Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Dec 7
Thank you especially for the many years of service by Barry Chang and Savita Vaidhyanathan! Both are political Trail Blazers!

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Dec 7
Cupertino welcomes our new City Council: Mayor Steven Scharf, Vice Mayor Liang Chao, Council Members Darcy Paul, Jon Willey and Rod Sinks.
Congratulations and Best Wishes for the coming year!
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Dec 5
Official Final Results! Better Cupertino holds Cupertino City Council Majority.

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Dec 3
Replying to @CityofCupertino
And the Menorah was lit Sunday evening!
December 3

Maintaining his lead, BC has three council seats out of five. Fourth seat Mayor Paul returns... he voted against the Vallco Specific Plan citing the housing deficit caused by excess office... 1,611 unit shortfall.

Monday update is here: 2 votes added and Jon Willey still has the third seat.
Menorah lighting in Cupertino's Cali Mill Plaza Tonight

Still waiting...swearing in ceremony next week.

Hooboy...still 43 ahead for Jon Willey. 3 votes added...
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 29
Yes, little minion, go to bed.

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 29
Is it almost finished?
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 29
Jon Willey Lead widens today to 43

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 29
40 Point Jon Willey Lead... it is happening.
Employee break room in the parking garage underground and off of a laundry room.
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 28
Where will their employees live at this location directly on the Cupertino border? Lots of affordable housing there?

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 27
Jon Willey 35 point lead today
Cupertino City Council fails to protect Vallco From SB35 Nov2017. 7 minu... youtu.be/YtGZHbZ_gJI via @YouTube

No change today! JW still up by 38 votes.
Everybody hitting refresh compulsively in Cupertino?! Yes we are!

#votecountissoslow will Jon Willey maintain his lead for the third seat?

Are you bored waiting for today’s election update? It’s been almost 3 weeks...

Jon Willey up by 38 votes
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 21
No updates until Friday or Saturday when provisional ballots get counted...

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 21
Cute gif incoming! Waiting for the 5 pm update...#votecountissoslow New CCC swearing in happens early December...
That Code of Ethics discussion was the epitome of irony.

Hmmm...Barry Chang, Rod Sinks, and Savita Vaidhyanathan appears to have secured On another’s votes on the Code of Ethics, not all even read it and they fired City Attorney Hom.

Watch Oral Communications for tonight’s City Council meeting.
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 20

two weeks on and the third seat sits one vote apart and still headed for a recount...

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 19

With only one vote showing Jon Willey in the third seat, the count is within 0.25% of ballots cast...unless the gap is about 59 or more, there will be a recount...#votecountissoslow
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 19
Only one vote separates the third seat winner currently in the very close Cupertino City Council race-after voting November 6, counting continues. Will it head to a recount? #votecountissoslow

Model continues to predict JW win. Need another cute gif??? #votecountissoslow
Bbetter Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 18
Jon Willey back in 3rd seat

Bbetter Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 17
CASA Steering Committee - Nov 14, 2018 youtu.be/VDi5XA59CWE via @YouTube

Bbetter Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 17
CASA Technical Committee - Nov 14, 2018 youtu.be/TvlttsbRwVk via @YouTube

Bbetter Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 17
ABAG Executive Board Meeting - Nov 15, 2018 - 375 Beale St. S.F. youtu.be/GUueHwCkdtM via @YouTube
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 17
ABAG Executive Board Discussion of CASA - Nov 14, 2018 youtu.be/aJD0pg8TjCs via @YouTube

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 17
youtu.be/jNNgUHgS7TU CASA

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 17
ABAG Ex Bd - Heminger - Comments - about CASA - Nov 15, 2018 youtu.be/FrY0I4jP_JE via @YouTube

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 17
Showing precincts with 0 ballots cast generating votes... how does that happen? Download the summary files with ballots cast, compare them to the details files with actual votes. Math folks don’t like the disconnect......not at all.
Saturday update 5pm...still in recount territory.

Welcome back to the 11th day of Election “Night” Reporting, yesterday we saw 66 ballots counted with no votes, what will Today bring? #votecountissoslow A Cute gif while we wait...

Oh wait they've updated the date and added no ballots...we clearly must be done and Savita must concede to Jon Willey!!
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino   Nov 16
Wait, that’s a manual count, too slow...keep going ROV!!!

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino   Nov 16
Maybe they should bring in The Count!  #votecountissoslow
Did the 2003 laptop workhorse crash? Put it on life support...get it a pillow...we can rebuild it...make it faster...stronger #votecountissoslow

Pretty sure SCC ROV is a stealth follower of this tweet thread

5:19 and no 5 pm update...betting on a 5:43 update to make up for yesterday’s early one?
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 16

Why are they called election NIGHT results when the election was 10 days ago?

