

Friends of Better Cupertino v City of Cupertino (SB35) 18CV330190 – Attorneys’ Fees

In response to your public records request for “Valco SB 35 attorney fees,” the City of Cupertino is providing this list of all legal costs associated with Friends of Better Cupertino, et al. v. City of Cupertino, et al., Santa Clara Superior Court Case No.

18CV330190 (“Lawsuit”). Within this document you will find the monthly invoice amount and date broken down by law firm. Below are the total amounts spent on all legal costs associated with the Lawsuit broken down by year.

2018: \$ 91,365.23

2019: \$138,984.46

2020: \$ 11,032.70

Please note that prior to August 2019, the City had in-house City Attorneys. While the bulk of the work for the above-named lawsuit was performed by outside consulting attorneys, the City Attorneys also likely contributed on these projects. We are unable to determine what portion of the City Attorneys’ time was dedicated to this litigation. Instead, we are providing the total office salary for all City Attorneys’ from the years 2018 to 2019 below.

2018: \$495,436.66

2019: \$168,124.86

| Law firm: | Monthly Charge: | Date: |
|--------------|-----------------|------------|
| Wendel Rosen | \$11,220.00 | 06/30/2018 |
| | \$ 5,207.47 | 07/31/2018 |
| | \$ 740.68 | 08/31/2018 |
| | \$ 3,035.39 | 09/30/2018 |
| | \$ 4,467.40 | 10/31/2018 |
| | \$30,197.17 | 11/30/2018 |
| | \$36,497.12 | 12/31/2018 |
| | \$18,122.95 | 01/31/2019 |
| | \$19,140.10 | 02/28/2019 |
| | \$ 7,058.05 | 03/31/2019 |
| | \$ 3,344.90 | 04/30/2019 |
| | \$18,530.00 | 05/31/2019 |
| | \$ 5,278.75 | 06/30/2019 |
| | \$ 1,484.80 | 07/31/2019 |
| | \$ 1,782.50 | 08/31/2019 |
| | \$ 552.50 | 09/30/2019 |
| | \$ 2,372.50 | 10/31/2019 |
| | \$ 1,657.50 | 11/04/2019 |
| | \$ 382.50 | 11/30/2019 |

Total legal fees: \$171,072.28

| Law firm: | Monthly Charge: | Date: |
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| Shute Mihaly & Weinberger | | |
| | \$ 4,612.50 | 06/26/2019 |
| | \$ 8,296.02 | 07/22/2019 |
| | \$ 8,971.09 | 08/29/2019 |
| | \$22,319.70 | 09/26/2019 |
| | \$ 5,080.75 | 10/28/2019 |
| | \$ 4,943.01 | 11/29/2019 |
| | \$ 1,591.24 | 12/31/2019 |
| | \$ 3,463.10 | 01/31/2020 |
| | \$ 55.00 | 02/28/2020 |
| | \$ 220.00 | 04/29/2020 |
| | \$ 4.20 | 05/29/2020 |
| | \$ 9,680.00 | 06/30/2020 |
| | \$ 1,073.50 | 08/14/2020 |

Total legal fees: \$70,310.11

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CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE*



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| vlco-600(vlc_1pro) | | WENDEL ROSEN-VALLCO(JUN WR-INV#2000169350 6/30/18 | LEGAL FEE | 11,220.00 |
| vlco-600(vlc_1pro) | | WENDEL ROSEN-VALLCO(JUN WR-INV#2000170940 7/31/18 | LEGAL FEE | 5,207.47 |
| vlco-600(vlc_1pro) | | WENDEL ROSEN-VALLCO(JUN WR-INV#2000171638 8/31/18 | LEGAL FEE | 740.68 |
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