

# Meeting Summary

**\*\*Sunnyvale City Council Meeting Summary: January 28, 2025\*\***

The Sunnyvale City Council meeting took place on January 28, 2025. The meeting included a closed session at 5:03 PM, followed by a study session at 6:00 PM. The regular council meeting began at 7:00 PM. The meeting was held in person and online via Zoom.

**\*\*Council Members Present:\*\***

- Mayor Klein
- Vice Mayor Sell
- Council Member Cisneros
- Council Member Mallinger
- Council Member Srinivasan
- Council Member Chang
- Council Member Lay

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## **\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order at 5:03 PM for closed session.
- Public behavior guidelines reiterated: Speakers must stay on topic, or the presiding officer will rule them out of order.

## **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- All council members present.

## **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No public speakers for closed session items.
- Study session to begin at 6:00 PM, followed by the regular meeting at 7:00 PM.

## **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

\*(Not discussed in provided transcript.)\*

## **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

\*(Not discussed in provided transcript.)\*

## **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- **\*\*Outdoor Sports Assessment:\*\***
- Session began at 6:00 PM.



Focus on community diversity and inclusion emphasized.

- Public comment rules restated: Speakers must address agenda items only.

## **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

\*(Not discussed in provided transcript.)\*

## **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

\*(Not discussed in provided transcript.)\*

## **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Closed session adjourned at 5:50 PM.
- Council reconvened at 6:00 PM for the study session.

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**\*\*Next Steps:\*\***

- Regular council meeting to proceed at 7:00 PM.
- Public encouraged to participate in upcoming discussions.

\*(Note: Some agenda items were not covered in the provided transcript segment.)\*

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### **\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order at [time].

### **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- Council members present: [List names if provided].

### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- **\*\*Outdoor Sports Assessment Focus\*\***:
- Top 3 in-demand sports identified: **\*\*Pickleball, Cricket, Tennis\*\***.
- Analysis focused on spatial requirements and potential locations within Sunnyvale parks.
- **\*\*Tennis & Pickleball Facilities\*\***:
- 12 existing tennis court locations in Sunnyvale (10 lighted).
- 8 potential locations identified for new/overlayed pickleball or tennis facilities.
- **\*\*De Anza Park\*\*** highlighted as a candidate for new courts (no existing facilities).



**\*\*Key Considerations\*\*:**

- **\*\*Noise\*\***: Pickleball generates more sound than tennis; proximity to residences evaluated.
- **\*\*Court Compatibility\*\***: Tennis and pickleball have different social/competitive dynamics.
- **\*\*Court Dimensions\*\***:
  - Pickleball: 20x44 ft (USA Pickleball standards).
  - Tennis: 78x36 ft (USTA standards).
- **\*\*Overlay Options\*\***:
  - Pickleball nested within tennis courts (portable nets required).
  - Pickleball overlaid on basketball courts (contingent on lighting/fencing).
- **\*\*Design & Cost Estimates\*\***:
  - Example **\*\*pickleball court\*\*** includes LED lighting, spectator benches, sound-dampening fencing, and pathways.
  - Example **\*\*tennis court\*\*** includes similar features with permanent netting.
- **\*\*Cricket Fields\*\***:
  - 2 existing cricket fields in Sunnyvale parks (locations not specified).
  - Further evaluation needed for expansion/improvements.

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned at [time].

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**\*\*Key Takeaways\*\*:**

- Focus on expanding **\*\*pickleball\*\*** and **\*\*tennis\*\*** facilities, with noise and space as critical factors.
- **\*\*De Anza Park\*\*** proposed as a new location for courts.
- Cricket field analysis pending further review.
- Cost estimates and design standards outlined for future projects.

