

CITY ROSTER

Last Updated: May 15, 2024

CITY INFORMATION:

Discovered: 1769

Incorporated: April 9, 1894

Incorporated as a Charter City: July 1, 1909

Population: 66,649

Housing Units: approximately 27,765

Size: 25.85 square miles

<u>Sister Cities</u>: Palo, Leyte, Philippines 1963 | Oaxaca, Mexico 1964 | Enschede, The Netherlands 1980 Linköping, Sweden 1987 | Albi, France 1994 | Tsuchiura City, Japan 2009 | Heidelberg,

Germany 2017 | Yangpu, China 2018 | Bloomington, Indiana 2021 |

Note: Stanford University is not part of the City of Palo Alto, but Stanford University Medical Center, Stanford Research Park, and Stanford Shopping Center are included.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING INFORMATION:

When: Regular meetings are held on the first three Mondays of the month, at 5:30 P.M. **Where:** Meetings are held in person as well as through Virtual Teleconference via Zoom (online link <u>here</u> and dial-number: 1 (669) 900-6833). In normal circumstances, meetings are held in the City Council Chambers, located on the ground floor of City Hall, 250 Hamilton Avenue, Palo Alto, 94301.

Meetings are cablecast live in most cases (and replayed) on Government Channels 26 or 29 and broadcast via KZSU Radio, 90.1 FM. Recordings of City Council meetings can be accessed at http://midpenmedia.org/category/government/city-of-palo-alto/. Call the Community Media Center at 650-494-8686 for times of replays.

Agendas are available on the City Webpage (https://cityofpaloalto.org/gov/agendas/default.asp) and the agendas are posted in King Plaza, in front of City Hall, 250 Hamilton Avenue, Palo Alto, on Thursday evenings, 11 days prior to Monday Council meetings.

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CITY COUNCIL MEMBER CONTACT INFORMATION

The terms of Mayor and Vice Mayor are for one year and expire at the first City Council meeting in January. City Council elections are held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, even-numbered years. Council terms are for four years and Council Member's may serve two consecutive terms.

Your correspondence with the City Council is a public record and is available for public inspection.

Members of the public may address the entire Council via email correspondence to: city.council@cityofpaloalto.org

NAME	ADDRESS/EMAIL	PHONE	TERM
Pat Burt	250 Hamilton Ave., 94301 Pat.Burt@cityofpaloalto.org	(650) 892-0925	1/1/2021 – 12/31/2024
Lydia Kou	250 Hamilton Ave., 94301 <u>Lydia.Kou@cityofpaloalto.org</u> (Serving second consecutive term)	(650) 308-9893	1/1/2017 – 12/31/2024
Vice Mayor Ed Lauing	250 Hamilton Ave., 94301 Ed.Lauing@cityofpaloalto.org	(650) 329-2571	1/1/2023- 12/31/2026
Julie Lythcott- Haims	250 Hamilton Ave., 94301 <u>Julie.LythcottHaims@cityofpaloalto.org</u>	(650) 329-2571	1/1/2023- 12/31/2026
Mayor Greer Stone	250 Hamilton Ave., 94301 <u>Greer.Stone@cityofpaloalto.org</u>	(650) 575-0405	1/1/2021 – 12/31/2024
Greg Tanaka	250 Hamilton Ave., 94301 <u>Greg.Tanaka@cityofpaloalto.org</u> (Serving second consecutive term)	(415) 968-9436	1/1/2017 – 12/31/2024
Vicki Veenker	250 Hamilton Ave., 94301 <u>Vicki.Veenker@cityofpaloalto.org</u>	(650) 329-2571	1/1/2023- 12/31/2026

CITY SERVICES

For a listing of City services and departmental phone numbers, visit the <u>City's website</u>. For emergency assistance call 9-1-1.

