City of Santa Clara The Center of What's Possible

MINUTES OF THE CULTURAL COMMISSION

Machado Park Building 3360 Cabrillo Ave Santa Clara, CA, 95050 Saturday, December 16, 2017, 12:30 PM.

Commissioners Present: Loretta Beavers, Harbir Bhatia, Kendra Fehrer, Niha Mathur,

Louis Samara, Debra von Huene

Staff: Christine Jung

Guests: None

Matters for Council Action: None

1. Call to Order/Roll Call

Meeting called to order at 12:50 p.m.

2. Public Presentations

None

3. Correspondence & Announcements

None

4. Team-Building Activities and Refreshments

- A. Get to know each other activity:
 - Wrote down things we love to do, hidden talents, driving forces, and things that we don't like/struggle with and shared with 1-2 people
 - Exercise helped the Commission and staff realize that there are a lot of commonalities, learn about strengths and weaknesses (some that are applicable to role as Commissioners and staff), and understand how to support each other better.
- B. Charades:
 - Exercise helped the Commission and staff realize that actions matter when you can't use your words. We need to be creative and support creativity.
- 5. Dessert with Family and Friends
- 6. Adjournment to next meeting: Tuesday, December 19, 2017 at 7:00 P.M. Meeting adjourned at 2:34 p.m.