

## **Environment & Sustainability Committee Meeting**

Thursday, July 14, 2022 8:00 – 9:00pm Zoom Electronic Meeting Online or By Telephone

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Committee Participation is open to all Stakeholders in the San Pedro Neighborhood Councils. All interested parties within the County of Los Angeles are welcome to speak and engage.

Note: Any item on this agenda could result in a motion.

- 1) Welcome and Introductions.
- 2) Public Comment on Non-Agenda items.
- 3) DISCUSS the Navy DFSP (Defense Fuel Support Point) in San Pedro

Note: Community Issues has taken point for this issue since 2019, when the Navy transitioned from decommission status to Environmental Assessment for potential commercial outlease of the site.

San Pedro DFSP Navy Ops page LINK HERE

- 2022 Environmental Assessment LINK HERE
- 4) DISCUSS <u>Liquid Bulk Terminal Wharf Improvements and Cement Terminal Project</u> Notice of Preparation/Initial Study Berths 187–191
- 5) DISCUSS Open Space/Green-Space and the 30 by 30 Plan (30% Protected Space by 2030) This is a global climate change initiative, which local land conservation organizations can potentially benefit.
- DISCUSS Healthy Buildings Healthy Places
   https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/fd221bd31cc14048b41e0a5d3362da68
- 7) Discuss decrease of homes accessible for individual home ownership, and potential impact to Climate Change goals, such as installation of EV Charging stations. Real Estate investors snatched up approximately 1 in 5 homes in Los Angeles, Anaheim and Riverside in the last quarter of 2021.

https://spectrumnews1.com/ca/la-west/transportation/2022/02/22/how-to-get-an-ev-charger-installed-at-an-apartment-or-condo

https://knock-la.com/los-angeles-rental-speculation-4022d16a0d28 https://spectrumnews1.com/ca/orange-county/housing/2022/02/16/about-one-in-five-homes-purchased-in-la-and-anaheim-were-real-estate-investors

- 8) Discussion topics
  - a. DWP Announcement 2-Day-a-Week 8-Minute Watering Restriction, and impact on stakeholders.
  - b. Shore Power and Cruise Ships
  - c. POLA CAAP
  - d. C40 Cities Zero Emission Shipping.
- Discuss recent brush fires at Peck Park and San Pedro Community Garden. Opportunities to request improvements, strategies for volatile non-native grass removal and replacement with native plantings, potential action. This topic will be continued at the Public Safety Committee meeting.

- 10) **UPDATE on potential Air Quality monitors** The City Clerk reviewed the Resolution and suggested the action be turned into a Grant for a 501©3
- 11) Discuss Bills, Legislation, Environmental action & Updates by City, County, State, Federal representatives.
- 12) Discuss **future items**, updates on past CIS filings and letters.
- 13) Adjourn (Next meeting Thursday August 11, 2022 8:00PM 9:00PM)

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