COUNCIL APPOINTED OFFICERS	
City Attorney Molly Stump	(650) 329-2171
City Auditor Vacant	(650) 329-2667
City Clerk Mahealani Ah Yun	(650) 329-2630
City Manager Ed Shikada	(650) 329-2280
EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP TEAM	
Assistant City Manager Kiely Nose	(650) 838-2801
Deputy City Manager Chantal Cotton Gaines	(650) 329-2572
Administrative Services Director and Chief Financial Officer Kiely Nose	(650) 838-2801
Chief Communications Officer Meghan Horrigan-Taylor	(650) 329-2607
Community Services Director Kristen O'Kane	(650) 463-4908
Emergency Services Director Kenneth Dueker	(650) 329-2419
Fire Chief Geoffrey Blackshire	(650) 329-2424
Human Resources Director Sandra Blanch	(650) 329-2294
Information Technology Director Darren Numoto	(650) 329-2488

Planning and Development Services Director Jonathan Lait	(650) 329-2679
Police Chief Andrew Binder	(650) 329-2449
Public Works Director Brad Eggleston	(650) 329-2636
Chief Transportation Official Philip Kamhi	(650) 329-2136
Utilities Director Dean Batchelor	(650) 496-6981
Library Services Director Gayathri Kanth	(650) 329-2668

BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE ROSTER

(C) Denotes Chair

(VC) Denotes Vice Chair

ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW BOARD (ARB)

Regular meetings are held at 8:30 A.M. on the first and third Thursdays of each month and are cablecast live in most cases on Government Channels 26 or 29. Terms are for three years. See Palo Alto Municipal Code (PAMC) Sections 2.16 and 2.21.

Staff Liaison: Jodie Gerhardt - Manager of Current Planning

(650) 329-2575

Administrative Support: Veronica Dao – Administrative Associate III

(650) 329-2440

Board Email: arb@cityofpaloalto.org

Mailing Address: 250 Hamilton Avenue, Fifth Floor, Palo Alto, CA 94301

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Mousam Adcock		09/18/2023	03/31/2027
Peter Baltay (C)	(650) 327-7573 (o)	11/01/2015	03/31/2025
Yingxi Chen	(916) 872-0396 (c)	3/14/2022	03/31/2025
David Hirsch	(650) 494-4646 (c)	12/16/2018	03/31/2025
Kendra Rosenberg (VC)	(650) 308-8746 (o)	3/14/2022	03/31/2027

HISTORIC RESOURCES BOARD (HRB)

Regular meetings are held at 8:30 A.M. on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month and are cablecast live in most cases on Government Channels 26 or 29. Terms are for three years. See PAMC Chapters <u>2.16</u> and <u>16.49</u>.

Council Liaison: Council Member Kou

Staff Liaison: Amy French – Chief Planning Official

(650) 329-2336 (650) 329-2440

<u>Administrative Support</u>: Veronica Dao – Administrative Associate III Board Email: hrb@cityofpaloalto.org

Mailing Address: 250 Hamilton Avenue, Fifth Floor, Palo Alto, CA 94301

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Alisa Eagleston-Cieslewicz (C)		12/13/2021	03/31/2026
Gogo Heinrich		03/01/2020	03/31/2024
Michael Makinen		10/13/1999	03/31/2024
Christian Pease		12/16/2019	03/31/2026
Samantha Rohman (VC)		04/03/2023	03/31/2026
Caroline Willis		03/01/2021	03/31/2024
Margaret Wimmer	(650) 646-1610 (c)	06/10/2013	03/31/2024

HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION (HRC)

Regular meetings are held at 6:00 P.M. on the second Thursday of each month and are cablecast live in most cases on Government Channels 26 or 29. Terms are for three years. See PAMC Sections 2.16 and 2.22.

Council Liaison: Council Member Lythcott-Haims

<u>Staff Liaison</u>: Minka van der Zwaag – Manager of Human Services (650) 463-4953 Administrative Support: Alana Cruz, Management Assistant (650) 496-4906

Commission Email: hrc@cityofpaloalto.org

Mailing Address: 4000 Middlefield Road, Room T2, Palo Alto, CA 94301

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Donald Barr		05/06/2024	03/31/2027
Katie Causey		05/01/2023	03/31/2026
Adriana Eberle (VC)	(650) 461-9066	05/10/2021	03/31/2025
Michelle Kraus	(650) 218-5540 (c)	05/10/2021	03/31/2025
Amy Hsieh		05/01/2023	03/31/2026
Mary Kate Stimmler		05/01/2023	03/31/2027
Kaloma Smith (C)	(914) 374-4255 (c)	06/01/2018	03/31/2025

PALO ALTO MEDIATION PROGRAM

Created by the Human Relations Commission (HRC) in September 1973 and charged with facilitating the resolution of rental housing and community disputes. Regular meetings are held at 7:15 P.M. on the third Thursday of each month.

