

Stockton AB 617 CSC Meeting- Chat Transcript September 4, 2024 5:00- 7:00p.m

00:45:17 Nate Knodt - Stockton - Resident: I am still using my old and reliable corded electric lawnmower and lawn trimmer/weedeater!

00:45:59 Amy Ramos, PhD | H+Co: Reacted to "I am still using my ..." with 🍷

00:47:10 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Reacted to "I am still using my ..." with ❤️

00:47:44 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Entirely coincidentally, my brother-in-law just gave me his electric mower and edge trimmer! Excited to try 'em out this weekend

00:48:22 Cassandra Melching - AD: Reacted to "Entirely coincidenta..." with ❤️

00:48:36 Cassandra Melching - AD: Reacted to "I am still using my ..." with ❤️

00:49:31 CSC- Ector Olivares, Catholic Charities of Stockton: Stihl brand lawn mowers that were given away are a fantastic brand. They make excellent products

00:49:44 Heather Heinks: Glad to hear it Ector!

00:56:03 R- Bobby Gomez & Jazmarie LaTour: To clarify, the funding would come from the locomotive measure?

00:56:08 R- Bobby Gomez & Jazmarie LaTour: -Jazzy

00:56:14 Stephanie Ng - Valley Air District: Replying to "-Jazzy"

yes!

00:56:24 R- Bobby Gomez & Jazmarie LaTour: Reacted to "yes!" with 🍷

01:01:22 Nate Knodt - Stockton - Resident: I believe that CCT is jointly owned and operated by Union Pacific & BNSF. Lot of moving parts for government incentives and tax issues.

01:03:16 Nate Knodt - Stockton - Resident: \$200,000 for mowers will provide an immediate impact to emission reductions in Stockton.

01:13:21 Nate Knodt - Stockton - Resident: I bring up Stockton Tree Canopy and its huge benefits nearly every time I talk with a City of Stockton official and Council Member as well as SJC Officials & Supervisors. It is in most of my public meeting comments.

01:23:49 R- Mary, Elizabeth: congratulations on the securing the equipment.

01:23:56 Stephanie Ng - Valley Air District: Reacted to "I bring up Stockton ..." with ❤️

01:23:59 Amy Ramos, PhD | H+Co: Reacted to "congratulations on t..." with 🍷

01:24:01 Stephanie Ng - Valley Air District: Reacted to "congratulations on t..." with 🍷

01:24:07 R- Mary, Elizabeth: Reacted to "congratulations on t..." with 🍷

01:24:52 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Reacted to "congratulations on t..." with 100

01:25:56 R-Margo Praus: How do you envision the Adopt a Highway program working?

01:27:38 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Cool to see some joint work going on that overlaps with/into TCC funds! At CARB we've been trying to keep an eye on what the Strategic Growth Council has been doing with TCC funds since there can be so much overlap.

01:41:51 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: For a bit of extra background context, trees are typically most vulnerable for the first 10 years after they've been planted, but after that point their root systems have strengthened enough that from that point on they are way less vulnerable.

01:42:11 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: That's, uh, my (very rudimentary) understanding of it, anyways. I'm definitely not an expert!

01:42:28 Nicolas Tamayo - P (Little Manila Rising): Replying to "That's, uh, my (very..."
You are spot on!

01:42:43 Heather Heinks - AD: Reacted to "That's, uh, my (very..." with 🍷

01:42:44 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Reacted to "You are spot on!" with ❤️

01:44:29 R-Margo Praus: can you make the font larger?

01:44:44 R - Provost, Deby, Reclamation District 828: Reacted to "can you make the fon..." with 👉

01:47:57 P: Brent Bucknum - LMR Collaborator (hyphae design): Replying to "That's, uh, my (very..."

I just wanted to add another note to Kyle's comment on the stewardship(maintenance) scope. I've worked with dozens of cities and community groups on tree planting. Little Manila wanting to take on maintenance for this amount of time is really unprecedented. Most community tree planting groups and grants only do 1-3 years of maintenance. Maintenance is one of the most important things to tree health, but it is also very underfunded by other state grants and city budgets.

