



AGENDA OF THE CUPERTINO CITY COUNCIL

Tuesday, October 19, 2021

Televised Regular City Council Meeting (6:45)

CITY COUNCIL

DARCY PAUL, MAYOR

LIANG CHAO, VICE MAYOR

KITTY MOORE, COUNCILMEMBER

HUNG WEI, COUNCILMEMBER

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TELECONFERENCE MEETING WITHOUT A PHYSICAL LOCATION

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CONDUCT OF BUSINESS

The Mayor is the presiding officer of the City Council. Any member of the public may speak on any item on the agenda for up to three minutes. All statements and questions must be addressed to the Mayor.

City Council hearings serve as a venue for the discussion of sometimes divergent points of view. Please respect the opinions of others and refrain from cheering or clapping. That may delay the meeting or intimidate other persons wishing to express alternate views. Actions that disrupt the meeting will result in a warning, followed by removal if disruption continues.

Oral public comments will be accepted during the teleconference meeting. Comments may be made during "oral communications" for matters not on the agenda, and during the public comment period for each agenda item. Identifying yourself is voluntary and not required to attend the meeting or provide comments.

PUBLIC HEARINGS

The City Council is required by law to hold public hearings on certain matters prior to making its decision. Notice to interested parties is given by legal advertisement in the local newspaper of general circulation at least 10 calendar days preceding the hearing date. Applications requiring public hearings include change of zoning, variances, use permits, and tentative maps.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

The City Council regularly meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month. These meetings are held at 6:45 p.m. Closed sessions, when needed, are normally held at 6:00 p.m. Closed sessions cover items such as personnel, litigation, or the sale, purchase, or lease of property. The law requires certain actions taken in closed session to be reported in open session.

Urgent business, holidays, or election days may trigger special or adjourned meetings. These meetings will be noticed beforehand.

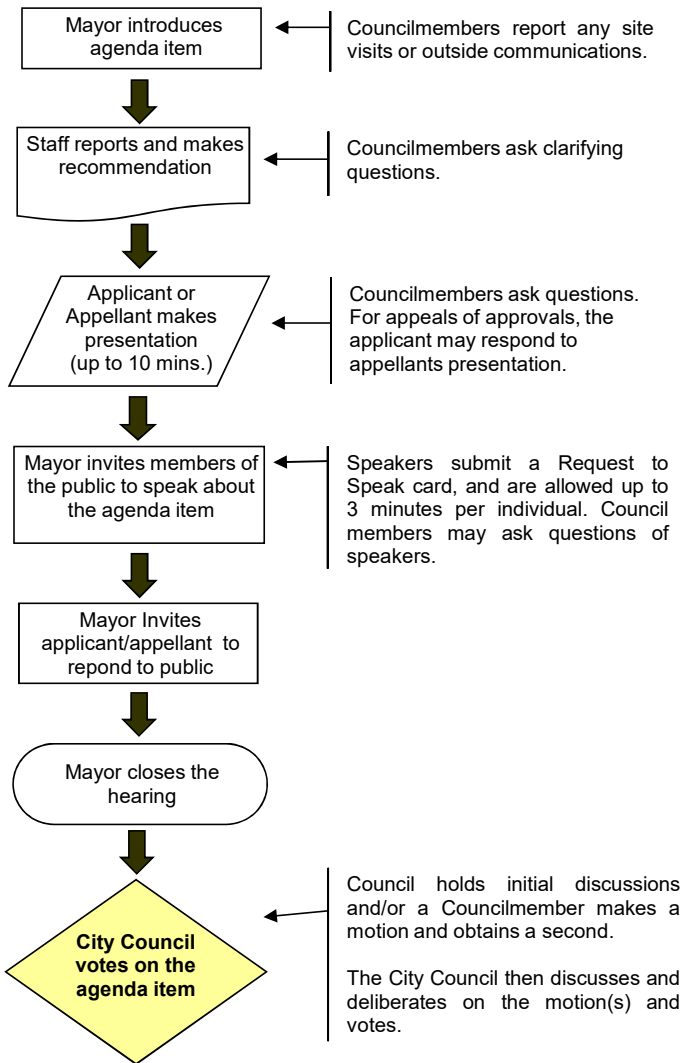
AGENDAS, MINUTES, AND PACKETS AVAILABLE ON THE WEB

Agendas, minutes, and packets for current and prior City Council and Planning Commission meetings are available at www.cupertino.org, or you can purchase the items on CD.

