



MINUTES
June 27, 2024
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CITY COUNCIL
LAW & REGULATION COMMITTEE
9:00 A.M.
Council Chambers
311 Vernon Street
Roseville, California
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1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Tracy Mendonsa called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present: Bernasconi, Mendonsa

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Assistant City Clerk Helen Dreyer lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comment received.

5. MINUTES

5.1. Minutes of Prior Meeting

Memo from City Clerk Technician Blair Hutchison and City Clerk Carmen Avalos recommending the City Council Law & Regulation Committee members approve the minutes of the May 23, 2024 Law & Regulation Committee meeting.

CC #: 3423

File #: 0103-34-01

CONTACT: Blair Hutchison 916-774-5266 bmhutchison@roseville.ca.us

No public comment received.

Committee consensus to approve the minutes of the May 23, 2024 Law & Regulation Committee meeting.

6. REPORTS/COMMENTS/COMMITTEE/STAFF

6.1. State & Federal Priority Legislation – June 2024

Memo from Government Relations Administrator Mark Wolinski and Deputy City Manager Megan Scheid with a report that includes an overview of newly introduced legislation being tracked for City departments with areas of particular focus on public safety, building, housing, broadband, divestment, ethics training, and at the federal level the appropriations process.

CC #: 3424

File #: 0103-32-02

CONTACT: Mark Wolinski 916-774-5179 mwolinski@roseville.ca.us

Government Relations Administrator Mark Wolinski introduced Public Information Officer Rob Baquera.

Program Manager Rob Baquera made the presentation to the Committee.

State Initiative and Public Safety

Initiative 23-0017A1 – “California Increase Drug and Theft Penalties and Reduce Homelessness Initiative.”

Initiative 21-0042 - "The Taxpayer Protection and Government Accountability Act."

Police

AB 1990 (Carrillo) Criminal procedure: arrests: shoplifting (Support)

AB 1779 (Irwin) Theft: Jurisdiction (Support)

Fire and Building

Fire - AB 1168 (Bennett) Emergency Medical Services (EMS): Prehospital EMS (Support)

Building - AB 2433 (Quirk-Silva) California Private Permitting Review and Inspection Act: fees: building permits (Oppose Unless Amend)

Government Relations Administrator Mark Wolinski continued the presentation.

Housing

AB 1657 (Wicks) The Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2024 (Watch)

SB 1037 (Wiener) Planning and Zoning: Housing Element: Enforcement (Oppose)

Broadband and Divestment

AB 2708 (Patterson, Jim) Office of Broadband and Digital Literacy: Reports. (Support)

SB 252 (Gonzalez) Public Retirement Systems: Fossil Fuels: Divestment (Oppose)

Ethics and Campaign Contributions

AB 2631 (M. Fong) Local Agencies: Ethics Training (Support)

AB 2911 (McKinnor) Campaign Contributions: Agency Officers (Support)

Federal - Appropriations Process and Earmarks

Federal Appropriations

The FY 2025 appropriations season is underway with half of the House's dozen annual spending measures having moved through their respective subcommittees. The House recently advanced its annual Military Construction measure largely along party lines. However, the package, which includes many controversial riders is almost certainly dead-on arrival in the Senate.

The Homeland Security, State-Foreign Operations, Defense and Financial Services spending bills also made it through the subcommittee step recently. After taking a week off in late June, House lawmakers are hopeful they'll be able to pass their dozen annual spending measures before the August recess.

City Projects - Earmarks Requests

The public works department submitted The Highway 65 Bike/Pedestrian Overcrossing Project (\$6.6 M), for the design and environmental work for a project that would provide a pedestrian and bike overcrossing of Highway 65.

The parks recreation and libraries, information technology, and public works departments submitted The Adventure Club Broadband Project (\$2.8 M) to provide improvements and upgrades to the internet service and related technology to Roseville's Adventure Clubs for congressional consideration as well.

