

Joint Dinner

Parks & Recreation Commission

January 15, 2019



**City of
Santa Clara**
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POST MEETING MATERIAL



Parks & Recreation Commissioners



Chair

Vice-Chair

	Roseann Alderete LaCoursiere	Burt Field	George Guerra	Andrew Knaack	Joe Martinez	Tino Silva	Kevan Michael Walke
Appointed	07/10/12 (16)	05/15/18 (19)	07/02/13 (17)	06/10/14 (18)	07/07/15 (18)	11/01/11 (15)	07/10/12 (16)
Re-Appointed	04/05/16 (20)		04/04/17 (21)	06/12/18 (22)	06/12/18 (22)	04/07/15 (19)	04/05/16 (20)
Term Ends	2020	2019	2021	2022	2022	2019	2020



2018 – 2019 Work Plan Goals

- Inform the community about parks and recreation infrastructure conditions, future funding needs and potential new funding sources
- Review existing park rehabilitation needs and new residential development park project plans
- Hold a joint meeting of the Parks & Recreation and Cultural Commission
- Host the 38th Annual Santa Clara Art & Wine Festival
- Begin discussion of a community input process for a new 30+ acre community park in the north of the City.



2018 – 2019 Work Plan Goals

- Inform the community about parks and recreation infrastructure conditions, future funding needs and potential new funding sources
 - Review the Parks & Recreation Facility Condition Assessment (Kitchell, 2018)
 - There are \$155 million in park site and building infrastructure needs over the next 20 years
 - Update Park Rules to improve community use and care of parks
 - drafted through sub-committee work
 - Explore community resources to fund park improvements
 - Donations, grants, businesses, other



2018 – 2019 Work Plan Goals

- Review existing park rehabilitation needs and new residential development park project plans
 - Community Input on Neighborhood Park Projects
 - Raymond G. Gamma Dog Park Community Survey- turf options and other improvements
 - Montague Park : playground, building, and parks site improvements
 - Past Parks & Playground rehabilitation projects included: Carli, Bowers, Machado, Homeridge, Agnew, Fuller Street
 - Sub Committee to be formed in January 2019
 - As new residential projects come forward, review schematic designs and provide comment
 - Past projects included: Santa Clara Square, Lawrence Station Area Plan parks, 575 Benton, Central Park Annex



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- Hold a joint meeting of the Parks & Recreation and Cultural Commission
 - Collaborate with other commissions on special events to improve program and opportunities for the community



2018 – 2019 Work Plan Goals

- Host the 38th Annual Santa Clara Art & Wine Festival
 - Completed on September 15 and 16, 2018
 - Recruit volunteers & work with community non-profits
 - Recommend entertainment
 - Recommend award of financial Grants for Non-Profits
- Plan Commission involvement in other Citywide Special Events
 - Holiday Tree Lighting



2018 – 2019 Work Plan Goals

- Begin discussion about a community input process for a new 30+ acre community park in the north of the City.
 - Look at Community wide needs
 - Develop survey tools
 - Work with Parks & Recreation to conduct community input and visioning

