

MINUTES

IRVINE RESIDENTS WITH DISABILITIES ADVISORY BOARD REGULAR MEETING

February 7, 2017

Irvine Civic Center
Conference and Training Center
One Civic Center Plaza
Irvine, California

INTRODUCTIONS

Community Services Program Coordinator Ryan McGraw introduced Council Executive Assistant Felicity Lorenz.

PRESENTATIONS

Tracey Reeve and Vanessa Bauer, Irvine Unified School District (IUSD) Special Education teachers, and Erica Roegh, Director of Special Education for Elementary Schools, presented on the IUSD Adapted Physical Education Program.

Discussion included: adaptive physical education guidelines; consult and collaboration with other teachers; Board and IUSD teacher collaborations; Challenger Sports and Special Olympics.

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Irvine Residents with Disabilities Advisory Board (Board) was called to order on Tuesday, February 7, 2017, at 6:40 PM in the Conference and Training Center of the Irvine Civic Center, located at One Civic Center Plaza, Irvine, California; Vice Chair Chockalingam presiding.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: 8

BOARD MEMBER:

JUSTIN CHOI

BOARD MEMBER:

ANDREA DRAYER

BOARD MEMBER: BOARD MEMBER: GREGORY FELIX FRAN GUSTIN

BOARD MEMBER:

PAUL HARVEY

BOARD MEMBER: BOARD MEMBER: KIMBERLYJEWELL RICHARD ROBERT

VICE CHAIR:

MEENA CHOCKALINGAM

ABSENT: 6

BOARD MEMBER:

CAROL CONSTANTIN

BOARD MEMBER: BOARD MEMBER: DAVID GIBBONS DAYNA MONEY

BOARD MEMBER:

DENNIS NIGGL BARBARA STERN

BOARD MEMBER:

JUNE McLAUGHLIN

CHAIR:

ANNOUNCEMENTS/COMMITTEE REPORTS/BOARD REPORTS

Announcements/Reports

1. Staff Announcements/Reports

Program Coordinator McGraw provided a Disability Services recreation programming update for January 2017, and announced events for February and March 2017.

Community Services Supervisor Susie Blanco provided an update on the Irvine Junior Games Flier.

2. Board Member Announcements/Reports

Board Member Felix announced 500 affordable housing units for low-income families and senior living housing will be opening in the Great Park Neighborhoods.

Committee Announcements/Reports

3. Community Awards Program Nominations

This item was tabled to the March 7, 2017 regular meeting.

ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS TO THE AGENDA

There were none.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Edward Doll presented information about the Courtney's SandCastle Foundation, a fully accessible playground, and of his desire to collaborate with other agencies and organizations to share about the Foundation's purpose. The Foundation meets at 4:30 p.m. on the first or second Monday of the month at the San Clemente City Hall.

BOARD BUSINESS

1. APPROVAL OF IRVINE RESIDENTS WITH DISABILITIES ADVISORY BOARD MINUTES

ACTION: Moved by Board Member Drayer, seconded by Board Member Harvey, and carried unanimously by members present to approve the minutes of the Irvine Residents with Disabilities Advisory Board regular meeting held January 3, 2017.

Ayes:

B Chockalingam, Choi, Drayer, Felix, Gustin, Harvey, Jewell, Robert

Noes:

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Absent:

Constantin, Gibbons, McLaughlin, Money, Niggl, Stern

BOARD DISCUSSION

ABLE Act – Board Member Harvey provided information on the ABLE Act, Uber transportation, and a locating application called "tile".

Discussion included: ABLE act account letters being sent by the State of California; Uber transportation as a reliable source for individuals with disabilities to travel.

Disability Services Needs Assessment Update – Supervisor Blanco announced the City is working with a Contractor to develop proper documentation for the Needs Assessment.

ADJOURNMENT at 7:15 p.m. on Tuesday, February 7, 2017.

une McLaughlin Chair

Ryan McGraw

Community Services Program Coordinator

Recording Secretary