



Town of Fairfax Climate Action Committee Meeting

September 19, 2023, 7:00 p.m.
Women's Club, 46 Park Road

*Our Mission and mandate is to work with the Town Council and Town residents to
achieve the goal of zero emissions by 2030.*

Agenda

Call to Order – Timms

Roll Call – Timms

Land Acknowledgement – Hewlings

The Fairfax Climate Action Committee acknowledges that we are located on the unceded ancestral lands of the Coast Miwok people of present-day Marin County. We honor with gratitude the land itself, and all of its ancestors: past, present, and emerging.

Approval of Agenda and Affidavit of Posting – Timms

Open Time for Public Expression

To address the Committee on matters not on the agenda, please raise your hand and state your name and address (optional). Individuals generally have 3 minutes to speak; 5 minutes if representing a group. The Committee is not permitted to take action and state law strictly limits the right of the Committee to discuss any item not on the agenda. (Gov. Code §54954.2)

Approval of Minutes from August 2023 Regular Meeting – Timms (public comment)

Staff Update - Sean Youra, Climate Action Coordinator (public comment)

- Fleet Zero-emission Vehicle Policy
- Marin EV Acceleration Strategy Update-discuss changing zero emissions goal
- Countywide Building Electrification Plan update
- Pavilion Resilience Hub update

Town Council Liaison Update – Ackerman (public comment)

- Pending item--Ban of expansion/new gas stations

Chair's Report – Timms (public comment)

- Annual report to Council-feedback from community
- Promotion of High School Youth Poster Contest-Clean Air Day grant
- Summer college interns-End of Summer presentation Aug 30, etc.

Community Engagement Initiatives – Shakeshaft (public comment)

- Check-in on 2023-24 Annual Action Plan Goals
 - Member recruitment (Samantha, Gabriel, HS youth); Increase CAC visibility:
 - Promotional merchandise-funds for cups, bags, hats?
 - Town Newsletter topics: 9.25-10.2, 10.9-10.16
 - Events: Debrief Quit Carbon presentation & Tabling at Fairfax Town Picnic
 - Future schedule: Feb, April, June-Parade, Sept-Picnic, Oct, Nov
 - Promotion of funding strategies-rebates, incentives, etc.
 - Communication tools for metrics

Transportation Initiatives – Costello (public comment)

- Check-in on 2023-24 Annual Action Plan Goals
 - EV Car & Bike Show-debrief; repeat next year?
 - Explore an E-bike Incentive/Rebate program
 - Orange Outlet charging at local MUD-update
 - Support for school/transit bus electrification
 - Promote transit/mobility options

Built Environment Initiatives – Hewlings (public comment)

- Check-in on 2023-24 Annual Action Plan Goals
 - Countywide BE Roadmap Development, workshop #2-Sept 27
 - Research Time of Sale disclosure-Energy Audit White Paper
 - Resiliency Centers-Fairfax Library and Fairfax Pavilion
- Additional Initiative(s):
 - Induction Cooktop Loaner Program update
 - Promotion of low-carbon concrete/high albedo asphalt for town operations

Sequestration Initiatives – Timms (public comment)

- Check-in on 2023-24 Annual Action Plan Goals
 - Support County’s composting/sequestration plan-Public Works update?
- Additional Initiative(s):
 - Update on Urban Forestry-Greening Our Future event 9.14
 - Regen Ag/Sequestration Film event in partnership with 350Marin/Sus Fx?

Announcements & Future Agenda Items (public comment)

- Next Meeting: Oct 17; change November and December dates?

ADJOURNMENT

Affidavit of Posting: This meeting notice was posted in accordance with Government Code section 54954.2(a)(1) on September 14, 2023.