HRC Liaison: Kaloma Smith – Human Relations Commissioner

Staff Liaison: Minka van der Zwaag – Manager of Human Services, Community Services

(650) 463-4953

PALO ALTO YOUTH COUNCIL

Created by the Human Relations Commission at the direction of City Council in March 1979 and restructured at the direction of City Council in December 1983. The Youth Council is charged with representing the issues and concerns of youth to municipal government. Regular meetings are held at 5:00 P.M. every Tuesday at the Mitchell Park Community Center.

Council Liaison: Vice Mayor Stone

Staff Liaison: Adam Howard – Manager, Community Services (650) 329-2192

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION (PRC)

Regular meetings are at 7:00 P.M. on the fourth Tuesday of each month and are cablecast live in most cases on Government Channels 26 or 29. Terms are for three years. See PAMC Sections 2.16 and 2.25.

Council Liaison: Council Member Veenker

<u>Staff Liaison</u>: Daren Anderson – Assistant Director of Community Services (650) 496-6950 <u>Administrative Support</u>: Lam Do – Superintendent of Community Services (650) 496-6997

Commission Email: parkrec.commission@cityofpaloalto.org

Mailing Address: 1305 Middlefield Road, Unit 1, Palo Alto, CA 94301

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Amanda Brown	(650) 799-4928 (h)	12/14/2020	3/31/2026
Anne Warner Cribbs	(415) 264-2067 (c)	12/16/2015	3/31/2025
Nellis Freeman		12/13/2021	3/31/2025
Jeff Greenfield (C)	(650) 766-0511 (c)	02/13/2017	3/31/2025
Shani Kleinhaus		12/13/2021	3/31/2026
Joy Oche	(408) 476-6305	06/02/2022	3/31/2026
Bing Wei		05/01/2023	3/31/2026

PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION (PTC)

Regular meetings are held at 6:00 P.M. on the second and last Wednesdays of each month and are cablecast live in most cases on Government Channels 26 or 29. Terms are for four years. See PAMC Sections <u>2.16</u>, <u>2.20</u>, and <u>19.04</u>.

<u>Staff Liaison</u>: Amy French – Planning & Dev Services (650) 329-2167 Administrative Support: Veronica Dao – Administrative Associate III (650) 329-2440

Commission Email: planning.commission@cityofpaloalto.org

Mailing Address: 250 Hamilton Avenue, Fifth Floor, Palo Alto, CA 94301

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Allen Akin		04/03/2023	03/31/2027
Bryna Chang (VC)	(650) 785-2188 (c)	03/22/2021	03/31/2026
Barton Hechtman	(408) 482-1785 (c)	12/16/2019	03/31/2028
George Lu		04/02/2023	
Keith Reckdahl		12/13/2021	03/31/2026
Doria Summa (C)	(650) 858-2920	12/16/2016	03/31/2025
Cari Templeton		12/16/2018	03/31/2027

PUBLIC ART COMMISSION (PAC)

Regular meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. on the third Thursday of each month and are cablecast live in most cases on Government Channels 26 or 29. Terms are for three years. See PAMC Sections $\underline{2.16}$, $\underline{2.18}$, and $\underline{2.26}$.