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Here is the structured meeting summary following your requested format:

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\*(Date to be inserted based on actual meeting date)\*

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**\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

\*(No specific details provided in transcript)\*

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

\*(No specific details provided in transcript)\*

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

\*(No specific details provided in transcript)\*

## **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

### **\_ \*\*Las Palmas Park Improvements\*\*:**

- Proposed addition of dedicated tennis courts and new cricket pitch facility
- Existing multi-use field has space for adult cricket field
- Tennis courts ranked as 1st preferred location in community survey

### **\_ \*\*Ortega Park Improvements\*\*:**

- Existing cricket pitch identified for refurbishment (currently in poor condition)
- Basketball courts proposed for pickleball overlay striping
- Ranked 2nd for cricket and 1st for pickleball overlay in community feedback

### **\_ \*\*Washington Park Improvements\*\*:**

- Proposed pickleball overlay on existing basketball courts (space for 2 courts)
- Limited to 2 courts due to potential noise impact on nearby homes
- Ranked 2nd preferred location for pickleball

### **\_ \*\*Cost Analysis\*\*:**

- Pickleball: ~\$1.1M for 6 courts with lighting; \$60k per overlay court
- Tennis: ~\$1.05M for 2 courts with lighting
- Cricket:
- Pitch surface: \$30k-\$47k
- Outfield prep/drainage: \$634k
- Natural grass/irrigation: \$890k
- Lighting (shared resource): Significant cost (exact amount not finalized)

## **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

\*(No specific details provided in transcript)\*

## **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

\*(No specific details provided in transcript)\*

## **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

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\*Note: Some agenda sections lacked detail in the provided transcript. The summary focuses on the STUDY SESSION where most substantive discussion occurred.\*

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## **\*\*Sunnyvale City Council Meeting Summary\*\***

## **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Park Renovations & Community Outreach\*\*:**
- Council stressed the need for more targeted neighborhood outreach before starting construction. Initial surveys were deemed "very broad."
- A councilmember emphasized: **\*\*"We want to do a lot more outreach in those areas to make sure that's really what that community needs."\*\***
- Discussions will integrate with existing projects (e.g., Los Palmas renovation).
- **\*\*Funding & CIP Budget\*\*:**
- Funding for park renovations will be reviewed under the Capital Improvement Program (CIP) budget.
- Timing of the January meeting allows early project evaluation for budget inclusion.



Chip Taylor (staff) noted this is the "1st step" to identify council priorities before budget analysis.

- **\*\*Cricket Pitch Development\*\***:
- Proposed locations: Ortega Park (upgrades) and Las Palmas (new pitch). Baylands Park (county-owned) was not initially evaluated but added for future consideration.
- Council acknowledged **"tremendous demand for cricket in the community"** and past unmet needs.
- Discussion on whether Baylands would host a semi-pro facility or community pitch.
- City is coordinating with the county on options for Baylands.
- **\*\*Other Sports Needs\*\***:
- Councilmember Mellinger requested analysis of Little League and soccer needs, including outreach to local organizations.
- Query about how proposed tennis/pickleball additions align with prior Tennis Center upgrade plans.

**\*\*Key Decisions/Actions\*\***:

**1. Expand outreach for park renovations to ensure community needs are met.**

**2. Include Baylands Park in future cricket pitch evaluations (pending county discussions).**

**3. Prioritize cricket facility improvements at Ortega and Las Palmas parks.**

**4. Staff to analyze Little League/soccer demands and integrate Tennis Center upgrades into future reports.**

**\*\*Next Steps\*\***:

- CIP budget integration for prioritized projects.
- Further study sessions with detailed sport-specific analyses.

**\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\*** \*(Not summarized due to transcript excerpt limitations)\*

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\*** \*(Not summarized due to transcript excerpt limitations)\*

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\*** \*(Not summarized due to transcript excerpt limitations)\*

**\*\*Attendees\*\***:

- Mayor Klein
- Vice Mayor Sell
- Council Members: Cisneros, Mallinger, Srinivasan, Chang, Lay
- Staff: Chip Taylor (remotely)

\*Note: Partial transcript provided; sections 1-4, 6-9 lacked sufficient detail for summary.\*

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**\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order (time not specified in transcript).



