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MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2024, AT 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2024 AT 10:00 AM

ROLL CALL

INVOCATION

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENT ON CLOSED SESSION

CLOSED SESSION PUBLIC COMMENT IS TAKEN DURING THE 10 AM MORNING PORTION OF THE AGENDA. THE COUNCIL ADJOURNS INTO CLOSED SESSION AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE CLOSED SESSION PUBLIC COMMENT AND RESUMES THE PUBLIC PORTION OF THE MEETING AT 2 PM.

PLEASE NOTE: Non-Agenda Public Comment will only be taken during the afternoon portion of the agenda at the conclusion of all informational/discussion items.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2024 AT 2:00 PM

ROLL CALL

NON-AGENDA COMMUNICATIONS FROM MAYOR, COUNCIL, INDEPENDENT BUDGET ANALYST, CITY CLERK, CITY ATTORNEY

REQUESTS FOR CONTINUANCE BY COUNCILMEMBERS

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

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Item 200: Fiscal Year 2025 First Quarter Budget Monitoring Report.

This item will be considered in the afternoon session which is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m.

Total Estimated Cost of Proposed Action and Funding Source:

There are no fiscal considerations. This is an informational report only.

Council District(s) Affected: Citywide.

Proposed Actions: This is an informational item only.

Committee Actions Taken: N/A

Department of Finance: Ambar Gutierrez, (619) 533-6297

Item 201: Informational Update on Outreach and Engagement and Operational Efficiency Analysis Accompanying Residential Waste and Recycling Collection Cost-of-Service Study.

This item will be considered in the afternoon session which is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m.

Total Estimated Cost of Proposed Action and Funding Source:

This is an informational item only; there is no cost associated with this item.

Council District(s) Affected: Citywide.

Proposed Actions: This is an informational item only.

Committee Actions Taken: N/A

Environmental Services: Kirby Brady, Interim Department Director, (619) 249-2735

ADOPTION AGENDA, DISCUSSION ITEMS

ADOPTION AGENDA

DISCUSSION, RESOLUTIONS TO BE ADOPTED:

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Item 202: Fiscal Year 2025 Capital Improvements Program (CIP) Mid-Year Budget Monitoring Report and CIP Budget Revisions.

This item will be considered in the afternoon session which is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m.

Total Estimated Cost of Proposed Action and Funding Source:

Please see report and attachments.

Council District(s) Affected: Citywide.

Proposed Actions:

(R-2025-217)

Resolution authorizing mid-year amendments to the Fiscal Year 2025 Capital Improvements Program Budget.

Committee Actions Taken:

This item was heard at the Active Transportation and Infrastructure Committee meeting on November 13, 2024.

ACTION: Motion by Vice Chair LaCava, second by Chair Whitburn, to recommend Council approval of staff's proposed actions.

VOTE: 3-0; Whitburn-yea, LaCava-yea, Foster III-yea, von Wilpert-not present.

Department of Finance: Travis Brady, (619) 236-6923

City Attorney Contact: Bret A. Bartolotta

Item 203: Approval of the 2025-2026 City of San Diego Legislative Platform.

This item will be considered in the afternoon session which is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m.

Total Estimated Cost of Proposed Action and Funding Source:

There is no City expenditure being approved with this action.

Council District(s) Affected: Citywide.

Proposed Actions:

(R-2025-221)

Resolution approving the 2025-2026 State and Federal Legislative Platform and related actions.

Committee Actions Taken:

This item was heard at the Economic Development and Intergovernmental Relations Committee meeting on October 30, 2024.

ACTION: Motion by Chair Campillo, second by Vice Chair Lee, to recommend Council approval of staff's proposed actions.

VOTE: 3-0; Campillo-yea, Lee-yea, Foster III-yea, Campbell-not present.

Government Affairs: Walter Bishop, (619) 964-6502

City Attorney Contact: Hilda R. Mendoza

Item 204: Proposed Update to CP 900-03 Zero Emissions Municipal Buildings & Operations Policy and Sunset to CP 900-02 Energy Conservation and Management and Council Policy 900-18 Purchase of Energy Efficient Products.

This item will be considered in the afternoon session which is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m.

Total Estimated Cost of Proposed Action and Funding Source:

There are no costs associated with this action.

Council District(s) Affected: Citywide.

Proposed Actions:

(R-2025-297)

Resolution authorizing amendments to Council Policy 900-03, titled "Zero Emissions Municipal Buildings and Operations Policy", and repealing Council Policy 900-02, titled "Energy Conservation and Management", and Council Policy 900-18, titled "Purchase of Energy Efficient Products".

Committee Actions Taken:

This item was heard at the Environment Committee meeting on November 14, 2024.

ACTION: Motion by Chair Lacava, second by Committee Member Campbell, to recommend Council approval of staff's proposed actions, with amendment to Section 1, exceptions on page 19, add number 2 below that header with the following language: (2) On an annual basis, staff shall report to City Council the number of projects approved for exception from the policy, accompanied by a brief description of each exception.

VOTE: 3-0; LaCava-yea, Campbell-yea, Elo-Rivera-yea, von Wilpert-not present.

Sustainability and Mobility: Lindsey Hawes, (858) 627-3352

City Attorney Contact: R. Scott Sokol

Item 205: Resolution of Support for the Use of Tax Roll Billing for Potential Future Residential Waste and Recycling Collection Services Fees.

This item will be considered in the afternoon session which is scheduled to begin at 2:00 p.m.

Total Estimated Cost of Proposed Action and Funding Source:

There is no City expenditure being approved with this action.

Council District(s) Affected: Citywide.

Proposed Actions:

(R-2025-267 Cor. Copy)

Resolution expressing support for the use of tax roll billing to collect payment of potential fees for waste and recycling collection services if such fees are approved at a future date.

Committee Actions Taken:

This item was heard at the Environment Committee meeting on November 14, 2024.

ACTION: Motion by Committee Member Elo-Rivera, second by Committee Member Campbell, to recommend Council approval of staff's proposed actions.

VOTE: 3-0; LaCava-yea, Campbell-yea, Elo-Rivera-yea, von Wilpert-not present.

Environmental Services: Kirby Brady, Interim Department Director, (619) 249-2735

City Attorney Contact: Nicole M. Denow

NON-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT

This portion of the agenda provides an opportunity for members of the public to address the Council on items of interest within the jurisdiction of the Council. (Comments relating to items on today's docket will be taken at the time the item is heard.)

NON-AGENDA ITEMS

REPORT OUT FROM CLOSED SESSION

ADJOURNMENT IN HONOR OF APPROPRIATE PARTIES

ADJOURNMENT

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Each person who wishes to address the Council shall approach the podium and state who they are representing if they represent an organization or another person.

Each speaker may speak up to three minutes, subject to the Council President's determination of the time available for meeting management purposes, in addition to any time ceded by other members of the public who are present at the meeting and have submitted a speaker slip ceding them time. These speaker slips should be submitted together at one time to the City Clerk. The Council President may also limit organized group presentations of five or more persons to 15 minutes or less.

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Each speaker may speak up to three minutes, subject to the Council President's determination of the time available for meeting management purposes. Speakers participating virtually may not allocate their time to other speakers and may not share video or visual aids (i.e. pdf, ppt, docs) during their comment period.

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Non-Agenda Public Comment

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Please note: On Mondays, Non-Agenda Public Comment is taken during the 2pm session after all discussion items are complete. On Tuesday's non-agenda public comment is taken during the 10am session.

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