



ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY & ENERGY COMMISSION MEETING

September 13, 2022

7:00 PM

Banfill Room, Fridley Civic Campus

MINUTES

Call to Order

CHAIR DRITZ called the commission to order at 7:03 PM

Present

Amy Dritz
Sam Stoxen
Nick Olberding
Mark Hansen
Justin Foell
Heidi Ferris
Stacy Stromberg, Planning Manager
Jessica Leverty, Aquatic Invasive Species Coordinator- Anoka County Parks

Approval of Agenda

MOTION by Commissioner Olberding to APPROVE the September 13, 2022, meeting agenda.
SECONDED by Commission Hansen. The MOTION PASSED unanimously.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

1. MOTION by Commissioner Stoxen to APPROVE the August 15, 2022, meeting minutes.
SECONDED by Commissioner Olberding. The MOTION PASSED unanimously.

New Business

2. Anoka County Aquatic Invasive Species Program

Jessica Leverty, Anoka County Parks, provided an update on the County's aquatic invasive species program, which includes education and outreach events, watercraft inspections, the prevention grant program, and monitoring and early detection. Jessica also reviewed the types of aquatic invasive species typically found in Minnesota lakes.

3. Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs)

Ms. Stromberg gave a presentation on Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs), describing what they are and what the City code allows. Ms. Stromberg then answered questions of the Commissioners.

Old Business

Other Items

4. Informal Status Reports

Commissioner Foell shared a few pictures he took at a conference in San Diego that were related to an electric vehicle charging outlet and trash disposal options. Containers were marked with the following options: compost, recycle, paper or landfill for attendees to dispose of their trash.

Adjournment

MOTION by Commissioner Stoxen to adjourn the meeting SECONDED by Commissioner Olberding. The MOTION PASSED unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 8:32 PM.