

Environmental Advisory Board

Minutes of October 28, 2026

Members Present:

- **In Person:** Carla Walker; Dave Schmitt; Douglas Walton; Kylie Johnson; Susan Sprigg
- **Virtual:** Andrew Musgrave; Briana Pocaigue Craig Mazzolini; Emmy Schroeder; Ericka Copeland; Michael Roman; Monica Perdomo; Nathan Alley; Nayana Shah; Sarah Kent; Van Sullivan; Yasmine Allen

Members Absent: Ashlee Young; Megan O'Keefe

Staff Present: Oliver Kroner, Ben Russ, Nikki Vandivort, Lauren Clark

Meeting: A meeting of the Environmental Advisory Board was held on October 28, 2026 at 3:00 PM at Centennial II Griesel Conference Room, 805 Central Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202.

Meeting Agenda:

- I. **Public Comment**
- II. **Call to Order at 3:05 PM**
- III. **Administrative Action***
 - Approval of September 30, 2026 – Meeting minutes
 - Motion passed
- IV. **Office of Environment & Sustainability Comments**
 - Energy Benchmarking updates
 - Aggregation pricing
 - Waymo Arrival
 - City budget timeline and OES priorities for budget
 - Board reappointments
- V. **Information/Updates**
 - Ohio Environmental Council Action Fund Post-Election Debrief
 - Solar on homes in historic districts
 - Midwest Data Center Forum webinar
 - Piketon natural gas power plant development
 - University of Cincinnati Robert D. Bullard presentation
 - Natural Resource Advisory Committee Clean Ohio Fund application review
 - Federal government loosening methane restrictions
 - Upholding Ohio's Air Nuisance rule
- VI. **Items for Vote***
 - None
- VII. **Open Discussion**
 - None
- VIII. **Presentations-**
 - **Storm Response & Extreme Precipitation Resilience** – Jennifer Richmond, Diana Christy, Metropolitan Sewer District
- IX. **Next Meeting**
 - Wednesday, November 18, 2026 at 3:00 PM
- X. **Adjournment at 4:32 PM**