

CITY OF CUPERTINO  
10300 Torre Avenue  
Cupertino, CA 95014

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PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING  
APPROVED MINUTES, September 10, 2019

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**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

At 6:45 p.m Chairperson Wang called to order the regular Planning Commission meeting in the Cupertino Community Hall Council Chambers, 10350 Torre Avenue, Cupertino, CA. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Chairperson R Wang, Vice Chair Vikram Saxena, Commissioners Kitty Moore, David Fung. Absent: Alan Takahashi

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** None

**POSTPONEMENTS/REMOVAL FROM CALENDAR:** None

**ORAL COMMUNICATIONS:**

Jennifer Griffin spoke about housing laws recently passed in the State of Oregon

**WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS:** None

**CONSENT CALENDAR:** None

**PUBLIC HEARINGS:** None

**STUDY SESSION:**

1. **Subject:** Presentation on possible adoption of Reach Codes – Building Codes more stringent than State Standard Title 24, Part 6 (Energy) and Part 11 (CalGREEN)

**Recommended Action:** Receive presentation and provide any input to Staff

The Director of Community Development, Ben Fu, provided some background information on the project. The Sustainability Manager, Andre Duurvoort, provided an overview of the City's Climate Action Plan, projects and goals of the Sustainability Commission to the Commissioners. He explained what a "Reach Code" is. John Supp, Program Lead, Silicon Valley Clean Energy Authority, addressed the Planning Commission regarding which neighboring cities in Santa Clara County are considering Reach Codes and some sample

changes to consider for the existing building codes. The Planning Commissioners asked questions of the presenter and of Staff.

Chair Wang opened the public comment period and the following individual(s) spoke:

Jennifer Griffin

Rhoda Fry

Dashiel Leeds

Gary Latshaw

Lisa Warren

Scott Shell

Rahul Vasanth

Chair Wang closed the public comment period.

The Planning Commissioners provided comments for consideration to the Sustainability Commission.

2. **Subject:** Study Session on the General plan Annual Review/Implementation Plan

**Recommended Action:** Receive update and provide direction to Staff

Planning Manager, Piu Ghosh, provided background information on the City's General Plan and the reporting requirements. The City Council is seeking recommendations on the formatting of the annual review and the narrative of the on-going, updates, amendments, or changes in policies, programs and implementations. Staff was asked and answered questions.

Chair Wang opened the public comment period and the following individual(s) spoke:

Jennifer Griffin

Lisa Warren

Chair Wang closed the public comment period.

The Planning Commissioners provided comments and suggestions to Staff regarding the formatting of the annual report of the General Plan.

**REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT:** None

**REPORT OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION:**

Commissioners Moore and Fung mentioned the various public meetings and events they have attended.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting was adjourned at 9:25pm to the next regular Planning Commission meeting on September 24, 2019 at 6:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:

                  /s/Beth Ebben                  

Beth Ebben, Deputy Board Clerk