



Berkeley Energy Commission

BERKELEY ENERGY COMMISSION  
MINUTES  
Special Meeting  
April 11, 2002

1 Call to Order and Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Ode at 12:05 PM.

Present: Bachrach, Deumling, Kurzweil, Ode, Packard

Absent: Williamson, Winkel

Staff: Neal De Snoo, Alice LaPierre

Guests: None

2 Determination of Winners for the Berkeley Unplugged Program

The Commission reviewed the entries for the "Berkeley Unplugged" energy contest and determined the winners for each category. Winners are as follows:

- Greatest Percentage of Energy Reduction from Last Year: Leni Siegel
- Lowest Overall Kilowatt Usage : Ghaouar Camij Toshian
- Most Creative Energy Reduction Strategies: Kimiko Brewer

Significant Creative Measures for Energy Reduction:

- Iris Cavanaugh, for cooking and serving dinners by candlelight
- Susan Fischer, for getting rid of portable phone and using a regular corded phone
- Ellen Warburton, for using mirrors to amplify lighting
- Alice Green, for using the smallest refrigerator possible
- Kurt Abrams, for eliminating wasteful appliances in his home
- Edward Bent, for rotating ice packs from freezer to refrigerator to keep things cold
- Andrea Mach, for using mylar as both a reflective wallpaper and a radiant heat barrier, saving both electricity and gas.

Selected for KPFA Radio interviews:

- Iris Cavagnaro
- Susan Fisher
- Leni Siegel

Motion to accept selections made by DB; seconded by RD; carried by SO. Motion was passed unanimously by Commission, 4-0-1 (JK absent).

3. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 1:14 PM (MSC: DB, RD, 4-0-1, JK absent).