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**SUSTAINABILITY COMMISSION  
THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2019 – 6:00 P.M.  
Community Auditorium, 1915 Main Street**

Kenneth Cobleigh Lilly Meek Robin Lindsley Tabitha Merten	Amber Nieves, Chair Fallon Harris, Vice Chair Elena Uhing, Council Liaison Paul Downey, Staff Liaison	Johanna Peeters Weem, Student Jacob Rose Elizabeth Stover, Staff Liaison
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- ➔ Citizen Communications – Anyone wishing to speak on an issue not on the agenda should sign in for Citizen Communications prior to the meeting. The presiding officer will call the individual or group by the name given on the sign in form. Each person must state his or her name and give an address for the record.
- ➔ Consent Agenda – Items on the Consent Agenda are considered routine and will be adopted with a single motion, without separate discussion. Commission members who wish to remove an item(s) from the Consent Agenda may do so prior to the motion to approve the item(s). Any item(s) removed from the Consent Agenda will be discussed and acted upon following the approval of the Consent Agenda item(s).

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**A G E N D A**

TOPIC	PREPARATION	PROCESS
<b><u>COMMUNITY COMMUNICATIONS:</u></b> 1. Anyone wishing to speak on an issue not on the agenda? Time: 6:00 / 5 minutes Purpose: Listen Leader: Chair	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• State name and address for the record.</li> <li>• In the interest of time, please limit comments to three minutes or less.</li> </ul>
<b><u>COMMISSIONER COMMUNICATIONS:</u></b> 2. Information relevant to Commissioners. Time: 6:05 / 10 minutes Purpose: Listen Leader: Chair	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair polls the team.</li> <li>• Chair may suspend.</li> </ul>
<b><u>CONSENT AGENDA:</u></b> 3. Approve April 25, 2019, meeting minutes. Any objections or edits to the minutes? Time: 6:15 / 5 minutes Purpose: Decision Leader: Chair	Review meeting minutes. Be prepared to offer edits if any.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair polls the team for edits.</li> <li>• Approve the minutes as presented, with edits, and if no objection.</li> </ul>

<b>4. <u>ADDITIONS/DELETIONS:</u></b> Time: 6:20 / 3 minutes Purpose: Input Leader: Chair	Any additions or deletions to the Agenda?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair polls the team.</li> </ul>
<b>5. <u>LITTER PICK UP EVENT:</u></b> Time: 6:23 / 20 minutes Purpose: Provide Input Lead: Chair	Discuss and decide if the litter pick up should be more frequent and/or involve other agencies.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discuss, provide feedback.</li> <li>• Vote on request</li> </ul>
<b>6. <u>SCHOOL GARDENS:</u></b> Time: 6:43 / 15 minutes Purpose: Discuss Opportunities Leader: Fallon Harris	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Listen, discuss.</li> </ul>
<b>7. <u>ANTI-POVERTY WORKGROU</u>P:</b> Time: 6:58 / 5 minutes Purpose: Report on meeting Leader: Tabitha Merten/Ken Cobleigh	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Listen, discuss.</li> </ul>
<b>8. <u>WORK PLAN:</u></b> Time: 7:03 / 15 minutes Purpose: Determine schedule/opportunities Leader: Chair	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monthly articles in News Times, Facebook, City website</li> <li>• PlanetCon volunteer/participation</li> </ul>
<b>9. <u>COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT:</u></b> Time: 7:18 / 10 minutes Purpose: Listen Leader: Councilor Uhing	None	Liaison informs on the status of initiatives that intersect the City or external agencies.
<b>10. <u>STAFF REPORT:</u></b> Time: 7:28 / 5 minutes Purpose: Listen Leader: Paul Downey	None	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Listen</li> </ul>
<b>11. <u>FUTURE AGENDA TOPICS:</u></b> Time: 7:33 / 10 minutes Purpose: Input Leader: Chair	Identify relevant topics for the following meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair polls the team.</li> </ul>
<b>12. <u>ADJOURNMENT:</u></b> Time: 7:43 pm Purpose: Decision Leader: Chair	Meeting Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair adjourns the meeting if no objection.</li> </ul>

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