



# CITY OF SOUTH PASADENA

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## SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

**Tuesday, September 25, 2018, at 7:00 p.m.**

Amedee O. "Dick" Richards City Council Chamber  
1424 Mission Street, South Pasadena, CA 91030

Commissioners: Al Benzoni, Amy Davis Jones, Kay Findley, William J. Kelly, Stephen Leider,  
Noah Puni, and Nancy Wilms  
City Council Liaison: Mayor Richard D Schneider, MD  
Staff Liaison: Kristine Courdy, Public Works Operations Manager

- 1) Call to Order/Roll Call
- 2) Approval of Minutes – Meeting of August 28, 2018
- 3) Public Comment
- 4) Discussion/Action Items:
  - A. Safe Clean Water Presentation – Councilmember Diana Mahmud
  - B. Tree Removal Hearing – 1612 Spruce Street
  - C. Tree Ordinance Status Update (Courdy)
  - D. Discussion of NREC Initiative Tracking System (Benzoni)
  - E. Discussion of how to reduce urban heat island effect (Jones)
  - F. Discussion of how to limit exposure to herbicides sprayed on city parks and fields, such as Roundup (Leider)
- 5) Council Liaison Comments
- 6) Staff Liaison Comments
- 7) Commission Comments

### ***Updates - No Discussion Required***

- 8) Water Conservation Programs and Drought Update (Courdy) - City had a total water use reduction of 19% for May 2018.
- 9) Urban Forest Update (Courdy) – Council approved the West Coast Arborist (WCA) contract on August 15. WCA started trimming palm trees on August 31 and approximately 800 are to be trimmed in the FY 2018-19
- 10) Upcoming Events – Household Hazardous Waste Event (Burbank, September 8; El Monte, September 15, 2018 ); Free Workshop “ Finding & Fixing Leaks” - 11/7/2018

**ADJOURNMENT** – Next Regular Meeting – October 23, 2018

I declare under penalty of perjury, that I am an employee of the City of South Pasadena, and that I posted this Agenda on the bulletin board in the courtyard of the City Hall at 1414 Mission Street, South Pasadena as required by Law.

Date: 9/20/2018 Signature: 