## **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- Council members present (names not specified in transcript).

## **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No key points discussed in the provided transcript.

## **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No key points discussed in the provided transcript.

## **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Survey Outreach & Methodology Concerns\*\***:
- Concerns raised about survey accessibility and potential inflation of responses due to forwarding.
- Survey was distributed via email, website, and class registrants but lacked sophistication to prevent duplicates.
- Council acknowledged possible need for further assessment to validate community needs.
- **\*\*Cricket Pitch Requests\*\***:
- Strong advocacy from cricket enthusiasts, particularly for Las Palmas Park.
- Discussion on whether demand is local or regional (e.g., emails from Fremont residents).
- Suggestion to consider north-side locations (e.g., near Highway 237) for broader accessibility.
- Staff clarified Lakewood Park may include cricket facilities; further neighborhood outreach needed.

## **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- **\*\*Survey Feedback Analysis\*\***:
- Council requested qualitative data (narrative comments) from the survey to better understand resident priorities.
- **\*\*Park Amenities Planning\*\***:
- Questions raised about future use models (reservations, city-run vs. private classes).
- Early-stage discussion; no decisions made.

## **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No key points discussed in the provided transcript.

## **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- **\*\*Cricket Pitch Locations\*\***:
- Explore feasibility of Las Palmas, Lakewood, and north-side locations.
- Prioritize outreach to local neighborhoods to validate demand.
- **\*\*Survey Refinement\*\***:
- Improve methodology to prevent response inflation in future surveys.

## **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned (time not specified in transcript).

## **\*\*Action Items\*\***:

- Provide qualitative survey data to council for review.
- Conduct targeted outreach for cricket pitch demand validation.
- Assess north-side park options for regional accessibility.

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### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No announcements noted in transcript.

### **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion noted in transcript.

### **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Cricket Pitch Discussion:\*\***
- Concerns raised about the current makeshift cricket pitch at Ortega Park (hard surface, not ideal for play).
- Clarification that no cricket pitch is planned at Lakewood Park.
- Emphasis on the need for clay surfaces for proper cricket play.
- Request for broader community outreach, especially in North Sunnyvale, to assess demand distribution.
- Suggestion to engage neighborhood associations and schools for better feedback.
- **\*\*Pickleball Courts:\*\***
- Resident expressed frustration over lack of free pickleball courts in Sunnyvale.
- Highlighted accessibility issues, noting reliance on Cupertino's facilities despite being a Sunnyvale taxpayer.

### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No discussion noted in transcript.

### **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No additional items discussed.

### **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No assignments noted in transcript.

### **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned (time not specified).

### **\*\*Key Takeaways:\*\***

- Need for improved cricket facilities (clay surfaces, better distribution).
- Strong community interest in free pickleball courts.
- Calls for expanded outreach to underrepresented neighborhoods.

### **\*\*Action Items:\*\***

- Evaluate feasibility of clay cricket pitches at Ortega Park/Las Palmas.
- Explore options for free or low-cost pickleball access.
- Expand community engagement efforts, particularly in North Sunnyvale.

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### **\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting opened with a pledge of allegiance.
- Guidelines for public comments were reviewed:
- Speakers must stay on agenda topics.
- Time limits strictly enforced.
- Non-agenda comments must be submitted in advance.

### **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- **\*\*Present:\*\***
- Mayor Kleng
- Vice Mayor Sell
- Council Member Cisneros
- Council Member Mellinger
- Council Member Srinivasan
- Council Member Chang
- Council Member Lay

### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- **\*\*Recognition of Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention Month:\*\***
- January declared National Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention Month.
- Acknowledged efforts of organizations like the South Bay Coalition to End Human Trafficking.
- Special guest (Paralel Flores) was unable to attend.

### **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

\*(No specific discussion or action noted in transcript.)\*

### **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

\*(No specific discussion or action noted in transcript.)\*

### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

\*(No specific discussion or action noted in transcript.)\*

### **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

\*(No public comments or discussions noted in transcript.)\*

### **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

\*(No specific discussion or action noted in transcript.)\*

### **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

\*(No adjournment time noted in transcript.)\*

### **\*\*Additional Notes:\*\***

- **\*\*Closed Session Report:\*\***
- Discussed potential litigation related to a proposed project at **\*\*1250 Oakmead Parkway\*\*** (Gov. Code \_ 54956.9(d)(2)).
- **\*\*No action taken.\*\***
- **\*\*Accessibility:\*\***
- Meeting details, translations, and captions available via QR code or city website.

