



County of Santa Cruz

COMMISSION ON THE ENVIRONMENT

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DRAFT MINUTES

Regular Meeting – Tuesday, August 4, 2020

Time: 5:00 – 7:00 pm

I. ROLL/CALL TO ORDER/INTRODUCTIONS

Call to order at approximately 5:02 PM

Present: Commissioners Pepping, Orbuch, Wise-West, Hunt, Kippen, Clark, Culbertson, Trenchard, Bruce

Absent: Commissioner Gregorio

II. ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

None

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion to approve: Commissioner Bruce

Second: Commissioner Culbertson

Ayes: Commissioners Orbuch, Wise-West, Hunt, Kippen, Clark, Culbertson, Bruce

Nos: None

Abstain: Trenchard

IV. PUBLIC INPUT/ORAL COMMUNICATION

V. BUSINESS MATTERS

- A. Presentation by Eat for the Earth on food consumption and greenhouse gas emissions (30 minutes)

Received presentation from Eat for the Earth

- B. Information on Sustainability Policy and Regulatory Update (Commission staff 10 minutes)

Staff provided an update

- C. Update on Board of Supervisors action on plastics legislation (Commission staff 10 minutes)

Staff provided an update

- D. Proactive discussion regarding net new issues (Commission, 15 minutes)
- Discussion of issues identified
 - Action on whether to agendaize for a future COE meeting
 - Possible future agenda topics:
 - Work Plan items
 - Staff reports back to the COE from prior COE actions
 - State and Federal legislation
 - Ad hoc Inter-Commission coordination

Commissioners discussed various issues

VI. ADJOURNMENT