

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION OF
THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS, HELD ON DECEMBER 11, 2017, AT 7:00 P.M. AT LOS
ALTOS CITY HALL, ONE NORTH SAN ANTONIO ROAD, LOS ALTOS,
CALIFORNIA**

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Chair Teksler, Vice Chair Weiden, Commissioners Yuan, Halkola and Bray (arrived at 7:25 PM)

ABSENT: Commissioners Hedden and Eyre

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION

1. Commission Minutes
Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner Weiden, seconded by Commissioner Halkola, the Commission approved the minutes of the meeting of November 13, 2017, by the following vote: AYES: Teksler, Weiden, Yuan, and Halkola; ABSENT: Bray (late), Hedden and Eyre with two revisions to correct the omission of the Public Comment clarifying language and the Special Notices to the Public box and accompanying language.
2. Reviewed and discussed 2017/18 Environmental Commission Goals and Work Plan
 - a. Received update from anti-idling subcommittee including review of survey results and discussed plans for additional surveying in January 2018
 - b. Received water update
 - c. Reviewed gas-powered leaf blower ordinance and discussed possibility of forming subcommittee to review potential educational campaign

Public Comment

Linda Ziff provided information on harm created by gas powered leaf blowers and spoke in support of addressing issues involved with the gas-powered leaf blower ordinance.

3. Received report on Silicon Valley Clean Energy Authority (SVCEA)
Staff and Commissioner Bray reviewed SVCEA agendas, materials and provided an update. Announcement that Vice Chair Weiden was appointed by the SVCEA Board as a member of the Customer Program Advisor Group.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

4. Received information and announcements from City staff
Staff updated the Environmental Commission on the Hillview Community Center Project Task Force report to City Council on December 12, 2017. Staff also distributed the tentative 2018 City Council Meeting Attendance Assignments and reviewed the remaining 2017 meeting assignment.

COMMISSION REPORTS AND COMMENTS

POTENTIAL FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

None

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Teksler adjourned the meeting at 8:23 p.m.