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### **Cities Matter Summit**

April 16, 2021 | 9:00 am - 11:30 am

In a time of remote work, game changing local developments and the biggest infrastructure program since the Eisenhower administration comes our Housing, Land-Use and Transportation Summit CITIES MATTER. New Special Guest, just added: Secretary of Transportation, Pete Buttigieg for **Infrastructure In-Depth** with interviewer San Jose Mayor, Sam Liccardo. Also a closing keynote address from California Senate President Pro-Tempore Toni Atkins. Plus new FTA Deputy Administrator Nuria Fernandez in her first talk with Silicon Valley since leaving VTA to join the Biden-Harris Administration and a fireside chat with Google Senior Director Alexa Arena on the new Downtown West project. Get tickets now. Free for SVLG

members.



**Local and State AAPI Leaders Come Together:** On April 9, 2021, the Leadership Group hosted the "It Stops With Us: Fighting AAPI Hate Crime Town Hall."

Leaders gathered to address the violence toward Asian Americans and the actions that are being taken in the broader San Francisco. Although it was an event for our members, the conversations we held were too important not to share. Click below to listen to insights from leaders at Waymo, Texas Instruments, East West Bank, California State Assembly, Santa Clara County,

and more. Thank you to Deloitte, Southwest Airlines, and Western Digital for sponsoring this important town hall.

[Watch Now](#)

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## CELEBRATING WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH



**A Look Back:** Last month we posted resources, member initiatives, and our

favorite CEO quotes to show our appreciation of all of the talented and strong women that frankly don't get uplifted enough.

While March is officially known as Women's History Month, it's important to note that we need to be as supportive and intentional about inclusivity EVERY single day.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS



## **Lam Research Heart & Soles Run**

May 15 & 16, 2021

Brought to you by the SVLG Foundation: Hit the road in style this year with the 2021 Lam Research Heart & Soles Run race shirt! Join us for our virtual 5K/10K run with a NEW addition - the Spring into Fitness Challenge! All registrants will be automatically enrolled in this new challenge where we're motivating YOU to go out, get active, and earn milestone badges along the way! All 5K/10K registrants will receive a race shirt. [\*\*REGISTER HERE\*\*](#).

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## **Race to Net Zero Summit**

June 25, 2021 | Time TBD

The Leadership Group has hosted an “Energy and Sustainability Summit” for the past eight years. June 25 will be our 9th Annual Summit, titled “The Race to Net Zero: Resilient, Equitable Solutions for the Climate.” It will be entirely virtual. The Summit showcases outstanding corporate practices in the sustainability space, provides a platform for discussion of the latest trends in climate and clean energy, and connects people to policy. [\*\*REGISTER HERE\*\*](#).

We welcome your submissions of case studies, panel proposals and speaker nominations to possibly feature in our ESS21 program. The submission deadline is Friday, April 23. For more information and to submit content for consideration, please contact Christophe LaBelle at [\*\*clabelle@svlg.org\*\*](mailto:clabelle@svlg.org).

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## **MEMBER SPOTLIGHT**





**Game-Changing Partnership:** Our members PayPal and the San Jose Earthquakes struck a 10-year deal together; **PayPal Park** is scheduled to have a 250-seat reserved section for underserved people and allow local youth and nonprofit organizations the opportunity to play games in the stadium through the partnership. In addition, the deal will help Bay Area small businesses reach new audiences through stadium advertising they normally could not afford. Learn more [here](#).

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**SVLG IN THE NEWS**

### [Prince Harry Joining San Francisco Mental Health Wellness Startup](#)

CEO Ahmad Thomas was quoted in an article by CBS about Prince Harry's new role at BetterUp, and what he can bring to the table from his global mindset and his value in diversity.

### [Bay Area traffic is now back in full force. Here's a look at the data](#)

The San Francisco Chronicle featured SVLG's Transportation and Housing VP, Jason Baker in an article about transportation changes in the Bay Area as reopening rolls out; traffic trends are predicted to return back to pre-COVID conditions; "We fear could it come back even worse if we don't encourage people to get back on transit and if people don't keep up the biking and walking they adopted during the pandemic."

### [There's another plan to fix Bay Area transit. Can it get out of the station?](#)

The Silicon Valley Business Journal mentioned SVLG in an article about Seamless Bay Area's effort towards creating a regional transit agency that would unify operations, coordinate timetables and oversee fares for transit systems.

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## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

[Eat Like a Woman](#) | [Udacity](#) | [OJK Architecture + Planning](#) | Salud Enterprises



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