\*(Summary based on partial transcript; some agenda items lacked detailed discussion.)\*

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- Meeting called to order (time not specified in transcript).

### **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- Council members present (names not specified in transcript).

### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- Recognition of **\*\*Muslim Heritage Month\*\*** by the council.
- Public speakers expressed appreciation for the acknowledgment.

### **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion captured in the provided transcript.

### **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Public Comments:\*\***
- **\*\*Speaker 1 (Palestinian community member):\*\***
- Shared a tragic story of **\*\*10-year-old Azmi Abushar\*\***, a Palestinian child killed in an airstrike.
- Highlighted the suffering of Gaza's children, with over **\*\*18,000 children killed\*\*** in the conflict.
- Urged the council and community to **\*\*remember and act\*\*** on injustices.
- Appreciated the recognition of Muslim Heritage Month as a step toward inclusivity.
- **\*\*Speaker 2 (Marwan N.):\*\***
- Thanked the council for acknowledging Muslim Heritage Month.
- Expressed hope for **\*\*greater unity and inclusivity\*\*** under new leadership.
- **\*\*Speaker 3 (Margaret Lawson):\*\***
- Raised a **\*\*technical concern\*\*** about council members' nameplates not being visible to the public.
- Suggested fixing name displays, especially for new council members.

### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No discussion captured in the provided transcript.

### **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No additional items discussed beyond public comments.

### **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No discussion captured in the provided transcript.

### **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned (time not specified).

## **\*\*Key Takeaways:\*\***

- **\*\*Muslim Heritage Month recognition\*\*** was a major theme, with emotional public testimony on Palestinian suffering.
- **\*\*Visibility of council members' names\*\*** raised as a logistical concern.
- No major decisions or action items noted in the provided transcript.

(Note: Some sections lacked detail due to incomplete transcript excerpts.)

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**\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- Council members present (names not listed in transcript).

**\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No announcements noted in transcript.

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion noted in transcript.

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Muslim Heritage Month Proclamation (Musa Tariq, CAIR-SFBA):\*\***
- Acknowledged Muslim Heritage Month and its roots in justice.
- Urged the city to divest from companies supporting Israel's apartheid.
- Requested public acknowledgment of the pain endured by Sunnyvale's Muslim community.
- **\*\*Pedestrian Safety on Fair Oaks Avenue (Stephen Meier):\*\***
- Raised concerns about a recent pedestrian fatality (Jan. 18) at Fair Oaks and Columbia.
- Urged faster action on Complete Streets improvements, criticizing excessive study delays.
- Stated: "We're spending a lot of time on analysis paralysis while citizens are being struck by vehicles."
- **\*\*Cricket Pitch at Las Palmas Fields (Uday Devasper):\*\***
- Advocated for cricket facilities, citing growing demand and community-building benefits.
- Highlighted cricket's inclusion in the 2028 Olympics as a growth opportunity.

**\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No discussion noted in transcript.

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No additional items discussed.

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- **\*\*Fair Oaks Complete Streets:\*\*** Implied need for prioritization (raised by Stephen Meier).
- **\*\*Cricket Facilities:\*\*** Further discussion on Las Palmas fields (raised by Uday Devasper).

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned (time not specified).

**\*\*Key Action Items/Follow-Ups:\*\***

- Address pedestrian safety improvements on Fair Oaks Avenue.
- Explore cricket pitch development at Las Palmas fields.
- Review divestment and community acknowledgment requests from CAIR-SFBA.

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- Meeting called to order at [time].

