



City of Mountain View

Minutes - Draft

Parks and Recreation Commission and Urban Forestry Board

Wednesday, September 14, 2022

7:00 PM Video Conference with No Physical Meeting Location

During this declared state of emergency, the meeting was conducted in accordance with California Government Code §54953(e) as authorized by resolution. Please contact city.clerk@mountainview.gov to obtain a copy of the applicable resolution. All members of the Parks and Recreation Commission participated in the meeting by video conference, with no physical meeting location.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Bryant called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present 5 - Commissioner Jonathan Davis, Commissioner Joe Mitchner, Commissioner Sandy Sommer, Vice Chair Steve Filios, and Chair Ronit Bryant

3. MINUTES APPROVAL

3.1 Minutes Approval

M/S Sommer/Michner - To approve the June 29, 2022 minutes.

Yes: 5 - Commissioner Davis, Commissioner Mitchner, Commissioner Sommer, Vice Chair Filios, and Chair Bryant

4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

Speaking from the floor regarding tennis and pickleball:

- Mike Rogers

Speaking from the floor regarding table tennis:

- Javier Hernandez

5. NEW BUSINESS

5.1 Heritage Tree Appeal - 1553 Meadow Lane

Forestry Coordinator Matthew Feisthamel presented a report and answered the Commission's questions.

Speaking from the floor:

- Sophia Yu
- Bruce England
- Kevin Ball
- Hala Alshahwany

- Silja Paymer
- Sarah Cunningham

M/S Filios/Davis - To Adopt a Resolution of the Urban Forestry Board of the City of Mountain View to Deny the Appeal, Uphold Staff's Decision, and Deny the Removal of One Heritage Tree at 1553 Meadow Lane, to be read in title only, further reading waived (Attachment 1 to the memorandum).

Yes: 5 - Commissioner Davis, Commissioner Mitchner, Commissioner Sommer, Vice Chair Filios, and Chair Bryant

5.2 **Castro Street Pedestrian Mall**

Transportation Planner Aruna Bodduna, Gehl Studio Representative Sofie Kvist and Public Works Director Dawn Cameron provided a presentation and answered the Commission's questions.

Speaking from the floor:

- Bruce England
- Silja Paymer
- Javier Hernandez
- Hala Alshahwany

5.3 **Parks and Recreation Strategic Plan Proposed Scope of Work**

Community Services Director Marchant provided a presentation and answered the Commission's questions.

Speaking from the floor:

- Bruce England
- Todd Dissly
- Silja Paymer
- Mike Rodgers
- Jessica Chohan
- Ryder Booth
- Hala Alshahwany

6. COMMISSION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Director Marchant updated the Commission on the following:

- Pyramid Park Grand Opening
- Department staffing updates

7. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Bryant adjourned the meeting at 11:10 p.m.