



Meeting Minutes

Land Use & Environment Committee

City Hall
601 4th Avenue E
Olympia, WA 98501

Information: 360.753.8244

Thursday, July 18, 2024

4:00 PM

Online and Via Phone

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Madrone called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present: 3 - Chair Dani Madrone, Committee member Jim Cooper and Committee member Robert Vanderpool

2.A OTHERS PRESENT

City Manager Jay Burney
Community Planning and Development Interim Director Tim Smith
Community Planning and Development Associate Planner Casey Schaufler

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved.

4. PUBLIC COMMENT - None

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

5.A [24-0608](#) Approval of June 20, 2024 Land Use & Environment Committee Meeting Minutes

The minutes were approved.

6. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

6.A [24-0583](#) Development Code Updates to Support Urban Agriculture Briefing

Mr. Smith provided background and a briefing on the City's urban agriculture development code update. The Committee discussed potential amendments to Title 18 to encourage small-scale growing and harvesting of food. The Committee referred a draft ordinance to the Olympia Planning Commission for discussion and recommendation to the City Council.

The discussion was completed.

7. REPORTS AND UPDATES

Committee members discussed the agenda for the upcoming August 15 meeting. An Affordable Housing emergency ordinance was added to the agenda.

8. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.