

MINUTES

IRVINE SENIOR CITIZENS COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

January 19, 2017

Lakeview Senior Center 20 Lake Road Irvine, California

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Irvine Senior Citizens Council will be called to order on January 19, 2017, 9:01 AM at Lakeview Senior Center, 20 Lake Road, Irvine, California. Vice Chair Inmon presiding.

ROLL CALL

COUNCILMEMBER	VACANT	Appointed by: Mayor Wagner
COUNCILMEMBER	STAN JONES	Appointed by: Mayor Pro Tem Schott
COUNCILMEMBER	JUNEU KIM	Appointed by: Councilmember Fox
COUNCILMEMBER	SIMA RANJBAR	Appointed by: Councilwoman Shea
COUNCILMEMBER	GARY YATES	Member-at-Large
VICE CHAIR	CAROLYN INMON	Member-at-Large

ABSENT

COUNCILMEMBER BETTY JO WOOLLETT Appointed by: Councilmember Lalloway

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Councilmember Ranjbar led the Pledge of Allegiance.

INTRODUCTIONS

Community Services Manager Corinne Schneider-Jones introduced Juneu Kim. Mr. Kim shared about himself and of his interest to serve on the Senior Council.

PRESENTATIONS

- 1. Distinguished Service Awards tabled to the next regular meeting.
- 2. Senior Services Strategic Plan Year 4 Highlights

Manager Schneider-Jones presented the Year 4 highlights on the Senior Services Strategic Plan.

Discussion included: different start times for Senior Council meetings throughout the year; need for additional handicap parking stalls throughout the City.

Councilmember Ranjbar reported on recent activities at the Trabuco Center and requested a report on Trabuco Center's first year of programming.

3. Program Update

Program Coordinator Kristen Reid provided updates on programs and upcoming events at Trabuco Center, Lakeview and Rancho Senior Centers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Senior Services Staff Changes

Community Services Supervisor Ed Kaleikini announced a recruitment is open for the Community Services Specialist vacancy, held previously by Justin Fernandes.

2. Meals on Wheels Holiday Lunch

Vice Chair Inmon reported her observations of the Meals on Wheels Holiday Luncheon and suggested an interactive table activity be considered for future events.

3. Senior Services Strategic Plan Update Public Forums

Manager Schneider-Jones announced the upcoming public forum meetings on January 26 and February 8. The meeting held on January 18 had more than 45 in attendance.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Pam McGovern, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI), shared OLLI's Spring Catalogue of classes.

ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS TO THE AGENDA

There were none.

COUNCILMEMBER UPDATES

There were none.

COMMITTEE/GROUP/AGENCY REPORTS

1. Senior Services Support/Interest Groups

A. Irvine Adult Day Health Services (IADHS)

Social Services Supervisor Lynne Conger, reporting on behalf of Director Kimberly Beeson, announced Pacific Life has committed to providing IADHS a \$10,000 grant for years 2017 and 2018.

B. Irvine Evergreen Chinese Senior Association (IECSA)

Director Peter Chan reported IECSA's membership is at 380 members and is in their 28th year as an organization. The annual Chinese New Year luncheon is scheduled for Wednesday, January 25, 2017.

C. Friends of Outreach (FOO)

President Pat Hendee reported the new officers are in place for 2017, and FOO now has liability insurance. FOO is supporting a new pilot program offering funding for transportation assistance through 24Hr HomeCare (RideWith24) providing rides to seniors through Uber. Upcoming fundraisers will be held at local restaurants.

- D. Irvine Senior Travelers No Report.
- E. NEDA-Association of Iranian American Seniors (NEDA)

Senior Services Coordinator Laura Murphy, reporting on behalf of Member Massy Alavi, announced NEDA's annual Nowruz celebration will be held on Friday, March 17 from 5-10 p.m. at Lakeview Senior Center, and NEDA members will be selling tickets.

F. Irvine Korean Evergreen Association (IKEA)

President Juneu Kim reported on new programs offered by IKEA, including a Harmonica activity.

RECESS

Vice Chair Inmon recessed the Senior Citizens Council meeting at 10:00 a.m.

RECONVENE

Vice Chair Inmon reconvened the Senior Citizens Council meeting at 10:24 a.m.

2. Orange County Senior Citizens Advisory Council-Affiliated Committees

A. Orange County Senior Citizens Advisory Council

The General SCAC meeting was held at the Lakeview Senior Center on January 13, 2017 with Councilmembers Jones, Kim, Ranjbar and Woollett in attendance. Two Irvine volunteers were recognized for longstanding service; Lucy Andros and Amelia Reynolds.

- B. Health and Nutrition No Report.
- C. Housing and Transportation

Councilmember Yates reported information was provided about the affordable housing projects in the cities of Newport Beach and Westminster, and Orange County Transportation Authority's senior mobility programs.

D. Legislative

Vice Chair Inmon and Councilmember Jones reported on committee updates and distributed a listing of proposed legislation

3. Senior Citizens Council Committees

A. Facilities Committee

Councilmember Yates provided updates on projects taking place including the Rancho Senior Center HVAC replacement. Vice Chair Inmon reported on receiving a correspondence inquiry regarding door width at Trabuco Center to accommodate wheelchairs. Staff will follow-up.

B. Leadership Committee - No Report.

C. Nutrition Committee

Supervisor Conger reported Hien Lam is a new cook in the Nutrition staff, and recent lunch events have had between 150 and 250 participants.

COUNCIL BUSINESS

1. MINUTES

ACTION: Moved by Councilmember Yates, seconded by Councilmember Jones and carried unanimously by members present to approve the minutes of a regular meeting held on November 17, 2016.

Ayes:

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Inmon, Jones, Ranjbar, Yates

Noes:

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Absent:

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Woollett

Abstention: 1

Kim

ADJOURNMENT at 10:44 a.m. on Thursday, January 19, 2017.

CAROLYN MMON, VICE CHAIR

Laura Murphy

Recording Secretary

Date