



CITY OF ELLENSBURG

Minutes of Environmental Commission, Regular Meeting

Date of Meeting

April 17, 2024

Time of Meeting

5:15 PM

Place of Meeting

**Council Conference Room
501 North Anderson Street
Ellensburg, WA 98926
And remotely via Zoom**

1. Call to Order and Roll Call of Members

The meeting was called to order at 5:15 p.m.

Present: Christina Wollman, Jean Marie Linhart, Jess Black, Ravin Harlin, Brenda Devore, Kristine Steinkownig

Also Present: Laura Wilson-Planner; Kathy Boots-Planning Technician; Nichole Baker-Sustainability & Energy Coordinator; Nancy Lillquist-City Council Liaison

Aaron Peterson is no longer a commissioner.

2. Approval of Agenda

No changes

3. Approval of Minutes

3.A March 20, 2024 Environmental Commission Regular Meeting Minutes

Linhart motioned to approve the meeting minutes from March 20, 2024. Motion approved 6-0.

4. Citizen Comment

None

5. New Business

5.A June 19, 2024 Holiday Closure

The June 19, 2024, meeting has been rescheduled to June 12, 2024, due to the holiday. Linhart motioned to move the June 19, 2024, meeting to June 12, 2024. Motion approved 6-0.

6. Unfinished Business

None

7. Bicycle Advisory

7.A Bike Month Planning

The list of activities was discussed. Flyers and handouts were available. There will be a press release and fliers will be distributed to the schools. Lillquist will

contact the DEI and see if there is a way to collaborate and improve equity. Thank you cards for the sponsors will be kept at the Community Development office for members to drop by and sign.

8. Staff Update/Discussion Items

8.A Arbor Day Tree Giveaway Program Expansion

The expansion program was approved by the City Council and has started. The number and type of trees will be tracked. A flyer was made. Baker will bring back numbers to the group at a future meeting.

9. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 5:48 p.m.