

Agenda Item A.2 CONSENT CALENDAR Meeting Date: January 6, 2020

**TO:** Library Advisory Commission

**FROM:** Allison Gray, Library Director

**SUBJECT:** Goleta Valley Library, Library Mission Statement

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Support the Library Director's recommendation to the City Council for a new Library Mission Statement.

## DISCUSSION:

A mission statement or vision statement is a brief description of the purpose and/or goals of a business or organization.

The Library Advisory Commission has been advising the Library Director on the development of an effective mission statement for the Goleta Valley Library since its October meeting. In December, it arrived at the following statement:

"The Goleta Valley Library is a community center that serves our diverse community by leveraging public assets to support the joy of lifelong, multi-generational learning, civil engagement, and the respectful exchange of ideas and information - both within the physical walls of the library and far beyond."

**Review By:** 

Allison Gray

**Library Director** 

Approved By:

Kristine Schmidt Assistant City Manager