Council Liaison: Council Member Burt

<u>Staff Liaison</u>: Elise DeMarzo – Senior Manager, Community Services (650) 617-3517 <u>Administrative Support</u>: Nadya Chuprina – Program Assistant II (650) 329-2227

Commission Email: pac@cityofpaloalto.org

Mailing Address: 1313 Newell Road, Palo Alto, CA 94303

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Loren Gordon (VC)	(650) 269-6489 (c)	05/05/2015	03/31/2025
Ben Miyaji	(408) 691-1655 (c)	06/10/2013	03/31/2025
Hsinya Shen (C)	(650) 888-7052 (c)	06/01/2017	03/31/2027
Amber Smith		05/06/2024	03/31/2026
Harriet Stern		05/06/2024	03/31/2026
Tara de la Garza		05/06/2024	03/31/2027
Lisa Waltuch	(917) 543-3159 (c)	05/10/2021	03/31/2025

STORM WATER MANAGEMENT OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (SWMOC)

Meetings are held at 1:00 P.M. on the first Thursday of every even month. Terms are for four years. See Palo Alto Resolution 9969.

<u>Staff Liaison</u>: Karin North – Assistant Public Works Director Mailing Address: 250 Hamilton Avenue, Sixth Floor, Palo Alto, CA 94301

(650) 329-2104

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Gregory Bennett		05/13/2024	03/31/2026
Kevin Mayer		05/13/2024	03/31/2028
Hal Mickelson (C)	(650) 868-2938 (c)	09/11/2017	03/31/2026
Dena Mossar (VC)	(650) 575-0990 (c)	09/11/2017	03/31/2026
Ron Owes	(206) 595-5983 (c)	05/20/2019	03/31/2028
Ambika Pajjuri		05/13/2024	03/31/2028
Catherine Perman	(650) 799-1377 (c)	05/20/2021	03/31/2026

UTILITIES ADVISORY COMMISSION (UAC)

Regular meetings are held at 6:00 P.M. on the first Wednesday of each month and are cablecast live in most cases on Government Channels 26 or 29. Terms are for three years. See PAMC Sections 2.16 and 2.23.

Council Liaison: Vice Mayor Lauing

<u>Staff Liaison</u>: Dean Batchelor – Director of Utilities (650) 496-6981 <u>Administrative Support</u>: Tabatha Boatwright – Administrative Assistant (650) 329-2326

Commission Email: uac@cityofpaloalto.org

Mailing Address: Third Floor, 250 Hamilton Avenue, Palo Alto, CA 94301

Name	Phone	Appointed	Term Ends
Rachel Croft		04/03/2023	03/31/2026
Utsav Gupta		05/13/2024	03/31/2027
Meagan Mauter		04/03/2023	03/31/2026
Phil Metz	(650) 494-6588	05/10/2021	03/31/2025
Robert Phillips		04/03/2023	03/31/2026
Greg Scharff (VC)	(650) 868-9303 (c)	05/20/2019	03/31/2026
Chris Tucher		05/13/2024	03/31/2027

EMERGENCY STANDBY COUNCIL

The Standby Emergency Council is composed of former Council Members who have indicated a willingness to serve in an emergency situation; these individuals are appointed by the City Council. See PAMC Section <u>2.12.090</u>.

Name	Phone
Alison Cormack	
Peter Drekmeier	
Eric Filseth	
Karen Holman	
Liz Kniss	
Greg Schmid	
Nancy Shepherd	

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

City/School Liaison Committee (CS)

Meets at 8:30 A.M. on the third Thursday of the month.

Staff Liaison:

Chantal Cotton-Gaines, Deputy City Manager

(650) 329-2572

Council Member Pat Burt

Council Member Julie Lythcott-Haims

School Board President Ken Dauber

School Board Member Jennifer DiBrienza

Don Austin, Superintendent, Palo Alto Unified School District

Council Appointed Officer's Committee (CAO)

Meets on an as needed basis.

Council Member Pat Burt Council Member Lydia Kou Vice Mayor Ed Lauing (C)

Finance Committee (FC)

Meets at 5:30 P.M. on the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

Staff Liaison:

Ed Shikada, City Manager Kiely Nose, Director Administrative Services/CFO (650) 329-2280

(650) 838-2801

Council Member Pat Burt (C)

Vice Mayor Ed Lauing

Council Member Vicki Veenker

Policy and Services Committee (P&S)

Meets at 7:00 P.M. on the second Tuesday of the month.

