

**MINUTES FOR THE REGULAR MEETING
OF THE LA MIRADA SENIOR COUNCIL
AUGUST 23, 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 Mary Hall
 Member Diane Albert
 Member Mariann Hampton
 Member Tom Rosholt
 Member Eugena Thomas
 Member Larry Torres

Absent: Member Peggy Roman

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

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Marlene Olsen reported on activities held at the La Mirada Vistas. She reported an increase in attendance for the Neff Estate tours and said Michelle Bean was appointed to the Historical Preservation Advisory Council.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF JULY 24, 2023

Member Rosholt moved and Member Torres seconded to approve the minutes of the July 24, 2023 Senior Council meeting.

MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL VOTE:

AYES: Chairperson Viayra, Vice Chairperson Hall, Members Albert, Hampton, Rosholt, Thomas, Torres

NOES: None

ABSENT: Member Roman

ABSTAIN: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

3. SENIOR COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

Chairperson Viayra reported on activities at Breezewood Village.

Vice Chairperson Hall reported on activities at Lake Park La Mirada.

Member Thomas reported on activities at Somerset Glen.

Member Albert provided positive feedback regarding the City's residential street rehabilitation projects.

NEW BUSINESS

4. COMMUNITY HEALTH INFORMATION AND SAFETY FAIR

Community Services Supervisor Lisa Montoya reported on the Community Health Information and Safety Fair on September 13 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the La Mirada Activity Center. Mrs. Montoya encouraged Members to promote the event at their respective senior communities.

Members expressed interest in volunteering at the Community Health Information and Safety Fair.

COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION REPORT

There was no Community Services Commission report.

MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Member Rosholt thanked Member Hampton for organizing a CPR/AED training specifically geared for seniors. He reported on the death of longtime community volunteer and former Senior Council Member Larry McCollum. He said Mr. McCollum will be greatly missed by the Senior Council and the community.

Members shared fond memories of Mr. McCollum and expressed condolences to his family on his passing.

Member Torres recommended that the Senior Council meeting be adjourned in Larry McCollum's memory. He said the Veterans Discussion Group's monthly meeting in September and October have been cancelled.

STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS

Community Services Supervisor Montoya shared fond memories of Larry McCollum. She said the City Council adjourned its meeting on August 22 in his memory.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 10:35 a.m. in memory of Larry McCollum.

Submitted:



Micaela Diores
Community Services Secretary

Attest:



Martha Viayra
Chairperson