



## Legislation Text

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**File #:** 20-0115, **Version:** 1

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**Agenda Item Name:**

Rights of Nature Workshop

**Presenter:**

Thomas Linzey, Esq., Senior Legal Counsel

**Description:**

Per Board direction, Mr. Linzey has been invited to come and present on the rights of nature.

**Recommended Action:**

Hear presentation on the rights of nature.

**Prior Board Motions:**

Thomas Linzey

Chair Hutchinson stated that there is a request from Thomas Linzey to give presentation regarding the rights of nature concept.

Commissioner Cornell moved to extend an invitation to Mr. Linzey to present in a workshop format with optional attendance in Grace Knight on February 11, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The motion carried 5-0.

**Fiscal Consideration:**

N/A

**Background:**

Thomas Linzey, Esq., Senior Legal Counsel. Thomas is a co-founder of the Community Environmental Legal Defense Fund (CELDF) and serves as senior legal counsel. For more information on Mr. Linzey and the Rights of Nature go to

[<https://celdf.org/advancing-community-rights/rights-of-nature/rights-nature-faqs/>](https://celdf.org/advancing-community-rights/rights-of-nature/rights-nature-faqs/)