

CITY OF OREM
NATURAL RESOURCES STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE
April 14, 2022

Place: Development Services Conference Room

At 5:00 p.m.: Mr. Hawkins called the meeting to order

Those present: Sarah Bateman, Hilary Hungerford, Quinn Mecham, Paul Dunn, and Darren Hawkins, Natural Resources Stewardship Committee members; Debby Lauret, City Council member Matthew Taylor, Long Range Planner.

Those excused: Rachel Garey, Minutes Secretary.

1. Determination of the 2022 Natural Resources Leadership Awards

Quinn Mecham nominated Tara Bishop to receive the award for individual work in conservation, including her professional work with the US Forest Service on drought and water change. She has also worked with schools and students, teaching localscape approaches, water recycling, and has personally implemented xeriscape on her property with a CUWCD Grant. She has been featured in the Salt Lake Tribune.

Motion: Quinn Mecham moved to approve an NRSC Stewardship Award to Tara Bishop. Those voting aye: Sarah Bateman, Hilary Hungerford, Paul Dunn, Quinn Mecham, and Darren Hawkins. The motion passed unanimously. with whole-hearted agreement from Council Member Lauret.

2. Water Tour of Orem - Quinn Mecham

Quinn Mecham proposed scheduling a tour of Orem Water Facilities with the Public Works department. The NRSC was favorable to that suggestion.

3. Annual Report to the City Council.

The NRSC annual report is scheduled for April 26. Darren Hawkins will present assisted by other committee members.

4. Earth Day Booth - Paul Dunn.

Assignments were made to prepare the NRSC for the "Kindness to Earth" event scheduled for April 22, 2022.

5. Social Media Update - Hilary Hungerford.

There was a discussion on ideas for upcoming posts.

6. Update on 2022 assignments from 2022 Natural Resources Stewardship Committee Retreat.

Sarah Bateman:

- Free Swap event Saturday, April 16, 8 - 2. 1313 E 800 N, Orem, UT.
- Growth and Prosperity Taskforce meeting next week.

Hilary Hungerford:

- First Annual Utah County Sustainability Summit, UVU - May 20. Networking event with a keynote speaker.

Approval of Minutes: Paul Dunn moved to approve the March 3, 2022 minutes. Sarah Bateman seconded the motion. Those voting aye: Sarah Bateman, Hilary Hungerford, Quinn Mecham, Paul Dunn and Darren Hawkins. The motion passed unanimously. ([Click here for recording](#))

Adjourn: Quinn Mecham moved to adjourn. Sarah Bateman seconded the motion. Those voting aye: Sarah Bateman, Hilary Hungerford, Paul Dunn, Quinn Mecham, and Darren Hawkins. The motion passed unanimously. ([Click here for recording](#))

Adjourned: 6:05 p.m.


Quinn Mecham, Chair

Approved: July 7, 2022