



**Town of Atherton  
ATHERTON RAIL COMMITTEE  
MINUTES**

**Tuesday, February 2, 2016 @ 6:00 p.m.  
TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
94 Ashfield Road - Atherton, California  
REGULAR MEETING**

**1.0 ROLL CALL**

Malcolm Dudley, Rosemary Maulbetsch, Greg Conlon, Paul Jones, Jim Janz, Ellen Jamason, Scott Lane, Nerissa Dexter

Councilmember Liaison: Cary Wiest  
Staff: Mike Kashiwagi  
Excused: Jack Ringham

**2.0 PUBLIC COMMENTS**

- Mike Brady – Measure I – Initiative for the Nov 2016 ballot to transfer unspent Prop 1A Bond funds to California water projects. Would essentially kill HSR.

**3.0 APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Approved as Submitted.

**4.0 PRESENTATIONS**

None

**5.0 REGULAR AGENDA**

**5a. TOS Update**

- Going to trial Feb. 11<sup>th</sup> in Sacramento
- Expected length of hearing = 1 day

**5b. Prop 1A Lawsuit Update**

**5c. High Speed Rail Update**

- Local Policy Maker Group / City-County Staff Coordinating Committee Meetings
- Over \$2 billion awarded in construction packages
- 100 miles under construction
- HNTB (ICF sub) selected for Environmental & Engineering Team
- Record of Decision for San Francisco – San Jose segment complete by Nov 2017
- Doing CEQA and NEPA documents
- Scoping to begin Spring 2016

- Blended System – San Francisco to San Jose
  - Stations being studied – 4<sup>th</sup> and King, Millbrae-SFO, San Jose (Diridon)
  - Mid Peninsula Options – Redwood City, Palo Alto, Mountain View
- Fencing along entire corridor / Quad Gates at every crossing

**5d. Quiet Zone Update**

- Provided update on process and hiring of consultant

**5e. Atherton Station Maintenance**

- Provided update – still waiting to hear back on process for getting approval to inspect station

**6.0 COMMITTEE AND STAFF MEMBER COMMENT**

- Scott – Menlo Park competing for grade separation funding

**7.0 PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

**Meeting Adjourned: 7:42 pm**

**The next Regular meeting is scheduled for April 5, 2016**

Respectfully Submitted,

Michael Kashiwagi