CITY COUNCIL DECISION IS FINAL

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FLOWCHART FOR HEARING ITEMS:





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TELECONFERENCE / PUBLIC PARTICIPATION INFORMATION TO HELP STOP THE SPREAD OF COVID-19

In accordance with Government Code 54953(e), this will be a teleconference meeting without a physical location to help stop the spread of COVID-19.

Members of the public wishing to observe the meeting may do so in one of the following ways:

- 1) Tune to Comcast Channel 26 and AT&T U-Verse Channel 99 on your TV.
- 2) The meeting will also be streamed live on and online at www.Cupertino.org/youtube and www.Cupertino.org/webcast

Members of the public wishing to comment on an item on the agenda may do so in the following ways:

- 1) E-mail comments by 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 19 to the Council at citycouncil@cupertino.org. These e-mail comments will also be forwarded to Councilmembers by the City Clerk's office before the meeting and posted to the City's website after the meeting.
- 2) E-mail comments during the times for public comment during the meeting to the City Clerk at cityclerk@cupertino.org. The City Clerk will read the emails into the record, and display any attachments on the screen, for up to 3 minutes (subject to the Mayor's discretion to shorten time for public comments). Members of the public that wish to share a document must email cityclerk@cupertino.org prior to speaking.

3) Teleconferencing Instructions

Members of the public may provide oral public comments during the teleconference meeting as follows:

Oral public comments will be accepted during the teleconference meeting. Comments may be made during “oral communications” for matters not on the agenda, and during the public comment period for each agenda item.

To address the City Council, click on the link below to register in advance and access the meeting:

Online

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://cityofcupertino.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_iar41whmRiSKk3VbXr3Jew

Phone

Dial: 669-900-6833 and enter Webinar ID: 972 8696 2082 (Type *9 to raise hand to speak, *6 to unmute yourself). Unregistered participants will be called on by the last four digits of their phone number.

Or an H.323/SIP room system:

H.323:

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Meeting ID: 972 8696 2082

SIP: 97286962082@zoomcrc.com

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Please read the following instructions carefully:

1. You can directly download the teleconference software or connect to the meeting in your internet browser. If you are using your browser, make sure you are using a current and up-to-date browser: Chrome 30+, Firefox 27+, Microsoft Edge 12+, Safari 7+. Certain functionality may be disabled in older browsers, including Internet Explorer.
 2. You will be asked to enter an email address and a name, followed by an email with instructions on how to connect to the meeting. Your email address will not be disclosed to the public. If you wish to make an oral public comment but do not wish to provide your name, you may enter “Cupertino Resident” or similar designation.
 3. When the Mayor calls for the item on which you wish to speak, click on “raise hand,” or, if you are calling in, press *9. Speakers will be notified shortly before they are called to speak.
 4. When called, please limit your remarks to the time allotted and the specific agenda topic.
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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

CEREMONIAL MATTERS AND PRESENTATIONS

1. Subject: Proclamation recognizing October 19 as Boris Stanley Day in Cupertino
Recommended Action: Present proclamation recognizing October 19 as Boris Stanley Day in Cupertino
[A - Proclamation](#)
2. Subject: Presentation of 2021 Helen Putnam Award for Excellence by the League of California Cities
Recommended Action: Receive 2021 Helen Putnam Award for Excellence Program's Ruth Vreeland Award for Excellence in Engaging Youth in City Government for "Pizza and Politics" program

POSTPONEMENTS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons wishing to address the Council on any matter within the jurisdiction of the Council and not on the agenda. The total time for Oral Communications will ordinarily be limited to one hour. Individual speakers are limited to three (3) minutes. As necessary, the Chair may further limit the time allowed to individual speakers, or reschedule remaining comments to the end of the meeting on a first come first heard basis, with priority given to students. In most cases, State law will prohibit the Council from discussing or making any decisions with respect to a matter not listed on the agenda. A councilmember may, however, briefly respond to statements made or questions posed by speakers. A councilmember may also ask a question for clarification, provide a reference for factual information, request staff to report back concerning a matter, or request that an item be added to a future City Council agenda in response to public comment.

