Council and Authorities Concurrent Meeting on 2020-08-18 3:30 PM

Meeting Time: 08-18-20 15:30

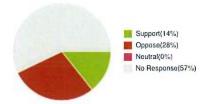
eComments Report

Meetings	Meeting Time	Agenda Items	Comments	Support	Oppose	Neutral
Council and Authorities Concurrent Meeting on 2020-08-18 3:30 PM	08-18-20 15:30	46	7	1	2	0

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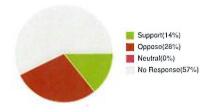
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Agenda Name	Comments	Support	Oppose	Neutral
Public Comment	1	1	0	0
20-752 Verbal Report from City Manager regarding COVID-19 Pandemic [Council Pillar: Enhance Community Engagement and Transparency]	1	0	0	0
2.F 20-749 Adoption of a Resolution extending the Moratorium on Evictions for the Non-payment of Rent and No-Fault Evictions for Tenants with Incomes Affected by the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) [Council Pillar: Promote and Enhance Economic, Housing and Transportation Development]	1	0	1	0
2.H 20-643 Action on Award of Contract for the Citywide Emergency Generator Replacement - Phase 1 Project (CE 17-18-07) [Council Pillar: Deliver and Enhance High Quality Efficient Services and Infrastructure]	1	0	0	0
PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS	1	0	0	0
3. 20-759 Action on a Written Petition submitted by Dan Ondrasek Requesting to Initiate the Relocation of the County of Santa Clara Courthouse (1095 Homestead Road. Santa Clara, CA) [Council Pillar: Enhance Community Engagement and Transparency]	1	0	0	0
4. 20-741 Action on a Written Petition submitted by Mayor Gillmor requesting to Review and Update the City's Worker Retention Ordinance for Santa Clara Workers [Council Pillar: Enhance Community Engagement and Transparency]	1	0	1	0

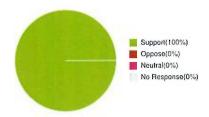
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Agenda Item: eComments for Public Comment



Donna West

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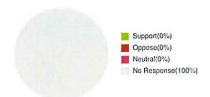
Submitted At: 10:42am 08-18-20

Agenda Item Public presentations 3. 20-759 - Dan Ondrasek

I support this citizen request and action for council to approve actions for our city management to begin talks for relocation of the County Courthouse on Homestead Road, corner of Main Street beginning September 2020. Two meetings per month with at least two volunteer citizens represented until a plan is assembled to relocate the county courthouse. This action is required by the precise plan to go forward with our downtown. Donna West

Agenda Item: eComments for 1, 20-752 Verbal Report from City Manager regarding COVID-19 Pandemic [Council Pillar: Enhance Community Engagement and Transparency]

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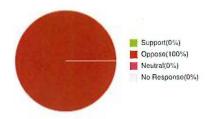
Sudhanshu Jain

Location:

Submitted At: 5:48pm 08-18-20

It seems that San Jose is allowing for gyms and yoga facilities to use their public parks for workout classes. Santa Clara does not allow this unless the class is being provided through the parks and rec department. I think Santa Clara should pass an emergency resolution to allow workouts in parks for a limited period of time.

Agenda Item: eComments for 2.F 20-749 Adoption of a Resolution extending the Moratorium on Evictions for the Non-payment of Rent and No-Fault Evictions for Tenants with Incomes Affected by the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) [Council Pillar: Promote and Enhance Economic, Housing and Transportation Development]



Karl Marx

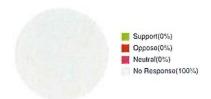
Location:

Submitted At: 5:12pm 08-18-20

Being a landlord is the only business that is expected to give away its product for free, which is exactly what the City eviction moratorium is forcing us to do. The Judicial Council gave the City 5 months to find a solution for its residents and City Council has has FAILED. The City doesn't work for free and neither should we, so rip off the bandaid and let the cards fall where they may. If not, we sue the City to compensate us for providing our services and it won't be cheap.

Agenda Item: eComments for 2.H 20-643 Action on Award of Contract for the Citywide Emergency Generator Replacement - Phase 1 Project (CE 17-18-07) [Council Pillar: Deliver and Enhance High Quality Efficient Services and Infrastructure]

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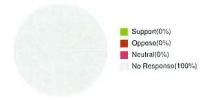
Sudhanshu Jain

Location:

Submitted At: 5:28pm 08-18-20

Must all of these 35 generators be replaced with similar diesel generators? Have we looked at the history of for how many hours these generators have had to operate in the past during a power outage. Can some generators be replaced with battery backup generators that are much more environmentally friendly? Seems like we're locking in fossil fuel generators that will be in place for 24 more years.

Agenda Item: eComments for PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS



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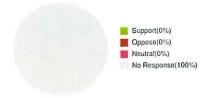
Location:

Submitted At: 5:36pm 08-18-20

I'm wondering when commission meetings such as BPAC, Cultural Commission, Parks and Rec Commission and Senior Advisory Commission will resume. Sunnyvale has been holding BPAC meetings for several months now. I sincerely hope that there is no technical reason why zoom or other online meetings would not suffice for our commission meetings. We are after all the Center of What's Possible.

Agenda Item: eComments for 3. 20-759 Action on a Written Petition submitted by Dan Ondrasek Requesting to Initiate the Relocation of the County of Santa Clara Courthouse (1095 Homestead Road. Santa Clara, CA) [Council Pillar: Enhance Community Engagement and Transparency]

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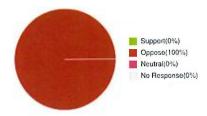
Sudhanshu Jain

Location:

Submitted At: 5:42pm 08-18-20

It seems strange that the agenda item states that quote "Downtown Revitalization was already in progress and that the relocation of the courthouse was not part of this effort". I believe that relocation of the courthouse could very well allow us to build a better downtown and that to take relocation off the table would be a mistake. Please put this on a future agenda for action.

Agenda Item: eComments for 4. 20-741 Action on a Written Petition submitted by Mayor Gillmor requesting to Review and Update the City's Worker Retention Ordinance for Santa Clara Workers [Council Pillar: Enhance Community Engagement and Transparency]



Susan Hinton

Location:

Submitted At: 8:06am 08-14-20

I'm opposed to yet another giant concrete building near San Tomas Aquino Creek, where plantings poked into concrete pots and trenches are meant to create a pretend "green" space while ignoring the natural environment. This is not what we need. What we need is more balance to counter the urban nightmare we are creating. Recall these buildings are in an area that is a natural flood zone and close to major earthquake faults. The region should include more natural buffers.