01:48:00 Nate Knodt - Stockton - Resident: I believe that more than half, possibly two thirds, of trees planted at Legion Park in Stockton in January 2020 have died.

01:48:04 CSC- Ector Olivares, Catholic Charities of Stockton: LMR has the background, trust, and ability to do this work in the AB 617 area

01:49:38 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Reacted to "I just wanted to add..." with ❤️

02:04:03 R- Mary, Elizabeth: was that Puente?

02:06:10 Heather Heinks - AD: Replying to "was that Puente?"

I see an old facebook post inviting people to the planting January 2020 and yes, Puentes extended the invite

02:07:40 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: For a broader statewide perspective, for our incentives guidelines that we updated last April where we took the work SJV has done developing this project (and others in the other selected communities!) and spun it out into its own category of funding that other

air districts can use, that first 10 years of vulnerability, and making sure our guidance took that into account, was a big deal for us

02:08:08 Heather Heinks - AD: Reacted to "For a broader statew..." with 🍷

02:08:12 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Not necessarily relevant to what's going on here in Stockton, but I just wanted to point out we've tried to take those lessons to heart in translating this into something other folks statewide can replicate!

02:08:19 Nate Knodt - Stockton - Resident: Legion Park is located near Harding Way at Lincoln, Baker, South Tuxedo Drive and is a lake. The water enters from an inland waterway that comes from the west from the Delta and passes under Pershing Avenue. I believe that the drought, AND occasional serious flooding of Legion Park may have killed these trees. I believe that 24 were planted and about 10 have survived and seem to be growing well.

02:10:42 R- Mary, Elizabeth: Public announcement: Educational event to learn more about biomass and a proposed project coming to Stockton and is to be under environmental review soon:

9.16.2024: <https://1drv.ms/w/s!ArrHLCdqwtlig8UJLM8eB74y7B1i7A?e=UejPSL>

02:15:09 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Oh real quick, one update for CARB I wanted to share in chat at least, given its a thing coming up real quick -- we've got a joint Board/EJAC (that's the "Environmental Justice Advisory Committee") meeting scheduled on September 12 -- next Thursday -- that might be worth folks checking out. In particular I know that the Low Carbon Fuel Standard will be discussed -- I don't know the specifics, but I know some folks have been very interested in learning more about that program. The agenda has been posted, even, at <https://ww2.arb.ca.gov/ma091224>

02:15:38 Stephanie Ng - Valley Air District: Reacted to "Public announcement:..." with 🍷

02:15:40 CSC- Ector Olivares, Catholic Charities of Stockton: Having wood pellet storage at the Port of Stockton has the ability to reverse all of the work we are doing for the AB 617 community

02:15:44 Stephanie Ng - Valley Air District: Reacted to "Oh real quick, one u..." with 🍷

02:18:16 R- Bobby Gomez & Jazmarie LaTour: Reacted to "Public announcement:..." with 🍷

02:20:19 CSC Espe Vielma EJCW: Plus to add to Ector's comment: 2 Carbon Sequestration companies are vying for space in Stockton. Hydrogen company. Plus ARCHES coming into our area as well

02:20:28 Nate Knodt - Stockton - Resident: I believe that Valley Link is Lathrop to BART. But initially probably Diesel Multiple Unit Trains to begin service. Funding is now approved for Hydrogen Trains for ACE Rail from Merced to Sac in 2027,

02:20:34 R- Bobby Gomez & Jazmarie LaTour: Replying to "Public announcement:..."

See you there, just registered

02:21:05 Stephanie Ng - Valley Air District: thank you Deby and Ector!!!

02:21:07 R- Bobby Gomez & Jazmarie LaTour: Thank all!

02:21:15 Kyle Goff - CARB - he/him/his: Bye all!