



CITY OF PALO ALTO CITY COUNCIL

REVISED

October 13, 2015

Special Meeting
Council Chambers

6:00 PM

Agenda posted according to PAMC Section 2.04.070. Supporting materials are available in the Council Chambers on the Thursday preceding the meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the public may speak to agenda items; up to three minutes per speaker, to be determined by the presiding officer. If you wish to address the Council on any issue that is on this agenda, please complete a speaker request card located on the table at the entrance to the Council Chambers, and deliver it to the City Clerk prior to discussion of the item. You are not required to give your name on the speaker card in order to speak to the Council, but it is very helpful.

TIME ESTIMATES

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HEARINGS REQUIRED BY LAW

Applicants and/or appellants may have up to ten minutes at the outset of the public discussion to make their remarks and up to three minutes for concluding remarks after other members of the public have spoken.

Call to Order

Oral Communications

Members of the public may speak to any item NOT on the agenda. Council reserves the right to limit the duration of Oral Communications period to 30 minutes.

Action Items

Include: Reports of Committees/Commissions, Ordinances and Resolutions, Public Hearings, Reports of Officials, Unfinished Business and Council Matters.

1. Discussion and Direction to Staff on: 1) The City of Palo Alto's General Position on California High Speed Rail; 2) Next Steps Regarding Rail Grade Separations in Palo Alto and Providing Staff the Authority to Pursue Outside Funding for Both Grade Separations and At-Grade Crossing Improvements; and 3) The City's Position and Next Steps Regarding the Proposed Santa Clara County Transportation Tax Measure and a Potential City of Palo Alto Transportation Tax Measure

Adjournment

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Additional Information

Standing Committee Meetings

Sp. City School Committee Meeting October 14, 2015

Sp. City Council Meeting- Closed Session October 14, 2015

Schedule of Meetings

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Tentative Agenda

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Informational Report

City of Palo Alto Sales Tax Digest Summary First Quarter Sales (January - March 2015)

Public Letters to Council

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