



CITY OF MILPITAS

Community Advisory Commission

REGULAR MEETING

MINUTES

7:00 pm

Wednesday, December 2, 2020

Virtual Meeting/Teleconference

1. Call to Order

Chair Van Lan Truong called the meeting to order at 7:03 PM

2. Pledge of Allegiance

Commissioner Kavita Sreedhar led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Roll Call

Commissioners Present: Chair Van Lan Truong, Commissioners Ashish Kathapurkar, Oscar Leon, George Chen, Vishal Gandhi, Thelma Batilo, Gilroy Casanova III; Kavita Sreedhar, Jose Rosario (announced his attendance after roll call at 7:11 PM)

Commissioners Absent: None; all Commissioners present.

Vice Mayor Nuñez not present.

Staff Present: Building Safety and Housing Director Sharon Goei, Housing Authority Administrator Robert Musallam.

4. Seating of Alternates

Commissioner Gilroy Casanova III was seated.

5. Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve December 2, 2020 agenda

Motion/Second: Oscar Leon/Vishal Gandhi

Motion carried by a vote of Ayes: 7 Noes: 0

6. Approval of Meeting Minutes

Motion to approve November 4, 2020 minutes

Motion/Second: Oscar Leon/George Chen

Motion carried by a vote of Ayes: 7 Noes: 0

7. Public Forum

Mr. Mehta requested for the Commission to consider more transportation assistance for seniors as a part of community development.

8. Announcements

Staff promoted the Empower Santa Clara County Down Payment Assistance Workshop and requested the Commission's assistance in promoting the workshop.

9. City Liaison Report

None.

10. Business Items

“Safety First” Community Event with Milpitas Unified School District (MUSD)

The Subcommittee presented their report to the CAC on the November 19, 2020 Subcommittee meeting.

MUSD Vice President Norwood entered the meeting at 7:42 PM. The Commissioners continued their discussions on ideas for the event.

Commissioners expressed that the scope, scale, and timing of the event needs to be manageable.

Commissioners support the concept of a safety-first event regarding COVID-19 safety and agreed to support MUSD should the event take place.

Two motions were combined and presented. (1) A motion for the CAC that expresses support for the concept of a safety-first event and (2) a motion for the CAC to work in a supporting role with MUSD and City. Motion passed unanimously.

11. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:22 PM to the next meeting on January 6, 2021.