



**CITY OF PALO ALTO
CITY COUNCIL
Special Meeting
Tuesday, January 21, 2025
Council Chambers & Hybrid
5:30 PM**

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| Agenda Item |
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3. Approval of Minutes from January 6, 2025 Meeting



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City Council Staff Report

Report Type: CONSENT CALENDAR

Lead Department: City Clerk

Meeting Date: January 21, 2025

Report #:2501-3980

TITLE

Approval of Minutes from January 6, 2025 Meeting

RECOMMENDATION

That the minutes be reviewed and approved.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: January 6, 2025 Draft Action Minutes

APPROVED BY:

Mahealani Ah Yun



CITY COUNCIL DRAFT ACTION MINUTES

Regular Meeting
January 6, 2025

The City Council of the City of Palo Alto met on this date in the Council Chambers and by virtual teleconference at 5:40 P.M.

Present In Person: Burt, Lauing, Lu, Lythcott-Haims, Reckdahl, Stone, Veenker

Present Remotely:

Absent:

Call to Order

Swearing in of Incoming City Councilmembers Pat Burt, George Lu, Keith Reckdahl, and Greer Stone

City Clerk Mahealani Ah Yun provided the Oath of Office to the four new Councilmembers Burt, Lu, Reckdahl, and Stone

1. Election of the 2025 Mayor

NOMINATION: Councilmember Veenker nominated Councilmember Lauing for Mayor for 2025.

NOMINATION FOR COUNCILMEMBER LAUING AS MAYOR FOR 2025 PASSED: 7-0

2. Election of the 2025 Vice Mayor

NOMINATION: Councilmember Stone nominated Councilmember Veenker for Vice Mayor for 2025.

NOMINATION FOR COUNCILMEMBER VEENKER AS VICE MAYOR FOR 2025 PASSED: 7-0

DRAFT ACTION MINUTES

Special Orders of the Day

3. Adoption of a Resolution Expressing Appreciation for Outstanding Public Service to Lydia Kou as Mayor and Councilmember

MOTION: Councilmember Stone, seconded by Councilmember Burt to adopt the Resolution Expressing Appreciation for Outstanding Public Service to Lydia Kou as Mayor and Councilmember.

MOTION PASSED: 7-0

4. Adoption of a Resolution Expressing Appreciation for Outstanding Public Service to Greg Tanaka as Councilmember

MOTION: Councilmember Lythcott-Haims, seconded by Councilmember Veenker to adopt the Resolution Expressing Appreciation for Outstanding Public Service to Greg Tanaka as Councilmember

MOTION PASSED: 7-0

5. Adoption of a Resolution Expressing Appreciation for Outstanding Public Service to Greer Stone as 2024 Mayor

MOTION: Councilmember Burt, seconded by Councilmember Lythcott-Haims to adopt the Resolution Expressing Appreciation for Outstanding Public Service to Greer Stone as 2024 Mayor

MOTION PASSED: 7-0

Public Comment

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 P.M.

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ATTEST:

APPROVED:

City Clerk

Mayor

NOTE: Action minutes are prepared in accordance with Palo Alto Municipal Code (PAMC) 2.04.160(a) and (b). Summary minutes (sense) are prepared in accordance with PAMC Section 2.04.160(c). Beginning in January 2018, in accordance with [Ordinance No. 5423](#), the City Council found action minutes and the video/audio recordings of Council proceedings to be the official records of both Council and committee proceedings. These recordings are available on the City's website.