

AGENDA NO: 10a

MEETING DATE: February 19, 2019

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council

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From: Lisa K. Goldman, City Manager – (650) 558-7243

Subject: Discussion of Mayor Colson's Recommendation to Convene Community

Conversations Around Housing

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the City Council discuss the Mayor's recommendation to convene community conversations around housing.

BACKGROUND

During the Future Agenda Topics section of the February 4, 2019 City Council meeting, Mayor Colson suggested that the Council begin holding small group discussions around housing in Burlingame. These discussions would be modeled after the Senior Listening Sessions that the Parks and Recreation Department coordinates, though the Mayor noted that the housing discussions could occur with little to no staff involvement.

DISCUSSION

This agenda item is intended to allow the City Council to discuss the Mayor's suggestion and determine whether there is Council interest in pursuing this suggestion.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report. There may be minimal staff costs involved in coordinating and publicizing these sessions depending on the level of staff involvement required.