

The meeting of the Environment and Climate Committee (ECC) Home Energy Score Subgroup was called to order at 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 22, 2022, online and by phone.

**Roll Call:** Kavi Chokshi, Kersey Goodwin, Neil Baunsgard (optional), Serena Dietrich, Peter Grube

### **1. Approval of the January 5, 2022 Minutes**

Member Dietrich moved to approve the January 5, 2022 minutes. Member Grube seconded the minutes, the minutes passed (3-0) (Member Chokshi abstained).

### **2. Individual Committee Member Input**

Member Chokshi recommended determining what the objectives are so that the recommendations fulfill those objectives. Members supported determining the objectives before moving onto the recommendations.

Member Chokshi recommended using the following as the objectives of the Home Energy Score:

- Home Energy Score being apart of the Citywide Climate Action Plan (CCAP) because it contributes directly to the CCAP goal of reducing carbon emissions – homebuyers and seller’s incentives
- The transparency of having access to information that has value for homebuyers

Members are supportive of the two objectives.

### **3. Discussion and Recommendation Development**

Members are supportive of recommending a mandatory Home Energy Score program to the full ECC and City Council.

### **4. March 10, 2022 Meeting Preparation**

Members discussed the following main talking points for the March 10, 2022 ECC meeting:

- Break into two parts – reasons for moving forward with the program and addressing the concerns

- Start presentation with the Home Energy Score objectives – reason why the subgroup is in alignment with moving the program forward
- Outline concerns – a lot of the concerns can be remedied with education and time
- Do not get pulled into the political language that has been thrown out – concentrate to why the group feels the program will work
- Present something visual – a summary or presentation slides to help looking over the information
- Show templates and information from other cities that have a Home Energy Score Program

Member Dietrich left the meeting around 1:00 p.m.

**5. Adjourned at 1:01 p.m.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Kayla M. Duddy  
Deputy City Recorder