



Date: April 24, 2018
To: Mayor and City Council
From: Executive Assistant to the Mayor and City Council
Subject: Adjournment of the April 24, 2018 City Council Meeting

Please adjourn the April 24, 2018 City Council meeting in memory of the following individuals:

James Strong, Long Time Santa Clara Resident

- James was born in Illinois in 1955.
- He graduated from Notre Dame University in 1977 with a major in mechanical engineering and a minor in aeronautical engineering.
- In 1979, he joined NASA Ames Research Center in Mountain View, where he worked for 38 years.
- James passed away on January 28, 2018.

Lucy F. Colaizzi, Long Time Santa Clara Resident

- Lucy was born in Walsenburg, CO on May 30, 1924.
- In 1941, her family moved to California.
- She met Ralph Colaizzi, the love of her life in January 1948, and they were married five months later.
- They had two children, Carol and Ken.
- In 1954, she and Ralph moved to Santa Clara and bought the house that she would live in for the rest of her life.
- Shortly after moving to Santa Clara, Lucy joined the new parish of St. Justin's Catholic Church.
- Over the next 64 years, she would devote much of her time and energy to volunteering at the church, including many years as a member of the choir.
- Lucy passed away on March 30, 2018.

Helen Louise Silveria, Long Time Santa Clara Resident

- Helen was born on December 24, 1932.
- Helen was a true Santa Claran, who lived with her husband Lloyd, in Santa Clara for the past 59 years raising their family.
- Helen's first priority were two children Rick and Beverly and being a caregiver to her parents for many years all while working for the Santa Clara school district for 28 years.
- Helen belonged to many organizations including: the Santa Clara Women's League, St Justin's Church, Santa Clara Senior Center, Senior Advisory Commission, and the Santa Clara Elks. She also volunteered at Kaiser.
- Helen passed away on April 12, 2018.

Barbara Bush, Former First Lady of the United States

- Barbara Bush was First Lady of the United States from 1989 to 1993 as the wife of George H. W. Bush, who served as the 41st President of the United States.
- She previously was Second Lady of the United States from 1981 to 1989.
- Barbara Bush passed away on April 17, 2018.

The Victims of the Shooting in Nashville, TN

- We offer our heartfelt condolences to the families and friends of the individuals who lost their lives from the shooting in Nashville, Tennessee, on April 22, 2018.
- Our hearts are with the victims, the injured, and their loved ones.

Sergeant Noel Ramirez and Deputy Sheriff Taylor Lindsey, Gilchrist County Sheriff's Office, Trenton, FL

- We offer our heartfelt condolences to the families and friends of Sergeant Noel Ramirez and Deputy Sheriff Taylor Lindsey, who lost their lives in the line of duty.
- Our hearts are with the friends and family of these law enforcement officers.

The Victims of the Van Attack in Toronto, ON

- We offer our heartfelt condolences to the families and friends of the individuals who lost their lives during the van attack in Toronto, Ontario, on April 23, 2018.
- Our hearts are with the victims, the injured, and their loved ones.

Please let us have a moment of silence in their memory.

cc: City Manager's Office
City Clerk's Office