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 16

Does it mean they post 40 minutes late today? #votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 16

Need a cute gif while you wait??? Incoming...#votecountissoslow recall they posted at 4:17 yesterday...
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 16
5:10 and no 5 pm update #votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 15
This is not healthy
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 15
Jon Willey has overtaken the 3rd seat with a single vote advantage.

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 15
Still in manual recount territory
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 15
And here it is....

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 15
Waiting anxiously for the 5 pm update? Enjoy a comforting cute gif
#votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 15
Are respirators 😷 in the Community Benefits package? purpleair.com
...to the moon AND BACK.

Vehicle Miles Traveled for Vallco Specific Plan? Distance to the moon.
Trajectory predicts a JW win, so let's watch closely as provisional ballots (30,000) and vote by mail (11,000) remain. Only 655 Cupertino ballots were counted today. Precincts hovering around 80% turnout with plenty of others with room to increase...

Here it is...8 votes separating 3rd and 4th spots...
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 14
Readings from airnow.gov are much lower...? Many more purpleair.com sensors in the area.

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 14
Purpleair.com air quality readings for Cupertino now
Next vote update today at 5pm #votecountissoslow cute gif to pass the time...

Ballot count trivia: county-wide there are 30,000 provisional ballots to be counted which will take through the weekend. And 11,000 vote by mail ballots left to be counted probably today and tomorrow. Cute gif for you #votecountissoslow
Enjoy a gif of an elephant shrew while we wait for the 5 pm update

#votecountissoslow

Next update tomorrow at 5pm (not 9am?). Still in recount territory 😞
Need another cute gif while we wait for the 5 pm update? #votecountissoslow

The Why? campaign:

A small (but well-funded) group with a hidden agenda is trying to take control of our city.

The Why? campaign drove these trailers through town and parked at various highly visible locations.
0.25% is only about 58 votes. With just two votes separating the third seat a MANUAL recount would be triggered. Estimated 7,000-9,000 votes (not ballots) remain. Back at 5!

Two votes separating third seat. Looking at recount or win. Hang on for a bumpy ride #votecountissoslow but so thrilling!
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 12
#votecountissoslow Serenity Prayer...

A recount is triggered automatically when 0.25% of ballots cast separate...79 votes only separating 3 and 4th place. Now a pleasingly cute gif...
Uh oh #votecountissoslow are we approaching a recount? Please no...however we really appreciate the thorough counting 😊

Update here! Next update 9am
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 12
PDF 142. Margin of victory 0.25% or 25 votes goes to MANUAL recount
sccgov.org/sites/bos/Legi... let the margins increase

And another cute gif while we wait for the Cupertino City Council vote count to finish #votecountissoslow
Cute gif incoming! #votecountissoslow

Latest update today!

Some of the yard signs were repurposed ones with a massive sticker on both sides. All the metal stakes and boards are neatly bundled and saved to use again.
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 12
Disassembling, sorting, bundling, and storing...8 hours. Great job volunteers! 😊

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 12
Better Cupertino collecting hundreds of yard signs

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 11
Let’s stop HCD from working to have 8,000 unhoused workers live in a parking garage.
Are the unhoused office employees going to live in the residential parking garages?

The law would now allow any amount of square footage of parking be counted as residential space. For instance a developer could build a 4 Million SF residential parking garage which would then enable an additional 2 Million SF of office space.
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 11
Back to cute gifs #votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 11
Update to ballot counting! Next update at 5pm...
Without coastline, Cupertino smells surprisingly fishy...
And we are cheering!

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 10
Looks like Jerry Liu has made it to CUSD

Veteran’s Day is observed Monday November 12, that would mean no ballot counting... #votecountissoslow Cute gif
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 10
Back to sleep everyone...no update until tomorrow morning and no Cupertino ballots were counted today! Cute gif time #votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 10
Waited all day and they added zero ballots to the Saturday count. Cute gif for waiting! We will Keep em rolling...

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 10
Cupertino residents be like:
And Vallco SB35, supported by Weiner, has dragged the City of Cupertino into the start of a messy lawsuit against the City by the fired former City Attorney who found Vallco SB35 not compliant with SB35 sanjoseinside.com/wp-content/upl...

Last week of campaign a stinging and false claim plastered on the sides of a huge trailer rolled through Cupertino
They, SFYIMBY, descended on Better Cupertino's forum. Interesting who funded the PAC and that YIMBY Candidate lost with record money support. Why? did that happen...

Forgot the hashtag #votecountissoslow so we got an extra cute gif for you!

Stuck indoors with bad air quality? Waiting for election results with us? Here's another comforting cute gif!
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 10
Still waiting on the election results... #votecountissoslow Enjoy sleepy duckling in our expanding collection of cute gifs!

