

**City of Milpitas  
Unapproved Minutes  
Telecommunications Commission  
May 21, 2018**

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**I. Call to Order & Roll Call:**

Vice-Chair Dinesh Gupta called the meeting to order at 7:10 P.M., Monday, May 21, 2018.

Members Present: D. Gupta, E. Bautista, W. Lam,  
N. Gupta, A. Bao, S. Singh, K. Bohan (o), J. Hallera, (e) (Alt1)  
R. Choudhury (Alt2)

Members Absent: A. Alcorn (e), H. Tran (e)

I.S. Staff: M. Luu, E. Pasion

**II. Pledge of Allegiance:**

The members of the Commission recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

**III. Announcements:**

No announcements made for the record.

**IV. Approval of the Agenda:**

Motion to approve the agenda as submitted.

M/S                      N. Gupta / E. Bautista                      Ayes: 9

**V. Approval of the Minutes:**

Motion to approve the minutes for February 26, 2018

M/S                      N. Gupta / W. Lam                      Ayes: 9

**VI. Citizen's Forum:**

No comments made from the public for the record.

**VII. New and Continued Business:**

1. April 2018 Monthly Report

Mike Luu, Information Services Director, reported on the projects and activities in progress for the month of March 2018.

Staff reviewed the following on going technology projects: Project docs for electronic document plans, Records Management System for public safety, Information Services hiring helpdesk staff, Final acceptance of the next 2018-19 fiscal budget, Additional funding for technology equipment for city wide departments and Ongoing preventative measures addressing Ransomware attacks on the city's data networks.

Motion to note, receipt and file.

M/S                      N. Gupta / R. Choudhury                      Ayes: 9

## 2. Brainstorming and Goal Setting.

The commissioners discussed possible new technology ideas and projects for consideration.

Vice Chair D. Gupta welcomed that commissioners to broaden the horizon and scope of what new programs and technologies can be introduced to the Milpitas community. He started by noting that one of the items for consideration was possibly making a name change to the existing commission title to better address future activities and technologies. Next recommendations for improved technologies for the Milpitas schools and then finally suggesting reviewing the use of self-driving automobiles to help with traffic congestion in the Milpitas.

Commissioner Lam suggested that development of area wide shuttle services, the expansion and improvement of the city's WiFi network and encouraging outside companies to compete with existing service providers.

Commission N. Gupta suggested the city look as the Google fiber project that as another consideration for network expansion to Milpitas.

Commissioner K. Bohan suggested that Milpitas conduct a survey of area residents addressing their existing telco services and what value they are getting with the existing service providers.

Commissioner A. Boa suggested improvements on IT hardware and network equipment upgrades, expanded traffic monitoring cameras.

Commissioner S. Singh suggested improved scale technology monitoring and increased capacity to securely store the city's data.

Commissioner R. Choudhury suggested that improved traffic cameras on interstate 880 and 237 can be added to the city's camera monitoring network. Addressing the issues of affordable housing could be an item.

Vice Chair D. Gupta also suggested that the expansion of solar technologies to city facilities and the development of a shuttle bus service in Milpitas.

Commissioner J. Hallera suggested the expansion of the city's mobile application to include emergency notifications, earthquake warnings, dispatch center notifications and Santa Clara county notifications of emergencies.

Commissioner E. Bautista suggested the expansion of the social media usage, traffic monitor cameras for Milpitas area residents and promotion of the city's mobile application software.

Motion to note, receipt and file.

M/S

N. Gupta / W. Lam

Ayes: 9

## 3. Round Table Discussion

No comments made for the record.

**VIII. Adjournment of Meeting:**

Vice Chair Dinesh Gupta adjourned the commission meeting at 8:10 P.M., Monday, May 21, 2018.

The next scheduled commission meeting will be 7:00 PM Monday, June 18, 2018.