



MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE

Langley City Hall – CKF Room
20399 Douglas Crescent, Langley, BC

THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2026 AT 6:04 P.M.

Present: Councillor Paul Albrecht, Chair
Councillor Rosemary Wallace, Vice Chair
Amika Watari, Youth Representative
Ellen Hall, Senior Representative
Lisa Dreves, Langley Field Naturalists
Mallory Palliyaguru, Member at Large
Nichole Marples, Langley Environmental Partners Society
Rainer Fehrenbacher, Member at Large
Thiago Larangeira, Member at Large

Staff: Natasha Loewen, Clerk, Engineering, Parks & Environment

Absent: Owen MacGregor, Post-secondary Institution Rep, with regrets
Steffanie Warriner, Director, Engineering, Parks & Environment, with regrets
Perry Browne, Environmental Sustainability Coordinator, with regrets

The Chair acknowledged that the land on which we gather is the traditional unceded territory of the Katzie, Kwantlen, Matsqui and Semiahmoo First Nations.

1. AGENDA

It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the June 11, 2026 Agenda for the Environmental Sustainability Committee be adopted.

CARRIED

2. MINUTES

It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the May 14, 2026 Minutes of the Environmental Sustainability Committee meeting be adopted.

CARRIED

3. DISCUSSION

1. Walking the Roadmap Exercise
 - 1.1. Dena Kae Beno, Manager of Strategic Initiatives & Social Planning, City of Langley, presented a PDF to the committee on Langley City's Community Safety and Well-Being Policy Framework: Walking the Roadmap. Committee member Rainer Fehrenbacher joined the meeting at 6:17pm.
 - 1.2. The Committee discussed applicable framework items including food systems, skill sharing, prevention, education, and solution labs.
2. Urban Green Corridors Initiatives
 - 2.1. Committee member Thiago Larangeira presented a report on Urban Green Corridors Initiatives.
 - 2.2. There was unanimous consent to refer the initiative to staff for feedback and to assess alignment with City initiatives and implementation plans.
3. Strategic Sustainability Alignment Framework
 - 3.1. Committee member Thiago Larangeira presented a report on proposed Strategic Sustainability Alignment Framework.
 - 3.2. The Committee discussed aligning initiatives and key performance indicators with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals to support grant opportunities and consistent communication.

It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the ESC recommends for the City to strategically align, measure, communicate, and strengthen existing municipal initiatives within the UN SDG's.

CARRIED

Committee member Mallory Palliyaguru exited the meeting at 8:00pm

4. STANDING ITEMS

1. Work Plan
 - 1.1. The Bee Friendly City Certification has moved from a potential item to an action item on the 2026 Committee Work Plan.

5. ROUND TABLE

1. Members highlighted upcoming events.

6. ADJOURNMENT

It was MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the meeting adjourn at 8:09 pm.

CARRIED

CHAIR

Certified Correct:

Environmental & Sustainability Coord.