No public comment received.

For information only. No action taken.

6.2. Electric Department Priority Legislation - June 2024

Memo from Utility Government Relations Administrator Amber Blixt and Electric Utility Director Daniel Beans with an overview of energy-related legislation and other activities that staff has been monitoring.

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File #: 0103-32-02

CONTACT: Amber Blixt 916-774-5693 aablixt@roseville.ca.us

Utility Government Relations Administrator Amber Blixt made the presentation to the Committee.

Trailer Bill

CEC Surcharge Cap Increase - Watch

State Legislation

AB 2815 (Petrie-Norris) - Watch

AB 1834 (Garcia) - Watch

AB 2037 (Papan) - Watch

SB 1420 (Caballero) – Watch

State Regulatory

CARB Cap-and-Trade

- Standardized Regulatory Impact Assessment (SRIA) released April 9
- SRIA identifies potential amendments to Cap-and-Trade program
- Key issues include:
 - Allowance Allocation
 - Consignment
 - Allowance Value Uses
- Worked with trade associations to submit comments on CARB workshop with goal of minimizing impacts/changes to POUs

State Budget

Energy Impacts

- Legislature must pass budget by June 15
- Budget negotiations through end of session (8/31); budget trailer bills open
- Budget shortfall may impact energy in the following areas:
 - Clean Hydrogen Grant Funding Opportunities
 - Shift in funding from Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund (GGRF)
 - Department of Finance proposed reductions in energy programs:
 - o Long Duration Storage
 - o ZEV Fueling Infrastructure Grant Programs
 - o Demand Side Grid Support Program
 - o Distributed Electricity Backup Assets Program (DEBA) Program

No public comment received.

For information only. No action taken.

6.3. Environmental Utilities Priority Legislation - June 2024

Memo from Utility Government Relations Administrator Noelle Mattock and Environmental Utilities Director Richard Plecker with an informational report on state activities that staff have been engaged in and legislation that staff has identified as potentially having a significant impact on City utility customers and the Environmental Utilities Department.

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CONTACT: Noelle Mattock 916-774-5504 ncmattock@roseville.ca.us

Utility Government Relations Administrator Noelle Mattock made the presentation to the Committee.

Connection Fees and Capacity Charges

SB 937 (Weiner) Development projects: permits and other entitlements: fees and charges (Watch)

SB 1210 (Skinner) New housing construction: electrical, gas, sewer, and water service connections: charges (Watch)

Proposition 218 Procedures

AB 2257 (Wilson) Local government: property-related water and sewer fees and assessments: remedies (Support)

Low Income Rate Assistance Program (LIRA)

SB 1255 (Durazo) Public Water Systems: Needs Analysis: Water Rate Assistance Program (Oppose Unless Amended)

Extended Producer Responsibility

SB 1143 (Allen) Household hazardous waste: producer responsibility (Support)

Per and Polyfluoroalkyl (PFAS) Substances

SB 903 (Skinner) Environmental health: product safety: perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (Support)

Making Conservation a California Way of Life

On March 12, 2024, the State Water Resources Control Board (Water Board) released a second draft of the Making Conservation a California Way of Life regulation. Some of the key modifications to the regulations include:

Delayed enforcement and compliance deadlines until 2027.

Inclusion of a 20% 'buffer' to account for data inaccuracies and limitations of using 'moment in time' aerial imaging to capture irrigated landscapes.

Inclusion of residential pools as "special landscape areas" and recycled water irrigated landscapes with a Landscape Efficiency Factor of 1.0.

Federal Funding Request

Joint Roseville and Placer County Water Agency: Raw Water Conveyance Project.

- Requested \$3 million
- Execute Project Partnership Agreement with U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- Prepare Letter Report
- Begin increment 1 of Phase 1

No public comment received.

For information only. No action taken.

7. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Mendonsa adjourned the meeting at 9:51 a.m.