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**Sustainability Committee
MEETING AGENDA
Monday, April 11, 2022
7:00 PM**

Zoom Meeting Online or By Telephone

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Committee Members: Adele Slaughter (Stakeholder, Chair), Lili Barsha, (Stakeholder, Alexander Black, (Stakeholder), Chris Trent (Stakeholder), Susan Schalbe (Stakeholder), Jesse Sandford (Stakeholder), Chip Meehan (Stakeholder), Melanie Winter, (Stakeholder), Diana Nicole (Stakeholder) Randall Fried (Board Member & President, ex-officio)

1. Call to Order & Roll Call (1 min)
2. Approval of March's minutes (1 min)
3. Announcements by Government Representatives or guests (10 min.)

Earth Day Event April 23rd – We need volunteers to help the clean-up in Studio City cleaning will consist of: Litter pick up - completely including bushes - most part of parking lots and side streets (partially down each north and south), Storm drain cleaning the grates, Leaf pick up in the gutters - broom / dustpan (flyers here)

4. Public comment within the committees jurisdiction on items not on agenda

5. Discussion of HARVARD WESTLAKE RIVER PARK PROJECT

Case Number: ENV-2020-1512-EIR

Council District: 4 - Raman

State Clearinghouse Number: 2020090536

Project Location:

4047, 4141, and 4155 N. Whitsett Avenue;

12506, 12600, and 12630 W. Valley Spring Lane, Studio City, CA 91604

Assessor Parcel Number [APN] 2375-018-903

Link to total 6503 pages of DEIR <https://spaces.hightail.com/receive/0Zi8o1uYRP>

6. Discussion of SB- 1404 which intends to Conserve oak woodlands, through the use of conservation easements. Possible MOTION to have SCNC support SB-1404

7. Discussion of Council File 22-0150 – Read the full motion [here](#). As the gravity and urgency of the climate emergency become more apparent with each passing year of rising temperatures, dangerous wildfires, and more severe droughts—all of which disproportionately impact communities of color and the most vulnerable Angelenos—the City of Los Angeles must do all in its power to reduce its carbon emissions and move toward a sustainable, zero-carbon economy.

8. Discussion of Council File 220148 Read the full motion [here](#). The transportation sector generates the largest share of greenhouse gas emissions, which necessitates an urgent need to encourage innovative solutions in transportation systems to significantly reduce emissions. As the host city for the 2028 Summer Olympics, Los Angeles can leverage the games to demonstrate its continued commitment to transforming our transportation infrastructure to reduce carbon emissions.

9. Reports from Committee Members (15 min)

1. Status of Educational materials and web site updates—Lili Barsha
2. Status LADWP properties open for passive recreation and open space --Chip Meehan
3. Status of Sunswept Place: Update on DEIR before any permits are approved or any more construction commences on the site. –Diana Nicole
4. One Sheet on water – Melanie Winters
5. One Sheet on composting – Alexander Black

10. Adjournment (1 min)

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