

**CITY OF ALBANY
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA
STAFF REPORT**

Agenda Date: April 5, 2010
Reviewed by: BP

SUBJECT: Reconsideration of adoption of Resolution No. 2010-09 adopting the City of Albany Climate Action Plan

REPORT BY: Beth Pollard, City Administrator

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

- 1) That Council reconsider adoption Resolution No. 2010-9 adopting the Albany Climate Action Plan. This matter is being brought to Council due to the possible conflict of interest of a Councilmember concerning amendment language regarding height limits on San Pablo Avenue.

- 2) Rescind Resolution No. 2010-9, and adopt Resolution No. 2010-15 adopting the Albany Climate Action Plan, and reconsider the following language previously added as an amendment: "Delete reference to wind turbine and add language to maintain current height requirements on San Pablo Avenue."

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

At the meeting of March 15, 2010, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 2010-9 adopting the City of Albany Climate Action Plan. The motion to adopt included the amendment to add language to maintain current height requirements on San Pablo Avenue.

Due to the possible conflict of interest of a councilmember with respect to the San Pablo Avenue height limit language, the matter is being returned to Council for reconsideration.

In reconsidering adoption of Resolution No. 2010-9, the Councilmembers voting on the matter can choose to retain, delete, or amend the language with respect to maintaining height limits on San Pablo Avenue. Staff recommends that in adoption of the resolution, Council include the language to delete reference to wind turbines in the Climate Action Plan. In reconsidering the adoption, staff recommends Council rescind Resolution No. 10-9, and adopt a new resolution adopting the Climate Action Plan.

No reconsideration is needed for the City Council adoption of Resolution No. 2010-10 adopting the Initial Study-Mitigated Negative Declaration for the City of Albany Climate Action Plan, which was also approved on March 15, 2010.

SUSTAINABILITY IMPACT

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT

None

Attachments

Resolution No. 2010-10

Resolution No. 2010-9