DATE: December 23, 2020  
TO: Honorable Members of the Environment Committee  
FROM: Councilmember Sean Elo-Rivera, Chair, Environment Committee  
SUBJECT: 2021 Environment Committee Priorities

This memorandum serves as a call to each Councilmember who serves on the Environment Committee of the San Diego City Council to submit a list of committee priorities to contribute to the development of the annual Environment Committee Work Plan. Please submit a list of priorities no later than January 4, 2021 so that my office will have time to review. You may send your memorandum or submit any questions to my office through e-mail at SeanEloRivera@sandiego.gov.

The City of San Diego will enter 2021 with critical decisions to be made on issues of local and global importance: addressing our climate emergency, improving our stormwater and drainage infrastructure, developing utility Franchise Agreements that serve the public’s interest, managing waste hauling & recycling operations, and ending environmental racism so we can achieve environmental justice.

While this memo serves to solicit input directly from Committee members, it is critically important that we gather input directly from community members during this process. With this in mind, we have created an online survey for you to share with constituents and stakeholders. The survey can be accessed via this link: https://sandiegodistrict9.typeform.com/to/IkAbnRNJ.

My office will be working diligently over the next few weeks to be as available and transparent as possible as we incorporate public comment from across the City into the development of the 2021 Environment Committee Work Plan. District 9 is excited to work with each of you to represent this City on behalf of and with its people.

cc: Andrea Tevlin, Independent Budget Analyst