

SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMISSION MEETING

City Council Chambers, 33 East Broadway Avenue Meridian, Idaho Wednesday, August 26, 2020 at 4:00 PM

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Minutes

VIRTUAL MEETING INSTRUCTIONS

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ROLL-CALL ATTENDANCE

PRESENT

SWAC Chair Steve Corey Commissioner Meg Larsen Commissioner Mark Nelson

ABSENT Youth Commissioner Isabel Kau Commissioner Shawn Keating

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES [ACTION ITEM]

1. July 22nd Minutes

Minutes to be amended to show that SWAC voted to forward presentation to Council with a "do pass" recommendation.

2. August 5th Minutes

Minutes to be amended to show that SWAC voted to forward presentation to Council with a "do pass" recommendation.

SELECTION OF OFFICERS - Selection of new Sub-Chair

Vice-chair Meg Larsen already holds that position. No new officers needed.

NEW BUSINESS [ACTION ITEMS]

3. Plastic #1 Water Bottle Container pilot

Rachele Klein of Republic Services presented on the logistics on costs to operate a container for the collection of crushable plastic water bottles. The Commission voted to take this program to Council and use CRF money to cover 6 months of cost.

4. Recycle Collection Frequency Plan

Rachele Klein of Republic Services presented on the logistics on costs to operate additional fleet vehicles to accommodate collecting recycling every week. Conversation centered on alternatives to increasing recycle collection frequency at this time.

5. Unlimited Cardboard collection options

Rachele Klein of Republic Services presented on the logistics on costs to operate additional fleet vehicles to accommodate collecting unlimited recycling. Conversation centered on cities that offer unlimited collection, alternatives to unlimited collection, and increasing advertising about the low cost of an additional recycle cart.

NEXT MEETING - September 23, 2020

6. Meeting location determination SWAC voted to move the meeting to conference room A/B.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 5:19PM