

DRAFT MINUTES

CUPERTINO SUSTAINABILITY COMMISSION Thursday, July 17, 2025

At 4:03 p.m., Chair Susan Hansen called the Regular Sustainability Commission meeting to order.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Alexander Fung, Susan Hansen, Sonali Padgaonkar, Jack Carter, Conny Yang,

and Sonali Padgaonkar

Absent: none

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. June 16, 2025 Sustainability Commission minutes

Victoria Morin, Sustainability Specialist, presented the draft minutes.

No questions from the Commissioners.

No public comment.

Motion: Commissioner Fung moved, seconded by Commissioner Carter to approve the minutes as presented.

MOTION PASSED: 5-0

POSTPONEMENTS

No Postponements

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

No Oral Communication

WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

Written communications were received for Item 2, Discuss and Set Sustainability Commission Two-Year Priority Projects, and were sent to the Commissioners via email.

STAFF AND COMMISSION REPORTS

Staff and Commissioners reported on recent highlights and upcoming events.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

2. Discuss and Set Sustainability Commission Two-Year Priority Projects.

Victoria Morin, Sustainability Specialist, presented on this item.

Commissioners asked clarifying questions, which were answered by staff.

Chair Hansen opened the public comment period and the following members of the public spoke.

Seema Vaid, Santa Clara resident, spoke on behalf of A Compassionate World. Chair Hansen closed the public comment period.

Commissioners discussed and selected their top eight priorities.

3. Discuss and make a recommendation to appoint a Sustainability Commissioner to the Economic Development Committee.

No presentation was given.

No questions from the Commissioners.

Chair Hansen, opened the public comment and, seeing no one, closed the public comment.

Commissioners discussed the options.

Motion: Commissioner Padgaonkar, seconded by Commissioner Fung moved to recommend Commissioner Carter as the Sustainability Commission representative on the Economic Development Committee.

Motion passes 5-0

4. Volunteer to Attend Regional Sustainability Meetings

Victoria Morin, Sustainability Specialist, presented this item.

Commissioners asked clarifying questions.

Chair Hansen, opened the public comment and, seeing no one, closed the public comment.

Commissioners discussed and volunteered to attend regional sustainability meetings.

FUTURE AGENDA SETTING

No Future Agenda Items were added.

ADJOURNMENT

SUBMITTED BY:

Meeting adjourned at 5:19 p.m.

Victoria Morin, Staff Liaison	

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