



District 8 Community Round Table – D8CRT

Meeting Agenda

October 7, 2021 @ 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Virtual Meeting via Zoom

1. Call to Order

2. President’s Report – Jeremy Barousse (1 min.)

3. EESD Update and COVID Safety Plan for In-Person Learning – Dr. Emy Flores, Superintendent of Evergreen Elementary School District

- The district launched its first-ever Speech and Debate team last year, and two schools won awards
- Have to follow the state safety plan, to be able to mitigate the spread of COVID and provide in-person learning
- Students wear masks indoors and outdoors, per the state safety plan, are taught to wash their hands regularly, and are screened if students are sick, and hosting including regular COVID testing
- The district instituted a protocol for quarantine and isolation should a student or family member contract COVID-19
- District will host vaccine clinics once vaccine is available for 5-11 year-olds at the former Dove Hill site, also will host a booster clinic for teachers

4. Next Steps Reid-Hillview Airport Closure

- **Harry Freitas, Director of Santa Clara County Department of Roads and Airports**
- **Michael McDonald, Community and Airport Partnership for Safe Operation**
- On August 17, 2021 the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors accepted the lead study that showed that there were amounts of lead in children’s blood in the surrounding neighborhood of Reid-Hillview Airport, and took first steps to close the airport
- Other steps the Board took was to include outreach to the community,

- Switch airport to only sell unleaded fuel by January 2022
- Petition EPA to define leaded fuel as a public health issue and
- There is still an active group trying to keep the airport vibrant and active for the community
- Lead is a problem throughout the county, the worst lead throughout the county is in other areas on the south and west areas of highway 101, it was used from a pesticide from the orchards
- There is a strong benefit to having aircraft where the airport is currently located for fighting fires, police and sheriff operating out of Reid-Hillview airport

5. City Council Update – Office of Councilmember Sylvia Arenas (2 min.)

- Councilwoman proposed a “no wrong door” policy for families seeking assistance through city programs, so that if they contact one city program, they can get automatically referred to other programs and services to help them navigate the process.
- Fall Family Festival will take place Sunday, October 24 from 10am – 3pm at Lake Cunningham Park
- Councilwoman Arenas will be participating in a joint County-City committee meeting on domestic and gender based violence on Friday, November 5 at 9am.

6. Santa Clara County Supervisor Otto Lee

- Day on the Bay – 10/16 10am – 3pm at Alviso Marina
- SB383 – Creates diversion access for youth who commit felonies.
- AB1171 – Modernized spousal rape law, sets the same standard for spousal rape as penal code rape
- SB564 – Rtcountry hospitals up to code
- SB780 – Local economic development funding for affordable housing

Santa Clara County Supervisor Otto Lee

- Board meeting Wednesday 10/13

- Sup. Lee's office will be hosting Day on the Bay, Saturday, October 16 from 10am – 3pm at
Alviso Marina County Park

7. Land Use Subcommittee Report (2 min.)

- Thanks to Sen. Cortese for the \$1M to promote community meetings on the 27 acres at the Evergreen Valley College site
- Medical facility on Evergreen Circle was passed by a city committee, the council only has purview over re-zoning
- Held a meeting with Councilmember Arenas and showed renderings of how the Temple could be viewed by a

8. Announcements (1 min. each)

9. Closing/Adjournment