

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY Appendix A - Commission Recommendation Status Matrix

	COMMISSION RECOMMENDATIONS	Agency	Status	Budget Request	Advocacy & Education Needed	Priority
Green Building						
1	Mandate, along with the certification, that buildings be recommissioned after 5 years	OES DILP	Incentives for recommissioning, but not mandated	NA Legislative item that must be addressed first in work program		
2	Provide for use of “new green technologies” that may be implemented within a project through a “waiver” process so that technology can be “proved” for future use.	DPZ DPW DILP	Waiver process exists and is available. Tested on a case-by-case basis. Potential requests for waivers to implement green site solutions and technologies are discussed between DPZ, DPW and applicants.		Advocate for use of green technologies, use of waivers to implement projects and support revisions to regulations for proven materials.	
3	As part of the next General Plan, create a public outreach and communication program that promulgates the benefits of compact, mixed use, pedestrian-oriented development.	DPZ	Next General Plan process expected to begin in 2010, with extensive citizen participation component. DPZ speaker series on development issues began 9/3/08. General Plan 2000 Monitoring Report in 2009 will include public review.	OB: Funding for GP outreach and education and speaker series	Ensure that the General Plan balances density with environmental considerations.	