

MINUTES

Eugene City Council
Saul Room - Atrium
99 West 10th Avenue—Eugene, Oregon

September 17, 2015
5:30 p.m.

COUNCILORS PRESENT: George Poling, George Brown, Betty Taylor, Claire Syrett, Chris Pryor, Alan Zelenka

COUNCILORS ABSENT: Mike Clark, Greg Evans

Council President Claire Syrett called the September, 2015, session of the Eugene City Council to order.

A. BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS INTERVIEWS

The council interviewed Eric Jones, Zach Mulholland, Mike (Jon) Brinkley, Thomas Pettus-Czar, Jennifer Reesor, and Todd Miller for vacancies on the Sustainability Commission. Each candidate was asked the following questions:

- 1. What prompted you to apply for the Sustainability Commission? Based on what you know about the role of the commission, what skills, knowledge and community connections could you bring to help the commission be successful?*
- 2. What are some of the most promising opportunities to advance sustainability in Eugene? How would you suggest the commission work with city council to take action?*
- 3. The commission is asked to advise the council on a policy that has the potential to provide significant “green” results (e.g. energy efficiency, natural resource protection, etc.) but appears to have negative impacts to social equity in the community. How would you reconcile these impacts? What priorities should guide the commission’s position?*

Councilor Syrett adjourned the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Chuck Crockett
City Recorder