

2026 Appointments for Consideration by Council
Tuesday, January 13, 2026

Every year, the City Council reviews three types of appointments: Appointments made by Council; Appointments made by the Mayor; and Appointments made by Outside Agencies. The list of appointments made by Council for 2026 is as follows:

1. **Appointments Made by Council:** Assignments that are at the discretion of the Council and were ratified during the January 13, 2026, Council Meeting.

a. **Community Member Appointments:** Council may appoint a non-Councilmember to represent the City's interest on an intergovernmental body.

| Committee | 2024 Community Member Appointee | Term Expires |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------|
| VTA - Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee | Leia Mehlman | 6/30/2026 |

b. **Board and Commission Liaison Assignments:** Per Council Policy, assignments are on a set biannual rotation. The Councilmembers are to be listed in district order with the Mayor listed first, and the boards and commissions are to be listed in alphabetical order. Council can either reaffirm current rotation or change. The Human Relations Commission is listed under a separate rotation, also in district order. Below is the rotation schedule for 2026.

| Dates | Board/Commission | Councilmember | Meeting Frequency (Monthly) | Time |
|----------------|--|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| Jan - Jun 2026 | Art Commission | District 3 - Srinivasan | 3rd Wednesday | 7:00pm |
| | Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Commission | District 4 - Chang | 3rd Thursday | 6:30pm |
| | Board of Library Trustees | District 5 - Mehlinger | 1st Monday | 7:00pm |
| | Heritage Preservation Commission | District 6 - Le | 1st Wednesday | 7:00pm |
| | Housing and Human Services Commission | Mayor - Klein | 4th Wednesday | 7:00pm |
| | Parks and Recreation Commission | District 1 - Sell | 2nd Wednesday | 7:00pm |
| | Sustainability Commission | District 2 - Cisneros | 3rd Monday | 7:00pm |
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| Jul - Dec 2026 | Art Commission | Mayor - Klein | 3rd Wednesday | 7:00pm |
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| | Parks and Recreation Commission | District 2 - Cisneros | 2nd Wednesday | 7:00pm |
| | Sustainability Commission | District 1 - Sell | 3rd Monday | 7:00pm |
| Dates | Board/Commission | Councilmember | Meeting Frequency (Monthly) | Time |
| Jan - Jun 2026 | Human Relations Commission | District 5 - Mehlinger | 2nd Thursday | 7:00pm |
| Jul - Dec 2026 | Human Relations Commission | District 6 - Le | 2nd Thursday | 7:00pm |

c. **Council Subcommittees - Standing Committees:** Currently there is one standing Council subcommittee set to continue into 2026 unless otherwise directed by Council. Standing committees exist with a set membership unless and until modified by the Council.

| Subcommittees | Previous Appointments | Meeting Information | 2026 Appointments |
|---|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------|
| Community Event and Neighborhood Grant Distribution Subcommittee | Cisneros Sell Srinivasan | Meeting irregularly, usually 3 times per year | Chang Le Srinivasan |

d. **External IGR Appointments:** Appointments made to local intergovernmental agencies. The appointments below are those where the agency's bylaws require a City Representative and appointment is made by Council action. Councilmembers may express their interest for any assignment however should note that agencies strongly encourage cities appoint the same representative annually for continuity.

| Agency | Meeting Body | Meeting Information | Previous Appointment | 2026 Appointment |
|--|--|---|----------------------|------------------|
| Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) | General Assembly | Meets annually, typically in June at Bay Area Metro Center in San Francisco | Srinivasan | Le |
| | General Assembly, Alternate | | Chang | Cisneros |
| Bay Area Water Supply and Conservation Agency (BAWSCA) & San Francisco Bay Area Regional Water System Financing Authority (RFA) | Board of Directors | Meets the third Thursday of every other month, starting in January, at 7 p.m., at the Foster City Community Center | Mehlinger | Mehlinger |
| ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability | ICLEI - Local Governments for Sustainability | Educational workshops and events scheduled as needed | VACANT | Sell |
| Santa Clara County Expressway | Policy Advisory Board | Board is commissioned but not currently meeting. It is left on in case BOS reactivates | Le | Le |
| | Policy Advisory Board, Alternate | | Mehlinger | Mehlinger |
| North Valley (NOVA) Job Training Consortium Workforce Board | Nomination Committee | Meets as needed for participation on the membership committee that interviews nominees to the board | Cisneros | Cisneros |
| Moffett Field | Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) | Meets annually | Klein | Klein |
| South Bay Salt Ponds Restoration | Stakeholder Forum | Meets irregularly, approximately once per year in the fall or winter | Le | Le |
| Silicon Valley Clean Energy Authority (SVCEA) | Board of Directors | Meets the second Wednesday of the month at 7 pm. General meeting location is Cupertino Community Hall | Klein | Klein |
| | Board of Directors, Alternate | | Srinivasan | Srinivasan |
| Silicon Valley Regional Interoperability Authority (SVRIA) | Board of Directors, Alternate | Generally meets the fourth Thursday of every other month | Srinivasan | Srinivasan |
| Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) | Board of Directors | Meets once a month on the first Thursday at the County Government Center in San Jose | Sell | Sell |
| | Policy Advisory Committee (PAC) | Meets monthly on the second Thursday at VTA HQ in San Jose | Le | Le |
| | Policy Advisory Committee (PAC), Alternate | | Mehlinger | Cisneros |
| Valley Water | Water Commission | The Committee meets quarterly on the 4th Wednesday of the month, except in April, or at the call of the Committee Chair | Cisneros | Srinivasan |
| | Water Commission, Alternate | | Srinivasan | Chang |