



# City of Sunnyvale

## Meeting Minutes City Council

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Friday, February 7, 2020

8:30 AM

Sunnyvale Community Center - Ballroom  
550 East Remington Drive  
Sunnyvale, CA 94086

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### Special Meeting: Strategic Planning Session

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Klein called the meeting to order at 8:33 a.m.

#### **SALUTE TO THE FLAG**

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Present:** 7 - Mayor Larry Klein  
Vice Mayor Nancy Smith  
Councilmember Gustav Larsson  
Councilmember Glenn Hendricks  
Councilmember Russ Melton  
Councilmember Michael S. Goldman  
Councilmember Mason Fong

#### **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

Tara Martin-Milius spoke in support of accelerating Climate Action Playbook goals.

Tawna Vargo spoke in support of the service worker retention ordinance study issue.

Alicia Gonzalez voiced support for the service worker retention ordinance study issue.

Cecilia Benitez shared support for the service worker retention ordinance study issue.

Sydney Trin spoke in support of the food service worker retention ordinance study issue. She shared details regarding corporate cafeteria jobs.

Kristen Manies spoke in support of the study issue to perform a roadway safety

study at El Camino Real and Poplar Avenue and evolving the study to include other high traffic areas in the City.

James Tuleya spoke in support of a study issue regarding electric vehicles as it continues focus on the Climate Action Playbook.

Suraj Viswanathaw requested a study issue to consider a cricket stadium in Sunnyvale.

Kristel Wickham communicated support of study issues that focus of Climate Action Playbook goals.

Diane Gleason spoke in support of study issues that focus on climate action.

### **OVERVIEW**

Council met with the Executive Leadership Team in a facilitated workshop format and received information on strategic focus areas.

### **FOCUS AREAS: COUNCIL PRIORITIES UPDATE**

Mayor Klein stated he owns property in the vicinity of the Downtown, recused himself, and left the room at 11:19 a.m.

Councilmember Larsson stated he owns property in the vicinity of the Downtown, recused himself, and left the room at 11:19 a.m.

Community Development Director Trudi Ryan provided staff report and presentation on Downtown Specific Plan Update.

Mayor Klein and Councilmember Larsson returned at 11:24 a.m.

### **STRATEGIC TOPICS DISCUSSION**

#### **DISCUSSION ON COUNCIL PRIORITIES**

Councilmember Melton moved and Councilmember Goldman seconded the motion to add "Transportation Safety and Efficiency" to Council Policy Priority: Ability of Infrastructure to Support Development and Traffic.

The motion failed with the following vote:

**Yes:** 2 - Councilmember Melton  
Councilmember Goldman

**No:** 5 - Mayor Klein  
Vice Mayor Smith  
Councilmember Larsson  
Councilmember Hendricks  
Councilmember Fong

Councilmember Melton proposed a study issue to establish a cricket stadium at Baylands Park; Mayor Klein, Vice Mayor Smith, Councilmembers Goldman and Fong co-sponsored.

Vice Mayor Smith proposed a study issue to allocate staff time to have discussions with the County of Santa Clara Office of Women's Policy (OWP) on the OWP's project ideas. Following discussion, Vice Mayor Smith withdrew the proposed study issue. She requested Council agendaize this topic for discussion.

City Manager Kent Steffens and Mayor Klein provided closing remarks.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Klein adjourned the meeting at 3:55 p.m.