### **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- Council members present: [List names if provided].

### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Rezoning Proposal for Sites 1, 2, and 3:\*\***
- Current zoning: Industrial Service (MS).
- Proposed zoning: MS.ITR.R3.PD to allow residential redevelopment (~116 new units).
- Sites 4, 5, and 6 excluded due to environmental contamination/deed restrictions.
- General Plan land use remains Residential Medium Density (15-24 units/acre).
- **\*\*Zoning Code Amendment (ITR Sites):\*\***
- Proposed update to prevent reversion to industrial use after residential transition.
- Amendment to Section 19.26.120 aligns with General Plan policy.
- CEQA exemption confirmed.
- **\*\*Planning Commission Recommendation:\*\***
- Approved Alternative 1 (6-0 vote) on January 13.
- Staff recommends Council adopt Alternative 1 (resolution/ordinances for GP/zoning amendments).
- **\*\*Council Discussion:\*\***
- Vice Mayor inquired about mixed-use (retail) compliance; clarified residential zoning restricts non-residential uses.

### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No key points extracted from transcript.

### **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned at [time].

### **\*\*Key Decisions/Actions:\*\***

- Move forward with rezoning Sites 1-3 (MS.ITR.R3.PD).
- Adopt zoning code amendment (Section 19.26.120) to enforce residential permanence.
- CEQA exemption upheld.

### **\*\*Next Steps:\*\***



Council vote on Alternative 1.

- Continued coordination for contaminated sites (4-6) pending cleanup.

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**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

\_ **\*\*Rezoning of Single-Family and Duplex Sites:\*\***

- Council discussed rezoning sites currently not zoned for residential use but used for single-family/duplex purposes
- Staff confirmed comprehensive review was done, though some isolated sites were excluded due to context/surroundings
- Majority of identified sites are correctly zoned for their existing use

\_ **\*\*Contaminated/Superfund Sites (Stewart & Degyne):\*\***

- Concern raised about impact on housing numbers if sites cannot be remediated for residential safety
- Staff clarified:
- Current rezoning recommendations do not rely on contaminated sites to meet Regional Housing Needs Allocation (RHNA)
- Housing Division tracks progress; alternative sites would be proposed if targets are unmet
- Immediate priority is ensuring safety of approved housing projects
- Contaminated sites are a small portion of the 12,000-unit RHNA target (majority in Moffett Park)

\_ **\*\*Timeline for Rezoning Implementation:\*\***

- Staff noted rezoning actions would take effect after standard procedural steps (e.g., second reading, filing with county)
- No specific timeline provided, but process is expected to follow typical legislative workflows

**\*\*Key Decisions/Actions:\*\***

- Council acknowledged need to prioritize safety in housing development approvals.
- Staff to monitor housing unit approvals and propose alternative sites if RHNA targets are at risk.
- Rezoning of identified single-family/duplex sites to proceed, excluding contaminated sites with unresolved safety concerns.

**\*\*Next Steps:\*\***

- Staff to return with updates if housing targets are not being met.
- Continued evaluation of contaminated sites for potential future remediation.

\*(Note: Summary focuses on extracted key discussions from the provided transcript segment. Other agenda items were not addressed in the transcript.)\*

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**\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order at [time].

**\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***





Council members present: [List names if provided].

**\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No key announcements noted in transcript.

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion or action items noted in transcript.

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Rezoning Discussion (Charles Street Area):\*\***
- Public comments largely supported rezoning for housing opportunities.
- Speakers emphasized addressing the housing crisis and ensuring proper review for Superfund sites.
- Concerns raised about potential density increases, but staff clarified rezoning aligns with current uses (R-2 zoning for small lots ~5,000-7,000 sq ft).
- Height limit under R-2 is 30 feet (2 stories), but state density bonus laws could allow exceptions for projects with affordable units.
- Staff noted acquiring multiple properties would be required for significant density changes.

**\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No discussion or action items noted in transcript.

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No additional items or comments noted.

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No assignments or follow-ups noted.

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned at [time].

**\*\*Key Takeaways:\*\***

- Rezoning proposal for Charles Street area aims to align zoning with existing small-lot uses (R-2).
- Public support for housing initiatives, but concerns about density and oversight of Superfund sites.
- State density bonus laws could override local height/density limits for qualifying affordable projects.

**\*\*Action Items:\*\***

- None explicitly stated in transcript.

**\*\*Decisions:\*\***

- No formal votes or motions recorded in provided transcript.

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### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

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### **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No key points or discussions noted in the transcript.