REPORTS BY COUNCIL AND STAFF (10 minutes)

3. Subject: Brief reports on councilmember activities and brief announcements

Recommended Action: Receive brief reports on councilmember activities and brief announcements

4. Subject: Report on Committee assignments
Recommended Action: Report on Committee assignments
5. Subject: City Manager update
Recommended Action: Receive City Manager updates on emergency response efforts and other City business

CONSENT CALENDAR (Items 6-14)

Unless there are separate discussions and/or actions requested by council, staff or a member of the public, it is requested that items under the Consent Calendar be acted on simultaneously.

6. Subject: Approve the October 5 City Council minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the October 5 City Council minutes
[A - Draft Minutes](#)
7. Subject: Approve the October 10 City Council minutes
Recommended Action: Approve the October 10 City Council minutes
[A - Draft Minutes](#)
8. Subject: Annual report of commission and committee members' terms expiring in January, 2022, and application submittal deadline and candidate interview dates in January, 2022
Recommended Action: Receive report on commission and committee members' terms expiring January, 30, 2022, and set an application submittal deadline of Friday, January 7, 2022 and candidate interview dates of Monday and Tuesday, January 24 and 25, 2022
[Staff Report](#)
[A - Local Appointments List and Notice of Vacancies](#)
[B - Resolution Governing Recruitment](#)
9. Subject: Consider cancellation of the January 4, 2022 City Council meeting
Recommended Action: Cancel the January 4, 2022 City Council meeting
[Staff Report](#)
10. Subject: Consider Accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 6, 2021
Recommended Action: Adopt Resolution No. 21-093 accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 6, 2021
[A - Draft Resolution](#)
[B - AP Report](#)

11. Subject: Consider Accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 13, 2021
Recommended Action: Adopt Resolution No. 21-094 accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 13, 2021
[A - Draft Resolution](#)
[B - AP Report](#)
12. Subject: Consider Accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 20, 2021
Recommended Action: Adopt Resolution No. 21-095 accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 20, 2021
[A - Draft Resolution](#)
[B - AP Report](#)
13. Subject: Consider Accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 27, 2021
Recommended Action: Adopt Resolution No. 21-096 accepting Accounts Payable for pay period ending September 27, 2021
[A - Draft Resolution](#)
[B - AP Report](#)
14. Subject: Consider a donation from an anonymous donor for a plaque commemorating the Rolling Hills 4-H Club's founding in Cupertino.
Recommended Action: Authorize the following regarding a plaque commemorating the Rolling Hills 4-H Club's founding in Cupertino:
1) Acceptance of the plaque donation;
2) Wording of the plaque; and
3) Installation at the McClellan Ranch property leased to the Rolling Hills 4-H Club.
[Staff Report](#)
[A - Resolution 17-102 and Attached Donation Policy](#)
[B - Completed Standard Donation Form](#)

SECOND READING OF ORDINANCES

15. Subject: Consider the second reading of Ordinance No. 21-2230 amending Cupertino Municipal Code Sections 19.56.030 (Table 19.56.030), 19.56.030F, 19.56.040, and Table 19.56.040A and the addition of Section 19.56.080 (Density Bonus Ordinance) to allow density bonuses and other incentives as provided by state law and a new Section 19.56.080 providing that the Density Bonus Ordinance will be interpreted consistent with state density bonus law. (Application No: MCA-2021-003; Applicant: City of Cupertino; Location: Citywide.)

Recommended Action: Conduct second reading and enact Ordinance No. 21-2230: "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino amending Cupertino Municipal Code sections 19.56.030A (table 19.56.030), 19.56.030F, table 19.56.040A and adding section 19.56.080 (Density Bonus Ordinance) to allow density bonuses and other incentives as provided by state law" (Attachment A).

