



Public Engagement Commission

Agenda

Wednesday, November 20, 2024

6:00 P.M.

City Hall, Council Chambers

130 Cremona Dr.

Goleta, CA

Members of the Public Engagement Commission

Pedro Paz, Chair

Beth Schneider, Vice-Chair

Susan Klein-Rothschild, Commissioner

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CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**ROLL CALL OF PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT COMMISSION:****PUBLIC FORUM**

At this time the public shall have an opportunity to comment on any non-agenda item relevant to the jurisdiction of the City. Reasonable time limits are imposed on each topic and each speaker. In accordance with the provisions of the Ralph M. Brown Act (GC § 54950 et seq.), no action or discussion may take place on any item not on the posted agenda. The Board or Commission may respond to statements made or questions asked, and may direct the staff to report back on the topic at a future meeting.

AMENDMENTS OR ADJUSTMENTS TO AGENDA**A. CONSENT CALENDAR**

- A.1 [24-529](#) Approval of the Public Engagement Commission Meeting Minutes of September 4, 2024

B. PRESENTATION

B.1 [24-531](#) Update on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Efforts

Recommendation: That the Commission hear a report on staff diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) efforts, including a discussion of their work with the City's DEI consultants on the DEI Plan.

Staff: Rebecca Eggeman, DEI Officer / Human Resources and Risk Analyst

Estimated Time: 60 minutes

C. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEM**C.1 [24-530](#) Selection of Meeting Dates for 2025 Calendar Year**

- Recommendation:**
- A. Provide feedback on scheduling options for the Public Engagement Commission meeting dates for 2025, and,
 - B. Adopt the recommended meetings dates for 2025 and 6:00 pm start time.

Staff: Kelly Hoover, Community Relations Manager/PIO

D. DIRECTOR'S REPORT**E. COMMISSIONER'S COMMENTS****F. ADJOURNMENT**