### **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Rezoning Ordinances Discussion:\*\***
- **\*\*Ordinance 1:\*\*** Rezoning of multiple properties from Office/Plan Development (O.PD) to Low-Medium Density Residential (R.2 PD).
- Includes properties on Charles St, Waverley St, Iowa Ave, Florence St, Oxbow Ct, Pastoria Ave, and Murphy Ave.
- **\*\*Ordinance 2:\*\*** Rezoning of large areas bounded by major roads (Tasman Dr, Morse Ave, etc.) from Industrial (M.3, MS) or Mixed-Use (C.1) to Medium-Density Residential (R.3 PD).
- **\*\*Ordinance 3:\*\*** Rezoning of specific industrial properties (Dagogene Dr, Stewart Dr) to Mixed Industrial-Residential (MS ITR R.3 PD).
- **\*\*Ordinance 4:\*\*** Amendment to a city section (details not specified in transcript).
- **\*\*Council Support:\*\***
- Councilmember noted past Planning Commission experience approving similar rezonings.
- Emphasized safety measures (soil removal, vapor barriers) for contaminated sites.
- Stated rezoning aligns with housing goals and CEQA review processes.
- **\*\*Vote:\*\***
- City Clerk read ordinance titles; council voted to introduce all four ordinances.

### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No key points or discussions noted in the transcript.

### **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No key points or discussions noted in the transcript.

### **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No key points or discussions noted in the transcript.

### **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned at [time].

### **\*\*Key Decisions/Actions:\*\***

- Approved introduction of four rezoning ordinances to transition industrial/commercial areas to residential use.
- Council emphasized safety and community needs in rezoning contaminated sites.

### **\*\*Next Steps:\*\***

- Further evaluation of rezoning impacts under CEQA for specific sites.
- Continued coordination with county for Baylands Park cricket pitch (if mentioned in other agenda items).

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transcript.\*

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**\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- No specific attendance details provided in the transcript.

**\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No public announcements mentioned.

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion or action items noted in the transcript.

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- No public hearings or general business items discussed.

**\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- **\*\*Legislative Advocacy & Grant Funding Presentation:\*\***
- Firm (19 employees, 14 registered advocates) presented on state/federal advocacy and grant writing.
- Key focus areas:
- State legislative advocacy (housing, cap-and-trade, insurance, public art, transportation measures).
- Federal advocacy (pending appropriations, earmark requests for FY26).
- Grant writing team (5 members, led by Alex Gibbs).
- Upcoming state deadline: February 21 for bill introductions (~3,200 bills expected).
- Team highlighted: Elisa (Sacramento), Ben/Joseph (DC), Alex/Barbara (grants).

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- **\*\*Council Member Srinivasan's Questions:\*\***
- Clarified firm size (19 total, 5 grants specialists).
- Confirmed team's expertise in state/federal grants.

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No assignments or follow-ups noted.

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting concluded (time not specified).

**\*\*Key Takeaways:\*\***

- Firm hired for legislative/grant advocacy emphasized state/federal priorities and team structure.
- Next steps: Deeper onboarding planned for grant and legislative strategies.

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**\*\*Sunnyvale City Council Meeting Summary\*\***

**\*[Date to be inserted]\***

## **\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order at [time]
- Hybrid format (in-person & online via Zoom)

## **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- Present:
- Mayor [Name]
- Vice Mayor [Name]
- Council Members: [List names]

## **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No significant announcements recorded in transcript

## **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- Not discussed in provided transcript

## **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

### **\*\*Key Discussion: Federal Funding Concerns\*\***

- Council reviewed potential impacts of federal policy changes on city funding
- Federal "pause" on certain funds being challenged:
- 29 state attorneys general filed lawsuits calling it unconstitutional
- Bipartisan congressional pushback noted ("We appropriated this money")
- State-level safeguards:
- Governor and legislature committed to defending funding
- Alternative funding sources (bonds, state programs) highlighted
- Action Items:
- Prioritize strategic grant applications
- Strengthen federal earmark proposals in collaboration with DC delegation

## **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- Not addressed in provided transcript

## **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- Praise for policy document improvements:
- Clear bullet-point formatting appreciated
- Request for clarification on long-term advocacy positions (inconclusive in transcript)

## **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No specific assignments mentioned

## **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned at [time]

### **\*\*Notable Quotes:\*\***

- "We don't see a predicament where federal funding to California just stops."
- "Our team in DC is hustling... working with members of both parties."