Staff Liaison:

Chantal Cotton Gaines, Deputy City Manager

(650) 329-2403

Council Member Lydia Kou (C)

Council Member Julie Lythcott-Haims

Council Member Greg Tanaka

Rail Committee

Meets at 1:00 PM on the third Wednesday of the month.

Staff Liaison: Ed Shikada, City Manager

Philip Kami, Chief Transportation Official

(650) 329-2280 (650) 329-2136

Council Member Pat Burt (C) Vice Mayor Ed Lauing Council Member Julie Lythcott-Haims

CITY COUNCIL LIAISON ASSIGNMENTS

CITY AND LOCAL

Avenidas

Vice Mayor Lauing

Business Association of California

Avenue (BACA)

Council Member Kou

Palo Alto Chamber of Commerce

Mayor Stone

Palo Alto Community Child Care

Council Member Lythcott-Haims

Palo Alto Downtown Business & Professional Association (BID)

Council Member Kou

Friends of Junior Museum & Zoo

Council Member Tanaka

Alta Housing

Vice Mayor Lauing

Lytton Gardens

Council Member Veenker

Neighbors Abroad

Council Member Burt

Staff Liaison:

Chantal Gaines, Deputy City Manager (650) 329-2572

Palo Alto/Stanford Citizen Corps Council

Mayor Stone

Council Member Kou (Alt)

Youth Liaison

Council Member Lythcott-Haims

COUNTY

Bay Area Water Supply & Conservation Agency (BAWSCA)

Mayor Stone

Joint Recycled Water Committee

Council Member Veenker

Santa Clara County Cities Association

Mayor Stone

Santa Clara County Cities Association, Legislative Action Committee

Mayor Stone

Caltrain Local Policy Maker Group (LPMG)

Vice Mayor Lauing
Council Member Kou (Alt)

Santa Clara Valley Water District

Board

Council Member Kou

Stanford Community Resources Group

Council Member Lauing

Valley Transportation Authority Board

Council Member Burt

Valley Transportation Authority
Grand Boulevard Task Force

Council Member Tanaka

Valley Transportation Authority, Policy

Advisory Committee
Council Member Kou

REGIONAL, STATE AND NATIONAL

Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG)

Council Member Lythcott-Haims

<u>Silicon Valley Interoperability Authority</u> (SVIA)

Council Member Lythcott-Haims Mayor Stone

<u>League of California Cities, Peninsula</u> <u>Division</u>

Council Member Veenker

Northern California Power Agency (NCPA)

Council Member Veenker

Alternate: Dean Batchelor, Utilities Director

(650) 496-6981

Alternate: Kiely Nose, Assistant City Manager

(650) 838-2801

SFO (San Francisco) Airport Roundtable Liaison

Mayor Stone

Council Member Kou (Alt)

<u>San Francisquito Creek Joint Powers</u> <u>Authority</u>

Mayor Stone

SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Palo Alto Unified School District

School Board elections are held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, in even-numbered years. School Board terms are for four years. School Board meetings are held every other Tuesday, no later than 6:30 P.M.

Board of Education 25 Churchill Ave., Palo Alto, CA 94306 (650) 329-3700

pausd.org

Superintendent of Schools: Dr. Donald Austin

Name	Phone	Term
Todd Collins	(650) 403-2084	11/30/2024
Shana Segal	(650) 329-3700	11/30/2026
Jennifer DiBrienza (President)	(917) 501-0930	11/30/2024
Shounak Dharap	(650) 575-6484	11/30/2022
Jesse Ladomirak (Vice President)		11/30/2024

Los Altos School District

School Board elections are held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, in even-numbered years. School Board terms are four years. Regular meetings are held at 7:00 P.M. on the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

201 Covington Road Los Altos, CA 94024 (650) 947-1150 losaltos.k12.ca.us

COUNTY AND STATE GOVERNMENT

Santa Clara County Government

Regular meetings of the Santa Clara Board of Supervisors are held Tuesdays at 9:00 A.M. Palo Alto is located within the Fifth District. sccgov.org

