



Public Works Department

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AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING OF THE Urban Forest Committee

Monday July 8, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

Hillside Room, El Cerrito City Hall
10890 San Pablo Avenue
El Cerrito, CA 94530

This Meeting Place is Wheelchair Accessible

7:00 p.m. CONVENE REGULAR MEETING

1. **ROLL CALL** – Chair Mary Torrusio; Vice-Chair Robert Hrubes; Members Cathy Bleier, Yan Linhart, Steve Price, Michael Srago
2. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC**
Remarks are typically limited to three minutes per person, and may be on anything within the subject matter jurisdiction of the body. Remarks on non-agenda items will be heard first, remarks on agenda items will be heard at the time the item is discussed.
3. **COMMITTEE MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS**
4. **COUNCIL / STAFF LIAISONS ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REPORTS** - 15 minutes
City Council Liaison Gabriel Quinto and / or City Staff may report on Council policies, priorities, and significant actions taken by the City Council, and / or matters of general interest to the Urban Forest Committee (UFC).
5. **ACTION ITEMS** – 5 minutes
 - Approval of the Minutes - Consider a motion to adopt minutes from the June 10, 2019 meeting.
6. **PRESENTATION: DEVELOPING INFORMATION RESOURCES ON STREET TREES FOR EL CERRITO RESIDENTS** - 20 minutes
Hear from El Cerrito resident Mark Mendell on his vision and his efforts to inform residents about current street tree populations and the selection and acquisition process for new City street trees ; discuss related potential future action items.
7. **URBAN FOREST COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES, CALENDAR AND WORK PLAN UPDATE**
Participate in discussion and consider possible action items that correspond with the Urban Forest Committee Work Plan including but not limited to:
 - A. Community Outreach - 20 minutes
 - I. UFC outreach during the July 4, World One Festival- debrief
 - II. Future Outreach Opportunities

B. 2019-2021 Work Plan- 20 minutes

8. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS – 10 minutes

- 2019/2021 Work Plan
- Presentation: Tree Care with City Arborist Stephen Prée

9. ADJOURNMENT

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