### **\*\*Key Takeaways:\*\***

## 1. Federal funding appears secure despite policy uncertainties

## 2. Emphasis on proactive grant strategy and state partnerships

## 3. Policy documentation improvements acknowledged

\*Note: Summary based on partial transcript; some agenda items lacked discussion content.\*

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### **\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order by Mayor
- Hybrid format (in-person and online via Zoom)

### **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- Council members present:
- Mayor [Last Name]
- Vice Mayor [Last Name]
- Council Member [Last Name]

\*(Names to be filled from transcript if available)\*

### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No specific announcements noted in transcript segment

### **\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- Not discussed in provided transcript segment

### **\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Key Discussion Topics:\*\***
- Minimum wage concerns for contracted workers:
- Variability in hours/payment structures noted in project bids
- Need for clearer RFP (Request for Proposal) standards
- Legislative priorities:
- Cap-and-trade policies mentioned as contentious
- Transportation measures under debate (regional vs. county-level)
- Lobbyist representation:
- Discussion about managing conflicting priorities between cities
- Firm policy: prioritize longer-term client relationships in conflicts
- **\*\*Action Items:\*\***
- Explore standardized wage reporting in contractor RFPs
- Monitor upcoming state bills (next 30 days)

### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

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Not covered in provided transcript

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- **\*\*Communication Preferences.\*\***
- Lobbyist team offers flexible updates (weekly emails, quarterly in-person)
- Emphasis on relationship-building through direct contact

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- Potential future topics:
- Contractor wage transparency
- Regional coalition-building for legislative priorities

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned after closing public hearing

**\*\*Additional Notes.\*\***

- Public participation: No speakers on this agenda item
- Transcript cuts off during Councilmember Mellinger's remarks about potential priorities

\*(Note: Some sections are incomplete due to truncated transcript. Full names/titles should be inserted where available in the original recording.)\*

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**\*\*Sunnyvale City Council Meeting Summary\*\***

\*(Date to be specified based on transcript context)\*

**\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

\*(No substantive discussion captured in provided transcript)\*

**\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

\*(No roll call details provided in transcript)\*

**\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

\*(No public announcements captured in transcript)\*

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

\*(No consent calendar items discussed in provided excerpt)\*

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

\_ **\*\*Legislative Advocacy Priorities Discussion\*\***:

- Council debated flexibility in advocating for CEQA modernization, emphasizing need to address modern environmental challenges like climate change
- Proposed phrasing: "Support modernization of CEQA to effectively address modern environmental challenges"
- Concern raised about overly narrow advocacy positions that might limit response to future bills

\_ **\*\*Transportation Funding\*\***:

- Vice Mayor questioned absence of transportation in priority advocacy issues despite its importance in Climate Action Plan
- Staff confirmed ability to pursue transportation grants for council-approved projects without additional authorization





Mention of using 20-year Capital Plan and adopted budget as guidance for funding opportunities

**\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

\*(No study session content in provided transcript)\*

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

\*(No non-agenda items discussed in excerpt)\*

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

\_ **\*\*Townsend Resources Allocation\*\***:

- Discussion about using legislative advocacy priorities to guide Townsend firm's resource allocation
- Emphasis on comprehensive approach combining advocacy positions with adopted plans and CIP budget

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

\*(No adjournment details in provided transcript)\*

**\*\*Key Action Items/Decisions\*\***:

**1. Staff to incorporate flexible language regarding CEQA modernization advocacy**

**2. Continue transportation funding pursuit under existing grants policy without requiring additional council authorization**

**3. Use combined legislative priorities and adopted plans to guide Townsend firm's strategic focus**

\*(Note: Summary based on partial transcript - some agenda items may have contained additional discussion not captured in provided excerpt)\*

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**\*\*Sunnyvale City Council Meeting Summary\*\***

**\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order (time not specified in transcript).

**\*\*2. ROLL CALL \*\***

- Council members present (names not specified in transcript).

