## MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS, HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2019 BEGINNING AT 7:00 P.M. AT COMMUNITY MEETING CHAMBERS, LOS ALTOS CITY HALL, 1 NORTH SAN ANTONIO ROAD, LOS ALTOS, CALIFORNIA

#### ESTABLISH QUORUM

- PRESENT: Chair Weiden, Vice Chair Yuan, Commissioners Bray, Teksler, and Klein
- ABSENT: Commissioner Martin and Halkola

STAFF: Staff Liaison Niday

## PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

None

## **ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION**

#### 1. Environmental Commission Minutes

Approved minutes of the regular meeting of October 14, 2019

<u>Action:</u> Upon a motion by Commissioner Teksler, seconded by Commissioner Yuan, the Environmental Commission approved the minutes from the October 14, 2019 regular meeting as written.

The motion was approved (5-0) by the following vote: AYES: Weiden, Yuan, Bray, Teksler, and Klein NOES: None ABSENT: Martin and Halkola ABSTAIN: None

#### 2. <u>Herbicide Use in Los Altos City Parks</u>

Discussed the next steps in investigating the use of synthetic herbicides and pesticides in the City

Public Comment: None

Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner Bray, seconded by Commissioner Teksler, the Environmental Commission accepted the draft statement to City Council on herbicide use in Los Altos City parks as modified by Commission discussion. The motion was approved (5-0) by the following vote: AYES: Weiden, Yuan, Bray, Teksler, and Klein NOES: None ABSENT: Martin and Halkola ABSTAIN: None

## 3. <u>Silicon Valley Clean Energy Authority</u>

Discussed proposed electrification Reach Codes for 2019 Energy Code and reviewed the draft commission presentation to City Council

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Public Comment: None

Action: None

4. <u>Environmental Commission Work Plan</u> Discussed Commissioner updates on work plan items

Public Comment: None

Action: None

# **INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

5. <u>City Staff Updates</u> Received information and announcements from City staff

# COMMISSION REPORTS AND COMMENTS

None

## POTENTIAL FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

None

# ADJOURNMENT

Chair Weiden adjourned the meeting at 8:12 P.M.