

CITY OF MONTEREY PARK
ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
ROOM 266, CITY HALL
NOVEMBER 13, 2012
MINUTES

Item 1– Meeting Called to Order: 6:08 p.m.

Item 2 – Swearing in Environmental Commissioner

City Clerk, David Barron, swore in new Youth Advisory Board member, Ziping Gan.

Item 3 – Roll Call:

Present: Commissioners: Vincent Chang, Ziping Gan, Courteney Lam, William Wheeler, and Thomas Wong.

Also Present: Amy Ho, Principal Management Analyst.

Item 4 – Approval of September 14, 2012 meeting minutes:

The minutes of the September meeting were unanimously approved.

Item 5 – Oral Communications:

None.

Item 6 – Agenda Changes, Deletions, or Postponements:

None.

Item 7 – Old Business

A. CAP Update

Commissioners discussed the adoption of the CAP ordinance at the September 19th Council Meeting. They requested a copy of the executed Resolution/Ordinance.

B. Long Beach Bike Facility Tour

Vincent will provide an update to the Commission once he has more information.

C. Earth Day Festival 2013

The Commission requested staff to notify them of the next Cherry Blossom Committee meeting. They would like the Earth Day event to be included on publicity

material. Thomas asked that staff request another contribution from the Gas Company.

D. Student Mixer 2012

Thomas briefed the Commission on the Oct. 16, 2012 student mixer event. He indicated that the event went well.

E. Plastic Bag Ban

Staff updated the Commission on cities in the area that have adopted a plastic bag ban. South Pasadena is still researching the initiative. Commissioners Chang and Wheeler will bring up the item at the Chamber of Commerce.

Item 8 - New Business

A. General Plan Advisory Committee

Thomas and William briefed the Commission on the GPAC meeting that was held on Oct. 9, 2012. The workshop was focused on gathering feedback from the community.

Item 9 – Announcements

None.

Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 7:00 PM.