ATTENDANCE

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Approval of Sustainable Environment Commission July 14, 2026 Minutes (ACTION ITEM)

Minutes presented for approval.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: approve the minutes as presented; approve minutes with amendments; or provide staff further direction.

2. Public Comment and Response to Previous Comments (limited to 10 minutes)

Members of the public may speak to the Commission regarding matters NOT on the agenda or currently pending before the Commission. Please state your name and city of residence for the record and limit your remarks to three (3) minutes.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: receive the public comment.

3. Community Solar Project

Kelli will provide an update on the community solar project.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: receive the report and take action as deemed appropriate.

4. Wisescaping at Local Cemeteries

Trish will discuss the idea of incorporating Wisescaping at local cemeteries.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: receive the report and take action as deemed appropriate.

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5. Farmers Market Table

The SEC will discuss staffing a table at the Farmers Market

PROPOSED ACTIONS: discuss and take action as deemed appropriate.

6. Citizen Survey

The SEC will discuss questions to submit for the Citizen Survey.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: discuss and take action as deemed appropriate.

REPORTS

1. City Sustainability Report- Kelli Cooper
2. Moscow High School Subcommittee Report – Ash Werner
3. Climate Action Working Group – TBA

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The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Victoria Seever, Garrett LaCivita, Trisch Hartzell, Sam Gallagher, Asaph Cousins, Gordon Wilson

Council: Evan Holmes

STAFF: Kelli Cooper

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Approval of Sustainable Environment Commission May 19, 2026 Minutes (ACTION ITEM)

Minutes presented for approval.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: approve the minutes as presented; approve minutes with amendments; or provide staff further direction.

Victoria moved to approve the minutes as presented. Sam seconded.

Roll call vote: Ayes: Unanimous. Abstain: Motion carried.

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PROPOSED ACTIONS: receive the public comment.

Tina is attending to support the community solar project.

1. Community Solar Project

Kelli will provide an update on the community solar project.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: receive the report and take action as deemed appropriate.

Kelli says CAWG has been gathering quotes for how much the project would cost. They have meetings set up with Avista and a private donor.

2. Wisescaping at Local Cemeteries

Trish will discuss the idea of incorporating Wisescaping at local cemeteries.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: receive the report and take action as deemed appropriate.

Trish has been talking to the local cemeteries and teaching them on the local aquifer levels, and benefits of wisescaping. Discussion on landscape fabric options/weed control, paying taxes on the cemetery, and community image if a wisescape was installed.

REPORTS

1. City Sustainability Report- Kelli Cooper
Kelli has been busy with tabling events.
Citizen Survey will be going out at the end of August.
Annual Water Summit will be held October 29th.
2. Moscow High School Subcommittee Report – Ash Werner
No update.
3. Climate Action Working Group – TBA

No update

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS / MEETINGS

1. Next SEC meeting set for August 18th 2026

2. ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 7 PM



Steve McGeehan, Chair *(or stamped by Deputy City Clerk)*