

# **City of Madison**

## **Meeting Minutes**

# SUSTAINABLE MADISON COMMITTEE

Monday, May 24, 2021	4:30 PM	Virtual Meeting
	How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?	
	Who does not have a voice at the table?	
	Consider: Who benefits? Who is burdened?	

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#### CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 4:33 PM by Chair LeClair.

Also in attendance was Ald. Grant Foster who will be appointed to the Board of Public Works seat on 6/15/2021 as well as Ald. Regina Vidaver who was listening in.

Present: 11 - Tag Evers; Heather M. Driscoll; Lance E. Green; Jessica M. LeClair; Richard J. Pearson; Jesse J. Shields; Denise DeMarb; Jeannette E. LeZaks; Samuel J. Dunaiski; Sujata Gautam and James R. Alvin

**Excused:** 1 - Casey L. Hanson

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion by LeZaks, seconded by Green to Approve the Minutes of the April 2021 meeting.

The motion passed by voice vote/other.

### PUBLIC COMMENT

1. Public Comment

None.

#### DISCLOSURES AND RECUSALS

None

#### **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

2. New Member Introduction

The SMC welcomed new member James Alvin.

3. 2022 Budget (Referred from April Meeting)

Staff gave verbal presentation on the status of the Sustainability Improvements Fund for the 2022 Capital Budget currently in process.

4. Working Group Updates

Sustainability Plan Update - LeZaks and Ald. Evers gave a presentation on the update to the Affordable Housing Chapter. Next meeting will be on 6/10/2021 at 2:30 PM where the group will be reviewing the updates to the Transportation and Carbon & Energy chapters.

Zero Waste - Staff gave update on the work on the Resolution currently being worked on by the group as well as the awareness campaign through the NRDC grant. Next meeting will be on 6/9/2021 at 3:00 PM.

Environmental Justice - Driscoll and Shields gave an update on strategies for next steps for the group including the development of a 1-pager for stakeholder and organization outreach. Next meeting will be on 6/17/2021 at 3:00 PM.

5. Letter Regarding PFAS

Deputy Mayor Baumel gave a summary of the Mayor's Response to the Letter Regarding PFAS and was available to answer any questions.

#### 6. Co-Chair Nomination & Vote

Green nominated Driscoll, Driscoll declined the nomination.

Dunaiski nominated himself. Dunaiski shared a summary platform.

The motion to approve Dunaiski as Co-Chair passed via voice vote/other.

#### 7. Revisit Workplan & Goals

Chair LeClair briefly shared that the Co-Chairs were working on process going forward to track and update the goals of the SMC.

### ADJOURNMENT

Motion by LeZaks, seconded by Ald. Evers to Adjourn.

The motion passed by voice vote/other.

The meeting adjourned at 6:32 PM.