

# LARAMIE/ALBANY COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2022 AT 6:00 PM

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**1. CALL TO ORDER**

**2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND MINUTES**

**2- A. Changes and Approval of Agenda**

**2- B. Thursday, October 6, 2022 EAC Meeting Minutes**

Documents:

[EAC MINUTES 10-6-22.PDF](#)

**3. DISCLOSURES**

**4. CITIZEN COMMENTS- Non-Agenda Related Topics- No Action Can Be Taken**

**5. ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND STAFF: Reports And Comments**

**5.A. EAC Term Extensions - Darren Parkin**

**6. OLD BUSINESS**

**6.A. City Of Laramie / Haub School Graduate Assistantship Report - Corrinne Scieszka**

**6.B. Albany County Renewable Energy Subcommittee - Mary Grace Bedwell / David Gertsch**

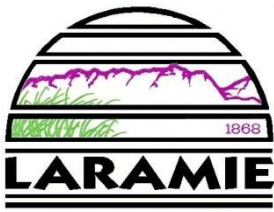
**6.C. City/County CAPP Update Report - Erin O'Doherty / David Gertsch / Darren Parkin**

**7. NEW BUSINESS**

**7.A. CAPP Subcommittee Appointments - David Gertsch / Darren Parkin**

**8. DATE OF NEXT REGULAR MEETING- February 3, 2023**

**9. ADJOURN**



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## MINUTES

### Laramie/Albany County Environmental Advisory Committee Thursday, October 6, 2022 at 6:00 PM

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting convened at 6:01 PM

Members present: Mary Grace Bedwell, Evelyn Hill, Rhiannon Jakopak, Kayla Matlock, and Ellen Currano (joined at 6:07 pm)

Members absent: Ramsey Bently and Eric Krszjzaniek.

There was a quorum present at all times.

Council Liaison: Erin O'Doherty

County Liaison: Pete Gosar (joined at 6:13 pm)

Staff Present: Darren Parkin, Ryan Shoefelt, Corrinne Scieszka (Intern), David Gertsch.

#### 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND MINUTES

##### 2-A. Changes and Approval of Agenda

MOTION BY HILL, seconded by Bedwell, to approve the agenda.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

##### 2-B. Thursday, August 4, 2022 Environmental Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

MOTION BY BEDWELL, seconded by Hill, to approve the Minutes from August 4, 2022 as written.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

#### 3. CITIZEN COMMENTS - Non-Agenda Related Topics – No Action Can Be Taken

No Citizen Comments.

#### 4. ENVIRONMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE AND STAFF: REPORTS AND COMMENTS

Jakopak- Plowing bike lanes this winter?

##### 4.A. Jack's Solar Garden / CO Agrivoltaic Learning Center - Darren Parkin

Darren Parkin presented.

Chair Currano joined at 6:07 pm.

Commissioner Gosar joined at 6:13 pm.

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**4.B. MT2030 Climate Solutions Summit - Darren Parkin**

Darren Parkin presented information- everything is being pushed toward electric, lot of information and idea sharing.

**5. DISCLOSURES -- Ex-parte communications; potential conflicts of interest**

No disclosures.

**6. OLD BUSINESS:**

**6.A. City/County CAPP Update Report - Erin O'Doherty / David Gertsch / Darren Parkin**

David Gertsch provided background.

Upcoming joint meeting on October 27. Want to get the three chairs together soon to go over logistics.

**6.B. Albany County Renewable Energy Subcommittee - David Gertsch**

Mary Grace Bedwell gave brief background.

Committee member Krszjzaniek will give presentation to Planning and Zoning.

**7. NEW BUSINESS:**

**7.A. City of Laramie / Haub School Graduate Assistantship - Darren Parkin / Corrinne Scieszka**

Corrinne Scieszka presented timeline of creating the Climate Action Plan and Council presentation on October 25.

Rachael Budowle- University of Wyoming- shared additional information.

**7.B. Climate Action Planning Taskforce - Mary Grace Bedwell**

**Mary Grace Bedwell presented.**

MOTION BY CURRANO, seconded by Matlock, that we should sign the letter that Committee Member Bedwell put together.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

MOTION BY BEDWELL, seconded by Currano, to reconsider.

MOTION CARRIED by unanimous consent.

MOTION BY CURRANO, seconded by Bedwell, to amend the original motion to fix the small grammatical error "including through energy efficiency" and add authorize the EAC Chair to sign and submit the letter.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

**7.C. EAC Term Expirations - EAC Discussion**

Formal Council and County Commissioners action to extend the terms until the CAPP update is completed.

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Committee members Hill and Bedwell will continue terms until the completion of the update.

**8. DATE OF NEXT REGULAR MEETING – December 1, 2022**

**9. ADJOURN**

MOTION BY BEDWELL, seconded by Hill, to adjourn the meeting.

MOTION CARRIED by voice vote and raised hands.

Meeting adjourned at 7:44 PM.