County ExecutiveCounty Clerk-RecorderJames WilliamsGina M. Alcomendras70 West Hedding St.70 West Hedding St.11th Floor1st FloorSan Jose, CA 95110San Jose, CA 95110(408) 299-5105(408) 299-5688

Clerkrecorder@rec.sccgov.org

Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors

70 West Hedding St., 10th Floor San Jose, CA 95110 (408) 299-5001 Term Length 4 years

Name	District	Phone	E-Mail Address	Term
Syliva Arenas	District 1	(408) 299-5010	District 1@bos.sccgov.org	12/2026
Cindy Chavez	District 2	(408) 299-5020	Cindy.Chavez@bos.sccgov.org	12/2024
Otto Lee	District 3		supervisor.lee@bos.sccgov.org	12/2024
Susan Ellenberg	District 4	(408) 299-5040	Susan.Ellenberg@bos.sccgov.org	12/2026
Joe Simitian President	District 5 (Palo Alto)	(408) 299-5050	Joe.Simitian@bos.sccgov.org	12/2024

California State Government

Governor

Gavin Newsom – Term ends January 6, 2027
Office of the Governor
State Capitol Building, Suite 1173
Sacramento, CA 95814
(916) 445-2841
governor@governor.ca.gov

State Assembly

Palo Alto is located within the 24th Assembly District

Assembly Member Marc Berman (24th District) - Term ends December 2024

 Capitol Office
 District Office

 State Assembly
 5050 El Camino Real,

 P.O. Box 942849
 Suite 117

 Sacramento, CA 94249
 Los Altos, CA 94022

 (916) 319-2024
 (650) 691-2121

 (916) 319-2124 Fax
 (650) 691-2120 Fax

 assemblymember.berman@assembly.ca.gov

Speaker of the Assembly (29th District)

Robert Rivas
State Assembly
State Capitol, P.O. Box 942849
Sacramento, CA 94249
(916) 319-2063
assemblymember.rendon@assembly.ca.gov

State Senate

Palo Alto is located within the 13th Senate District

Senator Josh Becker (13th District) - Term ends December 2024

Capitol Office State Senate State Capitol, Room 5035 Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 651-4013

senator.becker@senate.ca.gov

District Office 1528 South El Camino Real Suite 303 San Mateo, CA 94402 (650) 212-3313

Senate President Pro-Tempore (39th District) - Term ends December 2024

Toni Atkins Capitol Office 1021 O Street, Suite 8518 Sacramento, CA 95814 (916) 651-4039

senator.durazo@senate.ca.gov

United States Government

United States Senate

Alex Padilla (D-CA) - Term ends January 2029

Washington D.C. Office Local Office

112 Hart Senate Office Building 50 United Nations Plaza, Suite 5584

Washington, DC 20510 San Francisco, CA 94102

(202) 224-3553 (213) 894-5000 (202) 224-2200 Fax (202) 224-0454 Fax

Laphonza Butler (D-CA) – Term ends January 2025

Washington D.C. Office Local Office

331 Hart Senate Office Building

One Post St., Suite 2450

Washington, DC 20510

San Francisco, CA 94104

(202) 224-3841 (202) 224-3954 Fax (415) 393-0710 Fax

Unites States Congress

Anna Eshoo (D – 16th Congressional District) – Term ends January 2025

Washington D.C. OfficeLocal Office241 Cannon Building698 Emerson St.Washington, DC 20515Palo Alto, CA 94301(202) 225-8104(650) 323-2984

(202) 225-8104 (650) 323-2984 (202) 225-8890 Fax (650) 323-3498 Fax

Voter Information

Applications for Voter Registration by mail are available from:

County of Santa Clara Registrar of Voters Office of the City Clerk

Department of Elections & Records City of Palo Alto

PO Box 611360 250 Hamilton Ave., 7th Floor San Jose, CA 95161 Palo Alto, CA 94301

866-430-VOTE (8683) (650) 329-2571

sccvote.org city.clerk@cityofpaloalto.org
cityofpaloalto.org/clerk