



CITY OF GILROY

ARTS AND CULTURE  
COMMISSION



REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2026 | 6:30 PM

CITY CHAMBERS, CITY HALL  
7351 ROSANNA STREET, GILROY, CA 95020

**Chair:** Ruben Dario Villa

**Vice Chair:** Steven Porter

**Commissioners:** Camille McCormack, Makhan Gupta, & Wendy Zamora

**Executive Sponsor:** Kylie Katsuyoshi, Management Analyst Trainee

**Staff Liaison:** Stefan Mercer, Management Assistant



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The agenda for this regular meeting is as follows:

- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. SECRETARY'S REPORT**
- 4. INTRODUCTION OF NEW COMMISSIONER**
  - 4.1. Introduction of Commissioner Makhan Gupta**
- 5. ORDERS OF THE DAY**
- 6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
  - 6.1. Approval of the Minutes from the January 13, 2026, Regular Meeting of the Arts and Culture Commission**
- 7. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA**
- 8. OLD BUSINESS**
  - 8.1. Fiscal Year 2026 and 2027 Work Plan**
    1. Staff Report: Kylie Katsuyoshi, Management Analyst Trainee
    2. Public Comment
    3. Possible Action:  
Commissioners and sub-committees update the Commission on plans and progress of workplan items and provide information to the new commissioner, Commissioner Gupta.
  - 8.2. For the Love of Gilroy Public Art Campaign and Unveiling Event**
    1. Staff Report: Kylie Katsuyoshi, Management Analyst Trainee
    2. Public Comment
    3. Possible Action:  
Commission discussion and planning for the February 20, 2026, unveiling event.
- 9. NEW BUSINESS**
  - 9.1. Exploration of Art In-Lieu Fees**
    1. Staff Report: Kylie Katsuyoshi, Management Analyst Trainee
    2. Public Comment
    3. Possible Action:  
Commission discussion on the concept of an art in-lieu fee program.

- 10. GILROY ART-RELATED COMMUNITY EVENT UPDATES**
- 11. COMMISSION COMMENTS**
- 12. STAFF COMMENTS**
- 13. FUTURE AGENDA ITEM REQUESTS**
- 14. ADJOURNMENT**

#### **FUTURE MEETING DATES**

March 10, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
April 14, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
May 12, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
June 9, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
July 14, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
August 11, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
September 8, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
October 13, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
November 10, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM  
December 8, 2026 – Gilroy City Council Chambers – 6:30 PM