



**City of South San Francisco**  
PRESS RELEASE

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**South San Francisco City Clerk's Office to Provide Interpretation  
Services at Upcoming City Council Meetings**

*Services available starting with the March 10, 2021 City Council Meeting*

**SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., March 5, 2021** – In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), members of the public requesting accessibility modifications or accommodations such as interpretation, sign language signers, or translation services may contact the City Clerk's Office beginning March 10, 2021.

"Our office is proud to be able to offer these services to our diverse population of South San Francisco," said South San Francisco City Clerk Rosa Govea Acosta. "We want to remove language barriers that would otherwise prevent limited English-proficient speakers from accessing state and local programs and services to which they are entitled."

The City of South San Francisco proactively provides translation of written materials for community members that are not proficient in the English language. Materials are translated into Spanish, Tagalog, and Chinese (Cantonese).

**How to Request These Services**

To ensure the availability of services, members of the public must request assistance 72 hours in advance of the meeting.

Members of the public can email the City Clerk's office at [All-CC@ssf.net](mailto:All-CC@ssf.net) to request these services. If email is not an option, you can also reach them at (650) 877-8518.

"We are committed to improving the accessibility of these services and providing equal access to them," adds Govea Acosta.

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