



SARATOGA

California

**HERITAGE PRESERVATION COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
MINUTES
October 12, 2021**

8:30 AM REGULAR MEETING

1. Site Visit(s)

- a. None

2. Call to Order: Vice Chair Stransky called the meeting to order at 8:30 AM

3. Roll Call

Present: Chair Rina Shah, Vice Chair Annette Stransky, Sharon Boyce-Bender, Marie Lopresto and Priya Shastri

Absent: None

Staff: Nicole Johnson, Senior Planner

4. Oral Communications

None

5. Approval of the September 14, 2021 minutes

SHASTRI/LOPRESTO MOVED TO **APPROVE THE MINUTES FOR THE SEPTEMBER 14 2021 MEETING**. MOTION PASSED. AYES: BOYCE-BENDER, LOPRESTO, SHAH, SHASTRI, STRANSKY. NOES: NONE. ABSTAIN: NONE. ABSENT: NONE

6. New Business

- a. Heritage Orchard Signage

Renee Paquier, Chair of the Parks and Recreation Commission discussed the idea of HPC and PRC Commission working together to come up with language and sign designs for the Heritage Orchard. Commissioner Lopresto discussed the possibility of a bench and informational kiosk, benches similar to Wildwood Park. Paquier discussed in the past, the public was not encouraged to visit the Heritage Orchard. Chair Shah asked if PW is involved with the sign proposal and if they are ok with the commissions to be working on this.

Paquier commented that PW is aware, and they are waiting for the recommendation from the commissioners. Chair Shah asked for subcommittee for two HPC members to work with PRC, commissioners Lopresto and Shariati volunteered.

7. Staff Comments

a. Heritage Orchard update

Nicole Johnson directed the commissioners to review the update provided from Orchard Keepers.

8. Old Business

a. Heritage Preservation Ordinance update

- Update from Commissioners

Chair Shah and Stransky are currently working on providing language, for November.

b. Project status worksheet

None

9. Commission Items

a. Marshall Lane Subdivision

Nicole Johnson provided an update from the October 6th City Council meeting.

10. Adjournment

Vice Chair Stransky adjourned the meeting at 9:10 AM.

Minutes respectfully submitted:

Nicole Johnson, Senior Planner

City of Saratoga