



Sustainability Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 17, 2023

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

The meeting was called to order at 5:04 p.m. and Sustainability Advisory Board (SAB) members present were Vicki Hawse, Angela Hawse, Joyce Huang, Dave Jones and JT Thomas. Dana Ivers, and Ken Mihelich arrived shortly after roll call. Also present were Terry Schuyler, Debra Overton and Preston Neill.

2. Update from Kim Wheels re: Energy Code Board

Kim stated the Colorado Energy Code Board is working on the language for the new code and they will be voting on the baseline energy code requirements by the end of March. There was discussion on when the Town would adopt the new energy code and update the existing IECC code from 2018 to 2021. It was agreed that Town would try and have the updates done by the fall of 2023. The Board requested information on the differences between the 2018 and 2021 IECC.

3. Discussion re: HB22-1355 Producers Responsibility Program for Recycling

Preston gave a brief summary of the House Bill and the timeline associated with implementation of the program.

4. Discussion re: MT2030 Solutions Project

After a brief discussion, it was decided that the following recommendation from the SAB be presented to the Town Council: The SAB recommends that the Town join MT2030 Solutions Project either as an individual local government or as a member of the region. Kim Wheels is waiting to hear back from a MT2030 rep on whether our region (i.e., Ouray County) can join or if each jurisdiction needs to join individually.

5. Discussion re: Enhancing education on regional sustainability/climate action efforts

It was agreed that this item did not warrant a large discussion as education is a component of all items.

6. Approval of minutes from December 7, 2022, meeting

Dana Ivers made a motion to approve the minutes from the December 7, 2022 SAB meeting. Vicki Hawse seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously by members present. Angela was absent as she left the meeting at 7:01 p.m.

7. Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the SAB, the meeting was adjourned. The time was 7:04 p.m.