



MEETING MINUTES
CITY OF MILPITAS

Minutes: City Council Transportation Subcommittee
Date of Meeting: October 9th, 2020
Time of Meeting: 3:00PM
Place of Meeting: Virtual Meeting

1. **Call to order and Roll Call** – Meeting was called to order by Mayor Tran at 3:00 PM. Mayor Tran and Councilmember Montano were present.

2. **Approval of the Agenda**

Motion /Second: Tran/Montano

AYES: All

3. **Approval of the Minutes**

Motion /Second: Tran/Montano

AYES: All

4. **Public Forum**

5. **New Business**

a. VTA 2021 Service Plan (Presentation by Janice Soriano and David Lovato, VTA Staff)

VTA Board will consider service plan proposal in Winter 2020 for February 2021 implementation
Most Milpitas routes will have frequency reduced to 20 minutes including for LRT.

It may be difficult to guarantee coordinate service schedule with BART

Proposed 70% and 80% plans could effect transit service to high density housing and 80 or 90% is more likely to be adopted

VTA is working with municipalities regarding land use impacts from service plan changes.

b. Pilot Street Sweeping Program Update (Presentation by Tony Ndah, Elaine Marshall, Alan Ha)

Project approved for 2020 CIP funding & \$400K

Focus on residential areas and address pollution issues by allowing access to sweepers

Address City trash load reduction plan and areas identified by MSI as problematic

Four areas selected as areas for potential pilot

Mentioned Cities of Union City, Hayward and San Jose programs and enforcement entity, and municode authority including penalties

Milpitas has infrastructure in place for program and does not require municode change

Signage and staff for program are the largest cost items

Outreach – postcards and door hangers, social media

Discussed with PD regarding issuance of warnings and citations

12 month duration with an evaluation at 6 month interval final evaluation after to 12 months to compare before, during, and after metrics

Montano asked if the evaluation will determine if the program can support itself and wanted to make sure warnings were issued before citations

Mayor asked question to confirm location and area 1 because it is a medium density area with street parking and wants to be sensitive to community and have sweeping on weekend to help their quality of

life. Montano disagrees due to OT costs and because people are usually home on weekends. Mayor agrees and wants a sweeping time that is not too early, such as afternoon

Mayor mentioned he did not want a gap between pilot and actual permanent program and wants them to come back with a plan

Montano concern with area 1 due to low income, focus on another area. Rose elementary school street is very impacted with debris and would like the location to cover that area. Tony mentioned that areas that were review for trash load impact areas and where MSI has identified as problems. Tony confirmed all areas chosen to capture all types of locations and incomes

Montano asked about placing trash cans around the city. Tony and Elaine mentioned they would review

Public Comment: Mehta: Milpitas is next to capitol of silicon valley and suggested a project to add sensors to identify when trash cans are full.

c. Cut the Commute Pledge (Presentation by Steve Chan)

Montano, shuttle service were not one there. Thinks we can have shuttle service with autonomous vehicles and we should include this on the list of goals

Ashwini, asking for direction to staff for a telework resolution and add can other options such as working with a microtransit company.

Montano says yes to move forward, and Mayor supports.

Ashwini asked to bring both items to council, Montano asked to look into what other city's are doing for shuttle and bus system to look into as a future goal if funding is available

Ashwini mentioned drivers is the bid cost for shuttles

6. **Adjourn**

- Mayor Tran adjourned the meeting at 4:30 PM.
- The next Transportation Subcommittee meeting would be scheduled on Friday, December 4th, 2020 at 3:00 PM.