



**City of Santa Barbara**  
**SEA LEVEL RISE ADAPTATION PLAN**  
**SUBCOMMITTEE**  
**MINUTES**  
**SEPTEMBER 25, 2018**

9:00 A.M.  
City Hall, Room 15  
735 Anacapa Street  
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**COMMISSION MEMBERS:**

Eric Friedman, City Council  
Jason Dominguez, City Council  
Kristen Sneddon, City Council  
Deborah Schwartz, Planning Commission  
Lesley Wiscomb, Planning Commission  
Dave Davis, Water Commission  
Beebe Longstreet, Parks & Recreation Commission  
Jim Sloan, Harbor Commission  
Betsy Cramer, Harbor Commission

**ALTERNATE MEMBERS:**

Nichol Clark, Parks & Recreation Commission

**STAFF:**

Melissa Hetrick, Project Planner  
Timmy Bolton, Associate Planner  
Kaitlin Mamulski, Planning Technician II

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**CALL TO ORDER**

Ms. Hetrick opened the meeting at 9:03 a.m.

**I. ROLL CALL**

Eric Friedman, Jason Dominguez, Kristen Sneddon, Deborah Schwartz, Lesley Wiscomb, Dave Davis, Beebe Longstreet, and Betsy Cramer

Absent: Jim Sloan

**PLANNING DIVISION STAFF PRESENT**

Dan Gullett, Principal Planner  
Melissa Hetrick, Project Planner  
Jessica Metzger, Project Planner  
Timmy Bolton, Associate Planner  
Kaitlin Mamulski, Planning Technician II

**II. PRELIMINARY MATTERS**

**A. Announcements**

Ms. Hetrick announced the following:

1. Dan Gullett, Principal Planner, long-range planning, was introduced.
2. Jessica Metzger, Project Planner, long-range planning, was introduced.

**B. Agenda review**

Agenda reviewed



C. **Comments from members of the public pertaining to items on the agenda or on any subject within the jurisdiction of the subcommittee**

No public comment.

III. **AGENDA ITEMS**

**TIME: 9:10 A.M.**

A. **Discussion Topic**

**1. Brief follow up on public website, public workshop, and community engagement.**

Ms. Hetrick, Project Planner, provided a brief follow up regarding the public content for the Sea Level Rise website. Subcommittee recommended all content of the subcommittee's website be open to public. Ms. Hetrick also explained that staff does not believe that City staff have the resources to record all of the subcommittee meetings, however, members of the public are welcome to record any given meeting.

Discussion held regarding the website, recordation of minutes, and providing the meeting materials (presentations) on the website.

**TIME: 9:17 A.M.**

B. **Consultant Presentation**

**1. Finding of the Draft Sea Level Rise Vulnerability Assessment, including assets impacted and preliminary economic and fiscal impacts analysis.**

Ms. Hetrick, Project Planner, introduced the consultant team and provided a brief synopsis of what today's presentation will cover. Ms. Hetrick explained that the information is preliminary, the modeling is complex and looking at facilities, numbers may vary in this presentation from the report.

Bob Battalio, Chief Engineer, VP, Environmental Science Associates (ESA) and Aaron McGregor, Senior Associate, Sustainable Economic Practice, AECOM, gave the consultant presentation.

Discussion held regarding hazard modelling, coastal processes, sea level rise projections, potential impacts, assets impacted, parcels impacted, assumptions in the economic analysis, major public infrastructure affected, scope of future analysis, and public outreach on the impacts of sea level rise.

IV. **ADJOURNMENT**

Ms. Hetrick adjourned the meeting at 11:10 a.m.