



## 2023 Council Appointments to City Committees

**CITY COMMITTEES** (City staff responsible for preparing and posting the agendas for the meetings).

### 1. **Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Committee:**

Date: Meets on call

Time: TBD

Location: City Hall Council Chambers  
1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara

Councilmembers: Raj Chahal (Chair) Alternate: Anthony Becker

Staff Members: Director of Public Works, City Attorney

Staff Liaison: Kelly Conoscenti, Staff Aide Phone: 408-615-3000

Established on September 29, 1992, to review accessibility issues, the Committee includes individuals and representatives from community organizations such as VIA Rehabilitation, Self Help for Hard of Hearing People, and the Adult Independence Development Center.

### 2. **Audit Committee:**

Date: Meets on call

Time: TBD

Location: City Hall  
1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara

Councilmembers: Kevin Park (Chair), Kathy Watanabe, Suds Jain Alternate: Raj Chahal

Staff Members: City Manager, Director of Finance, City Auditor, City Attorney

Reviews the annual independent audits, Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, Single Audit Report, Electric Utility Financial Statements, Stadium Authority Financial Statements, and City Auditor's Annual Report. Meetings are attended with independent auditor.

### 3. **Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC):**

Date: Meets on the fourth Monday of January, March, June, August, and October

Time: 4:00 p.m.

Location: City Hall Council Chambers  
1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara

Councilmembers: Karen Hardy (Chair) Alternate: Suds Jain

Staff Members: Director of Public Works, Traffic Engineer, Police Department Traffic Sergeant, City Attorney

Staff Liaison: Carol Shariat, Principal Transportation Planner Phone: 408-615-3024

Originally established on May 14, 1991, the Committee was established to explore developing safe bicycle lanes and routes on City streets. The Committee name and duties was revised in March 25, 2014 to include pedestrian aspects and to also provide input on non-engineering activities to increase pedestrian and bicycle usage in the City.

### 4. **Economic Development, Communications, and Marketing Committee:**

Date: The Committee is currently on hiatus due to staffing capacity.

Time: TBD

Location: City Hall Council Chambers  
1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara

Councilmembers: Anthony Becker (Chair), Kathy Watanabe, Kevin Park Alternate: Raj Chahal

Staff Members: City Manager, Assistant City Manager, Director of Communications, City Attorney

Staff Liaison: TBD Phone: 408-615-2210

The Economic Development, Communications, and Marketing Committee was established by Council action on February 5, 2019, to consolidate the Economic Development Committee and the Marketing Committee. The Committee focuses proactive economic development and effective communication, as well as reviews the City's marketing and branding strategies.

**5. Governance and Ethics Committee:**

Date:	Meets on the first Monday of March, June, September, and December	
Time:	3:00 p.m.	
Location:	City Hall Council Chambers 1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara	
Councilmembers:	Suds Jain (Chair), Lisa Gillmor, Raj Chahal	Alternate: Kevin Park
Staff Members:	City Manager, City Attorney, City Clerk	
Staff Liaison:	Maria Le	Phone: 408-615-5517

The Governance and Ethics Committee was established by Council action on February 5, 2019, to consolidate the Governance Committee, Ethics Committee, and the Facilities Naming and Honorary Recognition Ad Hoc Committee. The Committee focuses on the refinement or establishment of policies and procedures regarding City Council operations and general good government practices, as well as the further implementation of the City's Code of Ethics & Values program. This committee is also responsible for reviewing requests for facility naming and honorary recognitions.

**6. Ad Hoc Stadium Audit Committee:**

Date:	Meets on call	
Time:	TBD	
Location:	City Hall 1500 Warburton Avenue, Santa Clara	
Councilmembers:	Lisa Gillmor (Chair), Karen Hardy, Raj Chahal	Alternate: Kevin Park
Staff Members:	City Manager, Director of Finance, City Auditor, City Attorney	

On July 19, 2016, the Santa Clara Stadium Authority Board (Board) approved appointment of a three-member committee to oversee the work and progress of the audit being performed by Harvey M. Rose Associates, LLC.