

Legislation Text

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Clean Energy Resolution

Action:

Adopt a non-binding Clean Energy Resolution.

Committee Chair:

Patsy Kinsey, Environment Committee

Staff Resource(s):

Rob Phocas, Economic Development

Explanation

- The Clean Energy Resolution is a non-binding resolution in which the City of Charlotte resolves that the city should commit to a goal of 100 percent clean energy for all energy sectors by 2050.
- Municipalities have adopted similar resolutions across the United States (for example, Atlanta, GA, Columbia, SC, Orlando, FL, and Hillsborough, NC).
- The FY2018-2019 Environment Focus Area Plan commits the City of Charlotte to "become a global leader in environmental sustainability, balancing economic growth with preserving natural resources."

Committee Discussion

- On Monday, November 13, 2017, the Environment Committee voted 2-2 (Kinsey and Ajmera in favor and Driggs and Fallon against; Mitchell was not present) on a motion to recommend that full Council adopt the resolution. Committee Chairperson Kinsey referred the resolution with no objection to full Council.

Attachment(s)

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