January 7, 2021

LETTER TO THE COMMUNITY

Dear Foster City,

On January 4, 2021, I officially began as the City Manager for the City of Foster City. It is with great honor and privilege that I serve this community.

Since my appointment was first announced in December 2020, I have been looking forward to serving this great city. What has been evident to me is that Foster City is a community with tremendous civic pride and engagement. I look forward to this opportunity to work collaboratively with the residents and businesses, to support the City Council in achieving our shared vision and goals for the future of Foster City.

Foster City has experienced unprecedented challenges over the past year. Despite this, the strong foundation in which this community has been built upon is what has and will allow us to navigate these difficult times. We are entering a transformational period for Foster City, so I ask for your patience as we work through these challenging times together. I take this role as your new City Manager with a commitment and resolve to work tirelessly to see us through these turbulent times.

Together, I envision focusing on how we can increase our civic engagement and community outreach efforts, ensuring we promote an open and accessible government, as well as bring innovative solutions as we advance organizational efficiency and effectiveness. These are just some broad elements that will serve the community well for decades into the future.

Foster City has many talented leaders, managers, and employees at all levels of the organization. It is through their skill and dedication, alongside a cooperative relationship between our elected leaders, business, and community members, that will empower us to achieve new heights.

I am extremely humbled and want to let you know we, your Foster City government, are here to serve you.

Sincerely,

Peter Pirnejad
City Manager, City of Foster City