

**Joint Sustainability Committee  
August 23, 2017 6:00pm  
City Hall, Council Chambers  
301 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Austin, Texas**



**AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. June 7, 2017 meeting of the Joint Sustainability Committee

**2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

The speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

**3. NEW BUSINESS**

- a. Discussion on the Committee's Annual Internal Review (Discussion and/or possible action)
- b. Update on the Austin Community Climate Plan from the Climate Program Manager (Discussion)

**4. OLD BUSINESS**

- a. Discussion on Committee priorities for the Fiscal Year 2018 City of Austin budget (Discussion and/or possible action)
- b. Discussion on the relationship of environmental justice and climate as related to the actions in the Community Climate Plan (Discussion and/or possible action)
- c. Working group updates and potential creation of new working groups: three standing working groups on the Phase 1 Actions of the Austin Community Climate Plan (Electricity and Natural Gas, Transportation and Land Use, Materials and Waste Management), brownfield redevelopment working group, budget working group, and the building standards working group (Discussion and/or possible action)
- d. Commission members report back on any relevant discussions from their respective boards and commissions (Discussion and/or possible action)

## **5. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

- September – Committee priorities for the next year
- September - Staff update on a potential Carbon Impact Statement
- September - Water conservation and long-term planning strategies
- September – Economic Development Policy staff briefing

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