

Motion carried to

- Approve the [REDACTED] front of City Hall
- Approve a project to use private funds to [REDACTED] direct Public [REDACTED] of required [REDACTED] maintenance [REDACTED]

38. Surveillance Ordinance: Facial Recognition Technology and Predictive Policing (PD).

Motion carried to:

- Introduce for publication Ordinance No. 2020-17 adding Chapter 9.85 "Surveillance Technology" to Article 9 "Peace, Safety and Morals" of the Santa Cruz Municipal Code, with the following change to section 9.85.030(a) to add "and data":

From:

"Notwithstanding any other provision of this Chapter, it shall be unlawful for any City Department to obtain, retain, access, or use Predictive Policing Technology and/or Face Recognition Technology prior to obtaining City Council approval, by resolution, based on the City Council's finding that the technology meets scientifically validated and peer reviewed research, protects and safe guards the civil rights and liberties of all people, and will not perpetuate bias."

To:

"Notwithstanding any other provision of this Chapter, it shall be unlawful for any City Department to obtain, retain, access, or use Predictive Policing Technology and/or Face Recognition Technology prior to obtaining City Council approval, by resolution, based on the City Council's finding that the technology and data meets scientifically validated and peer reviewed research, protects and safe guards the civil rights and liberties of all people, and will not perpetuate bias."

General Business (continued)

38. Surveillance Ordinance: Facial Recognition Technology and Predictive Policing (PD) (continued).

- Authorize the Mayor to establish a working group to review Santa Cruz Police practices which can contain up to two other Councilmembers, and establish a Mayor's Community Advisory Committee to review Santa Cruz Police policy and, in conjunction with the community, bring back recommendations that strengthens our Police Department's commitment to eliminate racism, discrimination, and excessive use of force in policing in the City of Santa Cruz and improve the relationship between City of Santa Cruz Police Officers and the community.