



City of Sunnyvale

Meeting Minutes - Draft Heritage Preservation Commission

Wednesday, August 3, 2022

7:00 PM

Teleconference Meeting: City Web
Stream

Public Hearing - 7:00 PM

Special Teleconference Notice

Public Participation

Accessibility/Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Notice

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Hopkins called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL

Commissioner Bratton notified staff of her planned absence (excused).

Commissioner Caroompas was absent (unexcused).

Present: 3 - Commissioner Dawn Hopkins
Vice Chair Sarosh Patel
Chair Pamela Sharma

Absent: 2 - Commissioner Jenny Bratton
Commissioner Steve Caroompas

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Greg and Kristi Chiocco spoke in opposition of a proposed office project located at 480-490 South Mathilda Avenue near the Taaffe Frances Heritage Neighborhood (planning file # 2021-7280).

Ray and Cynthia Johnson also spoke in opposition of the same project.

CONSENT CALENDAR

[22-0801](#)

Approve the Draft Heritage Preservation Commission Meeting Minutes of June 1, 2022

Commissioner Sharma moved and Commissioner Patel seconded to approve the Draft Heritage Preservation Commission Meeting Minutes of June 1, 2022, as submitted.

Yes: 3 - Commissioner Hopkins
Vice Chair Patel
Chair Sharma

No: 0

Absent: 2 - Commissioner Bratton
Commissioner Caroompas

PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS

[22-0803](#) Selection of Chair

MOTION:

Chair Hopkins moved and Commissioner Patel seconded to nominate Commissioner Sharma to serve as the Chair.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Commissioner Hopkins
Vice Chair Patel
Chair Sharma

No: 0

Absent: 2 - Commissioner Bratton
Commissioner Caroompas

[22-0804](#) Selection of Vice Chair

MOTION:

Commissioner Sharma moved and Chair Hopkins seconded to nominate Commissioner Patel to serve as the Vice Chair.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Commissioner Hopkins
Vice Chair Patel
Chair Sharma

No: 0

Absent: 2 - Commissioner Bratton
Commissioner Caroompas

STANDING ITEM: CONSIDERATION OF POTENTIAL STUDY ISSUES

None

NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS

None

-Commissioner Comments

INFORMATION ONLY REPORTS/ITEMS

Chair Hopkins came across the community of Locke, California and was intrigued by the historic downtown.

Mayor Klein introduced his role as the Council Liaison for the Commission this year. He noted his background and previous experience with the Heritage Preservation Commission. He also noted that the Sunnyvale Heritage Park Museum is holding an event on September 10, 2022 to celebrate the City's 110th anniversary since incorporation in 1912.

Chair Hopkins welcomed Mayor Klein.

Principal Planner George Schroeder congratulated the newly appointed Chair Sharma and Vice Chair Patel. He also noted the project the speakers mentioned during Oral Communications is not subject to Heritage Preservation Commission review because the site and associated buildings are not on the Heritage Resource Inventory. The project was reviewed at the July 25, 2022 Planning Commission hearing and will be considered by the City Council on August 16, 2022. If any Commissioners choose to comment on the project, they could speak to the City Council as a member of the public.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Hopkins adjourned the meeting at 7:14 PM.