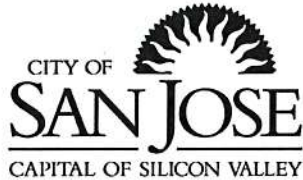


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Memorandum

TO: Honorable Mayor &
City Council

SUBJECT: The Public Record
August 9 – August 15

FROM: Toni J. Taber, CMC
City Clerk

DATE: August 21, 2019

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Letters from Boards, Commissions, and Committees

Letters from the Public

1. Letter from Blair Beekman, dated August 9, 2019, regarding a letter from Blair Beekman. Friday August 9, 2019. _____ The Measure T, public oversight & appointee process.
2. Letter from Blair Beekman, dated August 14, 2019, regarding a letter from Blair Beekman. Wednesday August 14, 2019. _____ The Importance of SF Card.
3. Letter from Verizon Wireless, dated August 14, 2019, regarding: CPUC Notification - Verizon Wireless - CA_SJ_SANJOSE_West 086, 103, 108 (3).

Toni J. Taber, CMC
City Clerk

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bob tom < >

Fri 8/9, 2:46 PM

Dear city govt. of San Jose,

I hope we can all understand, there was a good dialogue, this past year, between city govt. & the ACLU - and that would have included conversations, of long term plans & goals, of better accountability with surveillance & technology.

Victor Sin, from the ACLU Santa Clara Valley, can be a good contact person. And, has continually offered, patience & interesting ideas.

I hope, new, quarterly reports of Vision Zero, will have a full section, that can be dedicated to, city govt. technology, projects & plans.

- blair.

A few questions, for the Measure T public oversight committee, and its appointee process.

1. In the work, as a city govt. advisory board, I feel it is important, the Measure T public oversight commission, can also serve the everyday public, with, an open, well-functioning, public meeting process.

As this oversight process, can involve, many different people of the community, including, individuals, advocacy, along with corporate & govt. agencies, it feels, at least, two or three, public commission meetings, a year, may be needed, for overall, good organization, planning, & its openness.

2. Will the Measure T public oversight commission, be giving, detailed reports and recommendations, for specific city govt. tech. projects, annually.

Or only, more broad, generalized outlined reports, of city govt. tech., surveillance, and data, each year.

How can, the public oversight commission process, feel accessible, so the everyday public, can help better contribute, to the annual report & recommendation process.

3. With important ideas, by the State of California/ACLU, toward, accountable & sustainable, community practices with technology,

The city govt. of San Jose, and community, will have to consider, how the everyday public, should eventually begin, to help decide, along with, the Measure T public oversight commission & city govt.,

if the annual, technology recommendation review process, should happen, before, a technology will be deployed, within San Jose.

4. Can city govt., look for Measure T public oversight appointees -

- that can be open minded, how technology projects, can be related to, Measure T public oversight issues.
- that can be, knowledgeable, in both, older and more recent, transparency & accountability practices, with technology and surveillance issues.
- and that can have, a good sense of civic duty, with good follow-up skills, for the everyday public, if there are technology questions, Measure T public oversight, cannot answer.

5. How can, the upcoming public introduction, of good values and principles, with technology & surveillance issues, by the Mayor's Office and Civic Innovation - become, a more regular part, of everyday community thought & planning.

To have, a friendly, open mind, at this time & for the next few years - one should be able to see, many good choices, in what can always be, a natural progression, toward the ideas, of peace, openness, and better democratic practices.

sincerely,
blair beekman

bob tom

Yesterday, 8:30 AM

Dear BAUASI, and local Bay Area communities,

I hope, I only need to offer, a simple reminder - that the future, of the Bay Area emergency preparedness, will need to very much rely on, the thoughts, ideas, and work of SF Card.

I felt, SF Card was central, to BAUASI plans, of the past year, in rearranging, the Alameda Co. Urban shield process.

As it is SF Card, that can facilitate, the ideas & voices, of many different people and agencies. And, in how to allow, more neighborhood community ideas, in Bay Area emergency preparedness planning.

As SF Card, can listen to, and develop ideas, not only, from government agencies & outside contractors, but from everyday individuals, advocacy, & activists, as well.

The day to day, practical decision making, of SF Card, in Bay Area emergency planning and programs, can actually work as a good middle ground and neutral space, to build, an interesting, more open, healthy consensus, for everyone.

And, work towards, what can be - the holistic, peaceful, well reasoned ideas, of a more open, democratic, local community experience, that is meant, to better allow, and hear the voice, of each individual.

I hope, it is this sort of thinking, that will be very much respected, and explained, to outside contractors, and private corporate sponsors.

sincerely,
blair beekman

p.s.

The well being, of a city govt. agency, organization, or institution, may be based on, how many foreign language interpreters they have.

This internal good health, can then become, a better part, of the community they serve.



August 14, 2019

Consumer Protection and Enforcement Division
California Public Utilities Commission
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RE: Notification Letter for CA_SJ_SANJOSE_West 086, 103, 108 (3)

San Jose, CA / GTE Mobilnet of California Limited Partnership / U-3002-C

This is to provide the Commission with notice according to the provisions of General Order No. 159A of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California ("CPUC") for the project described in Attachment A.

A copy of this notification letter is also being provided to the appropriate local government agency for its information. Should there be any questions regarding this project, or if you disagree with any of the information contained herein, please contact the representative below.

Sincerely,

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