

City of Santa Clara

Call and Notice of Special Meeting Task Force on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

Monday, February 28, 2022

5:30 PM

Virtual Meeting

Pursuant to the Government Code section 54953(e) and City of Santa Clara Resolution 22-9051, the Task Force on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion meeting will be held by teleconference only. No physical location will be available for this meeting; however, the City of Santa Clara continues to have methods for the public to participate remotely:

- Via Zoom:
 - o https://santaclaraca-gov.zoom.us/j/98339806255

Webinar ID: 983 3980 6255 or

o Phone: 1(669) 900-6833

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the provisions of California Government Code §54956 ("The Brown Act") and Section 708 of the Santa Clara City Charter, the Chair calls for a Special Meeting of the Task Force on Diversity, Equity and Inclusion to commence and convene on February 28, at 5:30 PM for a Special Meeting held virtually via Zoom, to consider the following matter(s) and to potentially take action with respect to them.

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

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GENERAL BUSINESS

1 22-330 Discussion and Action on a Recommendation from the Policing Community Engagement/Relations Subcommittee that Task Force Submit a Letter Expressing Support to the City Council of a "Military Equipment Funding, Acquisition and Use Policy" as Proposed by the Santa Clara Police Department

- Recommendation: 1. Note and file the verbal report from the Policing and Community Engagement/ Relations Subcommittee on their efforts to analyze the proposed AB481 Policy and Ordinance.
 - 2. Accept the recommendation from the Policing and Community Engagement/Relations Subcommittee that a letter expressing the support of the full Task Force be drafted.
 - 3. In the essence of time, it is recommended that the full Task Force identify key elements to be included in the letter of recommendation and delegate authority to the **Policing** and Community Engagement/Relations Subcommittee to draft the letter to the City Council on behalf of the entire Task Force.

ADJOURNMENT

The next regular scheduled meeting is on Monday March 14, 2022.

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