[A - Draft Ordinance](#)

16. Subject: Consider the second reading of Ordinance No. 21-2231: "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino Amending City Code to Repeal Section 6.24.037, Adopt a New Section 6.24.037, Adopt a New Section 6.24.038, and Amend Sections 6.24.010, 6.24.020, 6.24.060, 6.24.240, and 9.16.030, to Mandate Organic Waste Disposal Reduction."

Recommended Action: Conduct Second Reading and Enact Ordinance No. 21-2231: "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino Amending City Code to Repeal Section 6.24.037, Adopt a New Section 6.24.037, Adopt a New Section 6.24.038, and Amend Sections 6.24.010, 6.24.020, 6.24.060, 6.24.240, and 9.16.030, to Mandate Organic Waste Disposal Reduction," (Attachment A).

[A - Draft Ordinance](#)

PUBLIC HEARINGS

17. Subject: Consider adopting amendments to the Cupertino General Plan to add clarity to existing language in Chapter 3 (Land Use) in Figure LU-2, Policy LU-1.1 and Goal LU-13, and to add emphasis to existing language in Chapter 6 (Environmental Resources and Sustainability) (Strategy ES-6.1.1), and Cupertino Municipal Code Title 17, Environmental Regulations, to add a new Chapter, Chapter 17.04, to adopt standard environmental protection requirements for construction, development and other similar or related activities. (Application No(s): GPA-2021-001, MCA-2021-004; Applicant(s): City of Cupertino; Location: citywide)

Recommended Action: That the City Council adopt the:

1. Resolution No. 21-097 (Attachment A) adopting the Addendum (Addendum No. 5 to the 2014 General Plan EIR) addressing the environmental effects of the proposed changes and the proposed amendments to the Cupertino General Plan (Attachment 2); and
2. Introduce and conduct the first reading of Ordinance No. 21-2232 (Attachment B), "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino adding Chapter 17.04 (Standard Environmental Protection Requirements) to the Cupertino Municipal Code."

[Staff Report](#)

[A - Draft Resolution](#)

[B - Draft Ordinance](#)

[C - Objective standards disposition](#)

[D - Fifth Addendum](#)

ORDINANCES AND ACTION ITEMS - None**ORAL COMMUNICATIONS - CONTINUED (As necessary)****COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMENTS AND FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS****ADJOURNMENT**

The City of Cupertino has adopted the provisions of Code of Civil Procedure §1094.6; litigation challenging a final decision of the City Council must be brought within 90 days after a decision is announced unless a shorter time is required by State or Federal law.

Prior to seeking judicial review of any adjudicatory (quasi-judicial) decision, interested persons must file a petition for reconsideration within ten calendar days of the date the City Clerk mails notice of the City's decision. Reconsideration petitions must comply with the requirements of Cupertino Municipal Code §2.08.096. Contact the City Clerk's office for more information or go to <http://www.cupertino.org/cityclerk> for a reconsideration petition form.

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Any writings or documents provided to a majority of the Cupertino City Council after publication of the packet will be made available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office located at City Hall, 10300 Torre Avenue, Cupertino, California 95014, during normal business hours; and in Council packet archives linked from the agenda/minutes page on the Cupertino web site.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: *Please be advised that pursuant to Cupertino Municipal Code section 2.08.100 written communications sent to the Cupertino City Council, Commissioners or City staff concerning a matter on the agenda are included as supplemental material to the agendized item. These written communications are accessible to the public through the City's website and kept in packet archives. Do not include any personal or private information in written communications to the City that you do not wish to make public, as written communications are considered public records and will be made publicly available on the City website.*

THE CITY COUNCIL AND STAFF

CITY COUNCIL

Cupertino is a General Law city organized under and subject to statutes of the State of California. It is governed by the five-member City Council with the Mayor as the presiding officer. City Council members are elected at-large to four-year, overlapping terms. Each November a mayor and a vice-mayor are selected by the City Council for a one-year term.

The City Council receives advice and assistance from eleven advisory bodies, which are appointed by the Council. These are the Audit Committee, Bicycle Pedestrian Commission, Fine Arts Commission, Housing Commission, Library Commission, Parks and Recreation Commission, Planning Commission, Public Safety Commission, Sustainability Commission, Teen Commission, and Technology, Information, and Communications Commission.

