# **City of Gainesville**

City Hall 200 East University Avenue Gainesville, Florida 32601



# **Meeting Agenda**

August 3, 2021

2:00 PM

**City Hall Auditorium** 

# **Zero Waste Subcommittee**

Commissioner Adrian Hayes-Santos (Chair) Commissioner Reina Saco (Vice-Chair) Commissioner Harvey Ward (Member) Commissioner David Arreola (Member)

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#### CALL TO ORDER

**ROLL CALL** 

#### ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

210232. Approval of Minutes from the July 20, 2021 Zero Waste Subcommittee

Meeting (B)

RECOMMENDATION The Zero Waste Subcommittee approve the July

20, 2021 minutes.

210232 DRAFT Minutes 072021 Zero Waste 20210803

### **DISCUSSION OF PENDING REFERRALS**

210129. **Solid Waste Ordinance Updates (B)** 

Explanation: On July 21, 2021, the Zero Waste Subcommittee received a presentation

from Community Builders on proposed changes to the Solid Waste Ordinance.

Subcommittee members will provide input to Community Builders on the

proposed changes at this meeting.

Strategic Connection

This item is connected to Goal 2: Sustainable Community a normal

priority.

Fiscal Note: There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

RECOMMENDATION The Zero Waste Subcommittee will provide input on

the proposed ordinance changes.

210129A Subcommittee Ordinance Update Presentation 20210720

210129B Draft -SW Ordinance Updates 20210720

210129C Comm Hayes-Santos Zero Waste Ordinance Recommended Clarific

Food Waste Pilot Update (B) 200387.

> Explanation: The City was awarded a grant from the United States Department of Agriculture Community Compost and Food Waste Reduction Project.

The USDA grant is, in part, to determine the fiscal viability of using community composters to collect food waste curbside.

The USDA grant and Pilot food waste project was awarded in the amount of \$68,000. The Grantor will reimburse up to 75% of the expended amount (up to \$51,000.) Matching funds are identified in the Solid Waste Undesignated Fund Balance.

Community Builders will provide an update on the project six months into collection operations.

Fiscal Note: There is no fiscal impact associated with this update.

RECOMMENDATION The Zero Waste Subcommittee: 1) hear a

presentation; and 2) provide comments to

Community Builders.

200387A Sub Committee Food Waste Beaten Path 20201013

200387 Sub Committee Update on Food Waste Pilot 20210803

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

### MEMBER COMMENT

NEXT MEETING DATE - August 17, 2021 at 2:00 p.m.

# **ADJOURNMENT**