



AGENDA

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COMMITTEE Community Involvement and Outreach Subcommittee

Tuesday, August 23, 2011, 7:00 p.m.
El Cerrito City Hall – Hillside Conference Room
10890 San Pablo Avenue
This Meeting Place Is Wheelchair Accessible

Roll Call: Chair Weinstein and members Benjamin, Dandridge, Goudey, and Krueger

- 1. Comments from the public on non-agenda items – 7:00**
Speakers are limited to 3 minutes for comment on non-agenda items. Comments regarding items on the agenda may be brought during discussion of those items and are subject to the same limits.
- 2. Approval of the Minutes – 7:05**
Consider a motion adopting the minutes from the Subcommittee meetings on April 26, 2011 and June 28, 2011.
- 3. Environmental Film and Chat Series – 7:10**
Discuss promotion of upcoming films and ancillary events.
- 4. Green Team Events – 7:30**
Discuss upcoming Green Team events and outreach efforts, including:
 - Coastal Cleanup Day at Cerrito Creek
 - Creating relationships with school groups
- 5. Habitat Restoration – 7:45**
Discuss community involvement and outreach strategies regarding habitat restoration and preservation issues, including:
 - Creating relationships with restoration specialists
 - Establishing docent and volunteer opportunities
- 6. Other Outreach Projects – 8:10**
Discuss strategies for conducting outreach and increasing participation in the following environmental programs, including:
 - the City's compostable food ware efforts
 - the City's Home Energy Efficiency Rebate program
 - the County's Green Business Program and other green business practices
- 7. Member & Staff Liaison Announcement and Updates – 8:40**
Hear brief announcements about other activities from Environmental Services staff and subcommittee members, including:
 - PACE Legislation
- 8. Adjournment – 9:00**

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