

**Sherman Oaks  
Neighborhood Council**

**Green and Sustainability  
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## Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council

### Green and Sustainability Committee Meeting (Virtual) Agenda

Wed Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> 2021 8:00 pm

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- I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL**
  - a. Call to Order by Chair Avo
  - b. Roll Call
- II. ADMINISTRATIVE MOTIONS**

- a. Approval of the Minutes of Sept Green Committee Meeting.

**III. COMMENTS BY PUBLIC OFFICIALS**

**IV. CHAIR'S REPORT:**

**V. PRESENTATION:**

- a. **Katherine Pakradouni: CD4 rep for CFAC: Discussion about Tree Inventory, Tree keeper 8 Program and Urban Forestry**

**VI. MOTIONS:**

- a. To have the Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council oppose Director of Planning Vincent Bertoni's March 30, 2021, Mulholland Scenic Parkway Specific Plan Implementation Guidance Memorandum. And to write a CIS.
- b. To Support, Building Energy Decarbonization: City Council File: 21-1039
  - i. Municipal Solar and Storage Program / Zero Carbon Energy / LA Sustainability Plan / Net Energy Metered / Resiliency Generation Systems / Grid Connected Systems.  
<https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=21-1039>

**VII. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS**

**VIII. Green COMMITTEE BUSINESS**

- a. **Sustainable Garden: Planning for Zoom presentation. Update on Video Tours**
- b. **Electric Leaf Blowers: Discussion on new Ca law banning gas power landscaping equipment**
- c. **Welcome to Sherman Oaks Sign**
- d. **Sidewalk Tree issues: David-List of trees in need of removal and replacement**

**IX. NEW BUSINESS: Committee members and members of the public may bring up new business they would like the committee to consider to add on future Agenda**

**X. ADJOURNMENT**

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