



Technology Committee Regular Meeting – Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 14, 2026, 5:00-6:30 PM
Town Hall Chambers
26379 Fremont Road, Los Altos Hills, CA 94022

Committee meetings are held in-person. As a courtesy, and in compliance with applicable state law, staff and members of the public may participate in the meeting in person at Town Hall or virtually via Zoom Video Conference.

To attend the meeting in person:

Chambers Conference Room, Town Council Chambers, 26379 Fremont Road, Los Altos Hills, CA 94022

To attend via Zoom Video Conference:

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Meeting ID: 475 884 3500 Passcode: waiting room +16469313860,,4758843500#

If you wish to submit a public comment during the meeting, raise your virtual hand. Before speaking, you may optionally identify yourself by name and the city you reside in or relevant professional affiliation.

Note: All votes shall be made by roll call and individual votes will be stated in the minutes.

1. Roll Call

a. Members:

- Andreas Bibl
- Ameesh Divatia
- Annie Ju
- Augustin Farrugia
- Lew Jamison
- George Lee
- Rajesh Shakkarwar
- John Swan (online)
- Sam Wood

b. Associate Members:

- Sally Wood (absent)

c. Council Liaison:

- Rajiv Bhateja

d. Town:

- Joram Parcutilo, Management Analyst

- Cody Einfalt
- e. Public:
- Austin Marshall, member of the community
 - Blain Garst, member of the community
 - Daniel Dulitz, Next Level
 - Sophia, member of the community (online)
 - Ryan, member of the community (online)
 - Birgitta Indaco (online)
 - Matt M (online)
 - Alex White (online)
 - Chris (online)
 - Trevor Chandler (online)
 - Ann M (online)
 - Gautam Agrawal, LAHCF (online)

2. Welcome Members of the Public, Public Comment (up to 3 minutes each)

Austin Marshall and Blaine Garst spoke against the use of Flock drone surveillance technology in Los Altos Hills. Both speakers expressed concerns about privacy, data security, and potential misuse of surveillance data, with Blaine specifically warning about Flock's changing terms of service and its connection to ICE's neighborhood surveillance system.

Sophia and Ryan spoke against renewing Los Altos' contract with Flock, citing concerns about the security and effectiveness of their surveillance cameras, which they argue infringe on civil liberties and are not supported by reliable data. They highlighted Flock's lack of transparency, history of data breaches, and potential for misuse, as well as the fact that other cities have ended their contracts with Flock.

3. Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes - 5 minutes

Motion	Approve 12/10/25 Meeting Minutes		
Moved by:	Rajesh Shakkarwar		
Seconded:	Lew Jamison		
Roll Call:	Yes	No	Abstain
Andreas	X		
Ameesh	X		
Annie	X		
Augustin	X		
Lew	X		
George	X		
Rajesh	X		
John	-		
Sam	X		

Approved unanimously	X		
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4. LAH Town Hall Camera Installation Update – Joram Parcutilo, George Lee (10 minutes)

Not discussed.

5. Verizon proposal for lease renewal of cell tower sites – Verizon (15 minutes) (term sheet attached)

The technology committee discussed a Verizon tower proposal, expressing concerns about the signal quality and requesting more information before agreeing to negotiations. The Technology Committee discussed Verizon's proposal for a reduced rent or lump sum payment to renew their lease for the telecom pole space at Town Hall. The committee explored the implications of converting the macro site to a microsite, considering the future of cell phone technology and the value of the proposed \$400,000 lump sum payment compared to ongoing rent.

Motion	Motion: Request to have more conversation with Verizon – the Technology Committee has several technical questions to be answered by Verizon before we can provide a recommendation.		
Moved by:	Sam Wood		
Seconded:	Lew Jamison		
Roll Call:	Yes	No	Abstain
Andreas	X		
Ameesh	X		
Annie	X		
Augustin	X		
Lew	X		
George	X		
Rajesh	X		
John	-		
Sam	X		
Approved unanimously	X		

6. Flock Safety Renewal Discussion – Trevor Chandler, Flock (15 minutes)

The committee discussed Flock's contract for ALPR cameras with the town, which runs for one year with a four-year renewal option. Trevor confirmed that the town is not obligated to renew but would need to provide 30 days' notice if they choose not to. The committee raised concerns about federal agency involvement and data security, to which Trevor assured that Flock has no contracts

with ICE, CBP, or DHS, and explained their data handling and security measures. They also proposed requesting a technical discussion with Flock to evaluate their security practices.

Motion	Recommend to Council to give Technology Committee more time to have discussions with FLOCK, and also to Amend data sharing agreement, for the March 19 meeting (by March 12)		
Moved by:	Annie Ju		
Seconded:	Ameesh Divatia		
Roll Call:	Yes	No	Abstain
Andreas	X		
Ameesh	X		
Annie	X		
Augustin	X		
Lew	X		
George	X		
Rajesh	X		
John	-		
Sam	X		
Approved unanimously	X		

7. LAH Burglary mitigation measures (discuss drone surveillance) – Cody (10 minutes)
Not discussed.

8. LAH/Foothill/Hidden Villa/LAHCF Update – Daniel, LAHCF, WooJae (10 minutes)
Not discussed.

9. Fire mitigation next steps – (10 minutes)

For fire mitigation, the committee proposed making an appeal to AlertCalifornia for camera installation and discussed the potential use of drones and other technology for fire detection. They agreed to do more research before making any resolutions on fire mitigation.

10. Adjourn - Adjourned at 6:40 PM.

Next Meeting: February 11, 2026