CIVIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION MINUTES

City of Campbell, 70 North First Street - Campbell, California 95008

Regular Meeting of the Campbell Civic Improvement Commission

Thursday, February 12, 2026 – 6:00 pm, City Council Chambers

This Civic Improvement Commission (CIC) meeting was conducted pursuant to the provisions of the Brown Act.

A. CALL TO ORDER:

The Civic Improvement Commission convened a Regular Meeting on Thursday, February 12, 2026.

ROLL CALL: Chair Bracher called the meeting to order at 6:02pm

Present: Chair, Chris Bracher
Commissioners: Jennifer Dooley, John Richards, Khalil El-Khatib and Samantha Kibbish

Assistant City Manager, Angelique Gaeta
Recording Secretary, Diana Johnson

Absent: Commissioners: Sophia Commisso and Georgia Pattison

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

M/S: Dooley/Khatib — A motion to approve Thursday, January 8, 2026, Regular Meeting Minutes

AYES: Chair, Chris Bracher
Commissioners: Jennifer Dooley, John Richards, Khalil El-Khatib and Samantha Kibbish

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

C. COMMUNICATIONS: None

D. ORAL REQUESTS: None

E. REPORTS FROM REPRESENTATIVES: None

F. REPORTS FROM STAFF:

Museum Report: Campbell Historical Museum Supervisor, Kerry Perkins presented the Museum report for the month of February. A written copy of this report was included as an attachment.

Chair Bracher mentioned donating a semi quincentennial (250 years of independence) flag to the museum for display. There were no further questions or comments from the Commission.

Adult Center Report: Senior Services Supervisor, Tina Wong-Erling presented the Adult Center report for the month of February. A written copy of this report was included as an attachment. Ms. Wong-Erling invited the Commission to attend an orientation and tour of the Adult Center to learn about its activities and programs. The Commission discussed convenient dates and times, and the recording secretary will schedule the visit offline. There were no further questions or comments from the Commission.

City Update: Assistant City Manager provided the following updates:

1. Black History Month is February 1- February 28 to honor a century of profound contributions Black Americans have made to our nation.

2. The Campbell Heritage and Early Settlers celebration event will be Monday, February 16 from 11am to 2pm at the Orchard City Banquet Hall. Museum Supervisor, Kerry Perkins will share the history of Campbell's Water Tower and the water tower mascot "the Dude" will make a special appearance. For more information, please visit campbellchamber.net.

3. The City is offering grant funding through the Neighborhood Association Assistance Grant Program. Campbell Neighborhood Associations are encouraged to apply. Applications are open through **Monday, February 23, 2026**. For more information, please visit the city's website at campbellca.gov

4. Families are invited to an open house at the Campbell Community Center on **Saturday, March 7, from 10am–12pm** to meet the teachers, tour the classrooms, and experience the warm, play-based environment that makes this program so special. There will also be a free swim assessment to ensure children are placed at the appropriate swimming level. Visit Campbellca.gov for more information.

5. The Santa Clara County Superior Court is seeking volunteers for the next Civil Grand Jury, an independent body that investigates local government and promotes transparency. Details and the online application are available at **santaclara.courts.ca.gov/CGJ**. For questions, contact the **City Clerk's Office** at **clerksoffice@campbellca.gov**. Applications are open through **Friday, March 27, 2026**.

6. Staff requested that the Civic Improvement Commission reschedule its Thursday, March 12 Regular meeting due to staff unavailability. Recording Secretary proposed alternative meeting dates. Following review and discussion of the dates, the Commission made a motion to reschedule the Thursday, March 12 Regular meeting to a Special meeting on Wednesday, March 11.

M/S: Dooley/Bracher	A motion to cancel the Regularly scheduled meeting on **Thursday, March 12** and to reschedule a Special meeting for **Wednesday, March 11 at 6pm**.
AYES:	Chair, Chris Bracher Commissioners: Jennifer Dooley, John Richards, Khalil El-Khatib and Samantha Kibbish
NOES	None
ABSTAIN:	None

I. NEW BUSINESS:

March Study Session: The Commission discussed alternate dates for reviewing the Neighborhood Association Assistance Grant applications and selected **Wednesday, March 11 at 5pm** as the most convenient time.

M/S: Kibbish/ElKhatib	A motion to schedule a Study Session to review the Neighborhood Association Assistance Grant Applications on Wednesday, March 11 at 5pm.
AYES:	Chair, Chris Bracher Commissioners: Jennifer Dooley, John Richards, Khalil El-Khatib and Samantha Kibbish
NOES	None
ABSTAIN:	None

J. Project Updates:

Campbell Cares: Committee Members: Commissioners: Bracher, Pattison and Commisso

Commissioner Bracher reported that due to unexpected circumstances, the February 14 event would not move forward. He noted that all planning is complete and the event will be ready to proceed next year.

Art Outside the Box: There was no updated information.

Explore Art: Commissioner Kibbish will reach out to Brooke of DCBA for inclusion of an Arts and Crafts table at the Bunnies and Bonnets event for April 4. Commissioner Dooley requested volunteers to assist with this event.

K. UNFINISHED BUSINESS: NONE

L. GOOD OF THE GAME (Ideas and events of what is happening in Campbell):

ADJOURN:

The Regular Meeting of the Civic Improvement Commission was adjourned at 6:37 pm. A Special meeting of the Civic Improvement Commission is scheduled for 6:00 pm on Wednesday, March 11, 2026, and will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the Brown Act.

Respectfully submitted, *Diana Johnson* *Angelique Gaeta*

Diana Johnson, Recording Secretary Angelique Gaeta, Assistant City Manager