

Sister Cities Commission Meeting
March 27, 2017

Meeting was called to order at 6:37 pm

Commissioners present, Eunice Danli, Kathleen Kimura, Doris Morse, Aline Lee, Akiko Soda, Sammy Yim, Tom Dawdy, Charlene O'Connell (Staff Laision) Reuben Holober (Mayor)

Absent, Peter Yeh, Tony Liu, Roger Louie, Ivan Pung

Guests, Enrique Barriga (Counsel General Chile), Robert Gottschalk, and Lizzy Jeremy.

The Minutes from January 23, 2017 were approved with 2 corrections.

Eunice Danli gave the Treasurer report, she has been working with Wells Fargo Bank and the City of Millbrae to open a Sister Cities Bank Account.

The Commissioners all engaged in conversation with Council General Barriga discussing reconnecting with our Sister City La Serena in the future.

Lizzy reminded us the Chilean Festival takes place on Sunday April 30th in San Francisco 12-6pm. Lizzy offered our Commission a complementary booth at the festival.

Old Business

Our City Flag is still on order. Tom Dawdy was elected our Commission Secretary, Doris Morse reviewed the Sister Cities Commission report that she presented at the last City Council Meeting.

New Business

Kathleen Kimura reported on the upcoming trip to Hanyu Japan, 15-16 people are going including 10 students from Taylor Middle School. The Commissioners are hopeful a Millbrae City Official will join in on the trip.

The Commissioners discussed the International Picnic, a new tentative date was set for August 19th.

Reports

Akiko Soda reported Mills High School was involved in a recent student exchange that was very successful.

Mayor Holober gave us a City Update

Meeting adjourned at 7:32pm

Next meeting April 24, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Dawdy

Secretary