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**City of Brookings**  
**Meeting Agenda**  
**Sustainability Council**

Brookings City & County  
Government Center  
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Wednesday, June 11, 2025

4:00 PM

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520 3rd St., Room 300

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**1. Call to Order**

**2. Approval of the Agenda**

**3. Approval of the Minutes**

**4. Open Forum**

a. At this time, any member of the public may request time on the agenda for an item not listed. Items are typically scheduled for the end of the meeting; however, very brief announcements or invitations will be allowed at this time.

**5. City Update**

**6. Update Bylaws**

**7. Update: Garden Discovery Festival**

**8. Update: Food Forest Mulch Party & Fence**

**9. Pollinator Day at Brookings Farmers Market - July 19th**

**10. Eastern SD Soil & Water Research Farm Annual Field Day - July 9th**

**11. Follow ups from last meeting**

**12. Updates/Reports from Subcommittees**

a. Education & Outreach

- b. Climate (Biodiversity)
- c. Waste
- d. Energy
- e. Local Foods

### **13. Updates from Liaisons**

- a. Parks and Recreation Board
- b. Planning Commission
- c. Historic Preservation - VACANT
- d. Local Emergency Planning Commission
- e. BATA - VACANT

### **14. Continuing Items**

- a. SDSU Student Project Ideas
- b. Mayor's Awards Planning
- c. Downtown Brookings Brainstorming

### **15. Call for Future Agenda Items**

### **16. Adjourn**

*Sustainability Council Members: Alicia Haich, Connor Evers, Kyle Jamison, Louis Hesler, Albert Patin, Anthony Shanks, Robin Buterbaugh, Emily Abele, Kiley Rath, and SDSU Student Representative Madalynn Graham. City Staff: Samantha Beckman, Assistant to the City Manager.*

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