**\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No announcements noted in transcript.

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion noted in transcript.

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- **\*\*Advocacy Positions & Grant Writing\*\***:
- Council discussed maintaining flexible advocacy positions to adapt to last-minute legislative changes.



Emphasis on advocating for the city's and residents' best interests.

- Motion passed unanimously (7-0).

#### **\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No discussion noted in transcript.

#### **\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- **\*\*Council Member Reports\*\***:
- **\*\*Councilmember Mallinger\*\***:
  - Missed January BOSCA meeting due to illness; will review recording.
  - Elected Vice Chair of Caltrain Local Policymakers Group (LPMG).
  - Caltrain ridership recovering post-pandemic but projected to reach pre-pandemic levels only by 2034.
  - Caltrain faces a \$75M/year structural deficit starting in 2026; exploring new revenue options (e.g., city-funded Go Passes for employees, regional funding measures).
  - Highlighted regenerative braking returning 23% of power to the grid but receiving no financial credit.
- **\*\*Councilmember Lay\*\***:
  - Attended first VTA PAC Committee meeting.
  - Committee voted on chair/vice chair roles and approved updated VTA Land Use and Development Policy (details not specified).

#### **\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No discussion noted in transcript.

#### **\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned (time not specified).

#### **\*\*Key Action Items/Decisions\*\***:

- Approved advocacy positions with flexibility for legislative changes.
- Councilmember Mallinger to follow up on BOSCA meeting.
- Caltrain funding strategies (Go Passes, potential tax measures) to be explored further.
- VTA Land Use Policy approved (details pending).

#### **\*\*Next Steps\*\***:

- Further discussions on Caltrain's financial sustainability and ridership growth.
- Potential city-Caltrain collaboration on employee transit benefits.

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#### **\*\*Sunnyvale City Council Meeting Summary\*\***

##### **\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

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##### **\*\*2. ROLL CALL\*\***

- No specific attendance details provided in transcript

##### **\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No announcements noted in transcript

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion or action items noted

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***

- No discussion or action items noted

**\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No discussion or action items noted

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- **\*\*City Manager's Remarks:\*\***
- Reminded Council of upcoming retreat on Thursday (8:30 AM - 2:30 PM).
- Expressed concerns about recent federal executive orders:
- Described them as "disruptive, counterproductive."
- Noted they are consuming significant staff time across departments.
- Causing anxiety among the public and workforce.
- Committed to keeping Council updated and managing the situation.

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- No discussion or action items noted

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned at **\*\*10:27 PM\*\***.
- Closing remarks thanked participants.

**\*\*Key Takeaways:\*\***

- Federal executive orders are currently a major administrative burden.
- Council retreat scheduled for Thursday.
- No major decisions or actions taken on other agenda items.

(Note: Some sections lacked detail due to limited transcript content.)

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\*(Date not provided in transcript)\*

**\*\*1. CALL TO ORDER\*\***

- Meeting called to order at [time not specified]

**\*\*2. ROLL CALL \*\***

- [Council member attendance not specified in provided transcript]

**\*\*3. PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\***

- No announcements recorded in provided transcript

**\*\*4. CONSENT CALENDAR\*\***

- No discussion items recorded in provided transcript

**\*\*5. PUBLIC HEARINGS/GENERAL BUSINESS\*\***



No discussion items recorded in provided transcript

**\*\*6. STUDY SESSION\*\***

- No discussion items recorded in provided transcript

**\*\*7. NON-AGENDA ITEMS & COMMENTS\*\***

- No discussion items recorded in provided transcript

**\*\*8. STUDY ISSUES FOR ASSIGNMENT\*\***

- Council member King mentioned looking forward to Thursday (context unclear)

**\*\*9. ADJOURNMENT\*\***

- Meeting adjourned at 10:27 PM
- Chair thanked all participants
- Closing remark: "Have a good evening"

\*Note: The provided transcript excerpt was very brief and contained limited substantive discussion points. More complete minutes would require the full meeting transcript.\*

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