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 10
More cute gifs coming! We are still waiting for the City Council voting count to finish #votecountissoslow
More random cute gifs 😃 while we wait for Cupertino City Council Results #votecountissoslow

That’s about 8 more ballots #votecountissoslow

This morning’s update
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 9
Otterly cute! Passing time waiting for the Cupertino City Council Vote tally...
#votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 9
Nom nom nom #votecountissoslow
Cute random gif hot doggie dogs! #votecountissoslow

While we locally wait on ballot counting we are posting comforting cute gifs #votecountissoslow

Another cute gif while we wait #votecountissoslow by our estimation we are less than half counted in Cupertino.
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 9
Only 10,057 Cupertino ballots have been counted. Over 23,000 were cast in 2016. Back to cute gifs while we wait 😒 #votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 9
Today’s update is out, next update tomorrow at 9 am
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 9
Yes! We are still waiting on the Cupertino City Council Vote Results, passing the time with random cute gifs #votecountissoslow

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 9
My goodness there are a lot of random cute gifs...#votecountissoslow
Another random cute gif #votecountissoslow

Passing the time #votecountissoslow with random cute gifs
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 9
The 2016 results #votecountissoslow cupertino.org/Home/Component...

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Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 9
Here, 2016 stats for the 2 of 8 City Council race. Measures C and D let us know we had about 23,000 voters who then cast 36,000 votes for the 2 of 8 race for city council. Assume a range of 36,000-59,000 for the 3 of 8 race because each voter can vote for 3. #votecountissoslow

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The kids are stir crazy waiting 😞 #votecountissoslow
Hang in there! #votecountissoslow Sharing random cute gifs...

Please enjoy another random cute gif #votecountissoslow E+3 = last day for USPS to deliver ballots to ROV! 😊
participating who last 2016 vote for 2 of 8 cast 36,000 votes

Better Cupertino  @BetterCupertino  Nov 8
Remember we are at slightly more than 50% counted with an unknown total still coming in. Enjoy the random cute kitten gif 😻

Better Cupertino  @BetterCupertino  Nov 8
And this year’s updates are here: results.enr.clarityelections.com/CA/Santa_Clara... enjoy a random gif of Bob Ross while we wait 😊
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 8
Nearly imperceptible change adding 45 votes...

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 8
Ballots have until Friday to arrive by mail...
Election “night” reporting is approximately 7 days long...but very thorough with a giant paper trail. Still trailing in from the USPS.

Yes, we are waiting on SCCROV’s daily update from a 2003 laptop

Plus butterfly gardens and apiaries
Ballot Purgatory, over 270,000 ballots waiting to be sorted and counted with even more piling until cutoff date Friday...

Letitia James was the Council Member helping the resident cause

Santa Clara County has an unofficial record mail in ballots at 270,000. We are still off to the races...sometime Friday through Monday something will be known...stay tuned!
Santa Clara County has one of the highest rates of mail in ballots in the state to count making the process slower than molasses. Those signatures have to be verified...so check back later...

Buckle up, this may take days to weeks...
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 6
Cupertino Get Out and Vote!!

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 6
Better Cupertino Human Chain Rally 👍👍👍
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 6
...but that was a closed session...and SB35 is a ministerial decision outside of the hands of city council...PS, GO VOTE!!!

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 6
So what happened?....

Is there a missing group of texts? Apparent disconnect between the Tort Claim regarding texts and the Barry Chang Claim? sanjoseinside.com/wp-content/upl...
compare with views of texts shared here: ktsf.com/2018/11/05/bar... and hereyoutu.be/DrleCHpD8HY (start at 19:58)
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 6
Get out and VOTE! Cupertino needs a change Now!

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 5
More Human Chain Rally

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 5
19:58 Barry Chang decides to speak about the Tort Claim Against the City Council and himself the night before the election: youtu.be/DrleCHpD8HY?...
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 5
Start at 19:58...

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino  Nov 5
Barry Chang speaks at Oral Communications: Cupertino City Council Meeting - November 5, 2018 youtu.be/DrlcCHpD8HY via @YouTube
More Great Signs at Human Chain Rally 🎉👍😊

Vote for Accountability! Vote for Change!

Save Cupertino

We love Cupertino

Cupertino Council shouldn't be bought!

We deserve better

Too much traffic. Stop developer shills

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More Great Signs at Human Chain Rally 👍👍👍

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More Human Chain Rally 🤝💪🏻

More Human Chain Event 👍💪🏻

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Wonderful turn out at Chain Event Today!🎉👍🏆
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Chain Event Was Rocking!!
Is Savita Vaidhyanathan on your side? Let us check. No. https://youtu.be/31NsbrYN9nc via @YouTube

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Chain Event Coming Today!
Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 3
In Cupertino, it happens next to the precious library where people talk and share ideas.

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【加州2018選舉季特別節目】Cupertino 市議員候選人專訪 youtu.be/BbxcQkdlzh8 via @YouTube

Better Cupertino @BetterCupertino Nov 3
Fire Truck at Hero’s Run!
City council candidate Jon Willey visiting with a concerned resident today...

Even Bigger Chain Event Today!!!

Cupertino has a lot of inconvenient truths