MINUTES FOR THE REGULR MEETING OF THE LA MIRADA SENIOR COUNCIL APRIL 26, 2023

CALL TO ORDER The meeting of the La Mirada Senior Council was

called to order at 10 a.m. at the La Mirada Activity Center, Community Room 1, 13810 La Mirada

Boulevard, La Mirada, California 90638.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairperson

Martha Viayra

ROLL CALL

Present: Chairperson Martha Viayra

Vice Chairperson Larry Torres

Member Diane Albert
Member Mariann Hampton
Member Larry McCollum
Member Peggy Roman
Member Tom Rosholt
Member Eugena Thomas

Absent: Member Mary Hall

Staff: Lisa Montoya, Community Services Supervisor

Micaela Diores, Community Services Secretary

PUBLIC COMMENT

Resident Marlene Olsen said Neighborhood Watch meetings for the La Mirada Vistas and Lake Park La Mirada will take place on May 17.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF MARCH 22, 2023

Member Roman moved and Member Rosholt seconded to approve the minutes of the March 22, 2023 Senior Council meeting.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES: Vice Chairperson Torres, Members Albert, Hampton, McCollum,

Roman, Rosholt, Thomas

NOES: None

ABSENT: Member Hall

ABSTAIN: Chairperson Viayra

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2. SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

Chairperson Viayra reported on activities at Breezewood Village.

Member Roman reported on activities at La Mirada Landmark.

Member Thomas reported on activities at Somerset Glen.

Member McCollum reported on activities at Vista Alicante.

Member Hampton reported on the La Mirada Theatre for the Performing Arts and McCoy Rigby Entertainment's production of *The King and I.*

Vice Chairperson Torres said the Veterans Discussion Group meeting on May 4 will be held at VFW Post 9148. He reported on the Memorial Day Ceremony on May 29 at Olive Lawn Memorial.

NEW BUSINESS

3. OLDER AMERICANS MONTH

Aquatics Manager Liza Soto provided a brief background on Older Americans Month and said this year's theme is *Aging Unbound*. She reported several free workshops are taking place at the La Mirada Activity Center in the month of May.

Vice Chairperson Torres provided positive feedback regarding the Second Half of Life workshop and other activities scheduled for Older Americans Month.

Chairperson Viayra, Member Rosholt, and Member Hampton volunteered to assist with the senior Jeopardy game on May 31.

COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION REPORT

There was no Community Services Commission report.

MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Member Rosholt reported on the Hillsborough Homeowner Association's community crime prevention program. He provided positive feedback regarding the City's Easter Egg Hunt. He said the Veterans Legal Institute attended the Veterans Discussion Group meeting on April 6 and provided valuable information regarding free and low-cost services available to current and former service members.

STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS

Community Services Secretary Diores thanked Chairperson Viayra, Member Albert, and Member Roman for volunteering to assist with the Mother Daughter Luncheon on May 13. She encouraged Members to RSVP and attend the Volunteer Appreciation Day at Splash! on May 21.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 10:35 a.m.

Submitted:

Micaela Diores

Community Services Secretary

Attest:

Martha Viayra

Chairperson