

**MINUTES FOR THE REGULAR MEETING
OF THE LA MIRADA SENIOR COUNCIL
JULY 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 Vice Chairperson Larry Torres

ROLL CALL

Present: Vice Chairperson Larry Torres
Member Diane Albert
Member Mary Hall
Member Mariann Hampton
Member Peggy Roman
Member Tom Rosholt
Member Eugena Thomas

Absent: Chairperson Martha Viayra
Member Larry McCollum

Staff: Lisa Montoya, Community Services Supervisor
Micaela Diores, Community Services Secretary

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Residents John and Draga Dobreá said they were interested in activities and programs for seniors in the community.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF JUNE 28, 2023

Member Hall moved and Member Roman seconded to approve the minutes of the June 28, 2023 Senior Council meeting.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES: Members Albert, Hall, Hampton, Roman, Rosholt, Thomas

NOES: None

ABSENT: Chairperson Viayra, Member McCollum

ABSTAIN: Vice Chairperson Torres

REORGANIZATION

2. REORGANIZATION OF THE LA MIRADA SENIOR COUNCIL

Community Services Supervisor Lisa Montoya reported on the procedure for the reorganization of the La Mirada Senior Council.

Community Services Secretary Micaela Diore opened the floor for nominations for Chairperson.

Member Roman moved and Member Thomas seconded to elect Member Viayra as Chairperson for the La Mirada Senior Council.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES: Members Albert, Hall, Hampton, Roman, Rosholt, Thomas, Torres
NOES: None
ABSENT: Members McCollum, Viayra
ABSTAIN: None

Community Services Secretary Diore opened the floor for nominations for Vice Chairperson.

Member Roman moved and Member Hall seconded to elect Member Torres to serve as Vice Chairperson of the La Mirada Senior Council.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES: Members Roman, Hampton
NOES: Members Abert, Hall, Rosholt, Thomas, Torres
ABSENT: Chairperson Viayra, Member McCollum
ABSTAIN: None

Member Rosholt moved and Member Torres seconded to elect Member Hall to serve as Vice Chairperson of the La Mirada Senior Council.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES: Members Albert, Hall, Rosholt, Thomas, Torres
NOES: Members Roman, Hampton
ABSENT: Chairperson Viayra, Member McCollum
ABSTAIN: None

Community Services Supervisor Montoya congratulated Vice Chairperson Hall. Mrs. Montoya commented on Chairperson Viayra's absence and said staff will contact her to confirm acceptance of the position.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

3. SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

Member Roman reported on activities at La Mirada Landmark. She said senior trips planned by La Mirada Landmark are open to non-residents.

Member Thomas reported on activities at Somerset Glen including a summer BBQ party and monthly birthday celebrations.

Vice Chairperson Hall reported on activities at Lake Park La Mirada including the Independence Day parade. She provided positive feedback on the "Shake, Rattle, and Roll" dance.

Member Rosholt provided an update on Member McCollum and encouraged Members to sign a get-well soon card. He provided positive feedback on the Concert Under the Stars series and the La Mirada Housing for All presentation on July 10 at the Activity Center.

Member Torres commented on pickleball's increasing popularity. He recommended that cornhole matches be included in future senior events at the Activity Center.

NEW BUSINESS

4. ACTIVITY CENTER FALL PROGRAMS AND EVENTS UPDATE

Community Services Supervisor Montoya reported on the Activity Center's upcoming programs in the fall, including the Community Health Information and Safety Fair on September 13 and the annual Fall Festival on October 12.

Member Thomas asked for an update on the request for genealogy classes to be offered at the Activity Center.

Community Services Supervisor Montoya responded and said staff has contacted the Whittier Area Genealogical Society regarding the request. She said an update will be provided at the next meeting.

COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION REPORT

There was no Community Services Commission report.

MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no Member announcements.

STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS

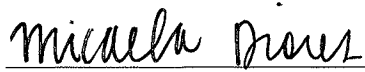
Community Services Supervisor Montoya reported on the Senior Fair hosted by Congresswoman Linda Sanchez at Cerritos College on August 4. She said a free shuttle

service to and from the Activity Center and Cerritos College will be provided through La Mirada Transit.

ADJOURNMENT

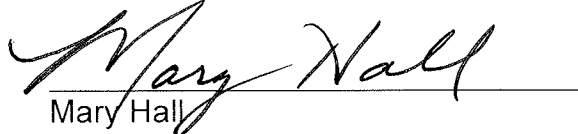
The meeting adjourned at 10:49 a.m.

Submitted:



Micaela Diores
Community Services Secretary

Attest:



Mary Hall
Vice Chairperson