



CITY OF CHARLESTON WEST VIRGINIA



Council Member – AT-LARGE

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Environment and Recycling Committee, Chair
Parks and Recreation Committee

TO: Environment and Recycling Committee
FROM: John Kennedy Bailey, Chair
RE: Committee Meeting

A meeting of the Council Committee on Environment and Recycling will be held on Wednesday, January 22, 2020. The meeting will begin promptly at 5:30 PM in the AV Room, 3rd Floor of City Hall.

Agenda

PREVIOUS MINUTES

REPORT OF THE EFFECT OF RECENT RECYCLING CHANGES

DISCUSSION: HOW CITY ISSUES CITATIONS FOR REFUSE RELATED PROBLEMS

DISCUSSION: SETTING UP A VOLUNTEER "GREEN TEAM"

DISCUSSION OF RESOLUTION

1. Resolution No. 277-20 - Supporting costs-effective investments in renewable and efficient energy technologies

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Resolution No. 277-20 _____ :

Introduced in Council:

Adopted by Council:

Introduced by:
Becky Ceperley and John Kennedy Bailey

Referred to:
Environment & Recycling

Resolution No. _____ :

Whereas, the City of Charleston supports cost-effective investments in renewable and efficient energy technologies; and

Whereas, on-site Power Purchase Agreements would allow municipalities and other tax-exempt entities to acquire renewable energy cost effectively; and

Whereas, on-site Power Purchase Agreements are currently available in a majority of states, including Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Virginia; and

Whereas, on-site Power Purchase Agreements allow customers to lock in electricity rates and protect against utility rate increases; and

Whereas, on-site Power Purchase Agreements would expand job creation in West Virginia; and

Whereas, more than 180 major corporations have made corporate commitments to use 100% renewable energy; and

Whereas, Legislation is needed to authorize the use of on-site Power Purchase Agreements for renewable energy facilities in West Virginia; and

Whereas, Legislation authorizing on-site Power Purchase Agreements for renewable facilities would help municipalities lower costs and save money for taxpayers;

Now, therefore, be it Resolved by the Council of the City of Charleston, West Virginia:

That the City of Charleston supports legislation authorizing on-site Power Purchase Agreements for renewable energy facilities in West Virginia.