Council members also serve on a variety of regional bodies, including:

- Association of Bay Area Governments
- League of California Cities
- Santa Clara County (SCC) Cities Association
- SCC Emergency Preparedness Council
- SCC Library District
- SCC Emergency Preparedness Commission
- Santa Clara Valley Water Commission and Water District
- SCC Transportation Authority
- West Valley Mayors and Managers

STAFF

The City Manager and the City Attorney are appointed by the Council. The City Manager is responsible for interpreting and carrying out Council policies and direction, and as the chief administrative officer, the City Manager coordinates the many activities of the city and appoints the professional and technical staff. The City Attorney is the advisor to the City Council as a whole.

TYPES OF COUNCIL ACTIONS

ORDINANCES

Ordinances are the means by which the City enacts its local laws. Unless an urgent situation exists, ordinances will first be presented at a Council meeting as a "first reading." At a subsequent Council meeting, there will be a "second reading and adoption." Ordinances go into effect after a waiting period of thirty days, in most cases, during which time the summary of the ordinance is published in a local newspaper approved for this purpose.

RESOLUTIONS

Resolutions and minute orders are the means by which the City Council formally adopts policies or approves specific actions. These go into effect when adopted.

APPEALS

Any interested person, including a Council member, may appeal a Planning Commission or Director of Community Development decision to the City Council. An appeal must be submitted in writing to the City Clerk within 14 calendar days of the mailing of the notice of the decision.

RECONSIDERATION

Prior to seeking judicial review of any adjudicatory (quasi-judicial) decision, interested persons must file a petition for reconsideration within ten calendar days of the date the City Clerk mails notice of the City's decision. Reconsideration petitions must comply with the requirements of Cupertino Municipal Code §2.08.096. Contact the City Clerk's office for more information or go to [www.http://www.cupertino.org/index.aspx?page=125](http://www.cupertino.org/index.aspx?page=125) for a reconsideration petition form.

COMMUNICATING WITH COUNCIL

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Please note: the City Council discourages submission of written materials on the day of the meeting as this does not provide enough time to give the materials fair evaluation. If you must provide written materials on the day of the meeting, as least one copy must be given to the City Clerk for the permanent record, and ten copies are preferred.

NEWS AND NOTICES FROM CITY HALL

EMAIL

Sign up for e-notification of agendas, elections, and other news on the city website at www.cupertino.org/notify

TELEVISION

The City Channel broadcasts City Council and Planning Commission meetings, as well as agenda previews, public service announcements, and other programs of community interest, on Channel 26 in Cupertino. The meetings are shown at these times:

Tuesday (live)	6:45 p.m.	Friday (replay)	10:00 a.m.
Thursday (replay)	7:00 p.m.	Saturday (replay)	9:00 a.m.

INTERNET

City Council and Planning Commission videos are available on demand at www.cupertino.org. Select "I Want To, View City Council meetings".

News and community information can also be found at:

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<https://twitter.com/CityofCupertino>

<https://www.instagram.com/cityofcupertino>

AUDIO

Tune into Radio Cupertino, 1670 AM, for meeting announcements, public service messages, and emergency announcements.

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS

City of Cupertino (City Hall)	General Information and Comments	(408) 777-CITY
Fire (Emergency)	Santa Clara County Fire Dept. dispatch	911
Fire (Non-Emergency)	Santa Clara County Fire Dept.	(408) 378-4010
Garbage	Recology South Bay	(408) 725-4020
Gas & Electricity	Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E)	1-800-743-5000
Recreation & Community Services	Quinlan Community Center	(408) 777-3120
Police (Emergency)	Santa Clara County Sheriff dispatch	911
Police (Non-Emergency)	Santa Clara County Sheriff	(408) 868-6600
Public Health	Santa Clara County Public Health	(408) 732-3720
Sanitary Sewers	Cupertino Sanitary District	(408) 253-7071
Water	San Jose Water	(408) 279-7900
	California Water	(650) 917-0152