



Environmental Services Commission

Minutes

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Central Wastewater Treatment Plant: 2201 Portland Ave E, Tacoma, WA

NOTE: LOCATION CHANGE

June 8, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m.

Commission Members Present: Jaimie Gomez-Beltran, Mindi Keller, Karen Dinicola, Erich Sachs, Matthew Benedict, and Jeff Paradise.

Commission Members Absent: Bruce Martin, Chad Sutter, Rachael Laitila, Grant Middleton, Marty Campbell, *Richard Doenges, and *Esther Beaumier.

Public Comment

The public comment period is reserved for items on the current agenda only. Comments will be limited to the amount of time announced by the chair, presiding officer, or staff liaison, no more than five minutes per person per meeting.

No Public Comment was received.

Overview of the Central and North End Treatment Plants and Wastewater Operations

Hugh Messer, Operations & Maintenance Division Manager, provided information on the City's wastewater system, including the number of residential and commercial customers, the number of facilities and pipe, and the flow capacities of the Central and North End treatment plants. He reviewed a map of the service area and a map of the treatment process at Central Treatment Plant (CTP). He concluded with an overview of the Wastewater Utility Team, which includes the Budget & Rates team, Engineering, Business Operations, and Operation & Maintenance Division. Cassandra Moore, Environmental Compliance, discussed the work her team does, including Pretreatment, Inspections, focused programs, and incident intake.

Commissioners were lead through a series of stations where staff showcased various aspects of sewer utility operations.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.