



MINUTES

IRVINE SENIOR CITIZENS COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

JUNE 20, 2019

Lakeview Senior Center
20 Lake Road
Irvine, California

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the Senior Citizens Council (Senior Council) was called to order at 9:00 AM by Chair Inmon.

ROLL CALL

COUNCILMEMBER	JERRY CHANG	Council Appointee: Kuo
COUNCILMEMBER	JUNEU KIM	Council Appointee: Fox
COUNCILMEMBER	KEVIN KONDRU	Member-at-Large
COUNCILMEMBER	HARISH MURTHY	Council Appointee: Khan
COUNCILMEMBER	BILL SANDLIN	Council Appointee: Carroll
VICE CHAIR	RACHEL OWENS	Council Appointee: Shea
CHAIR	CAROLYN INMON*	Member-at-Large

**left at 11 a.m.*

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Senior Council Member Kim led the Pledge of Allegiance.

INTRODUCTIONS

1. Community Services Superintendent Sandra Salcedo introduced newly appointed Senior Council Member Bill Sandlin.

2. Community Services Supervisor Denise Bennett-Arabatzis announced the following new and promoted Senior Services staff:
 - a. Damian Freidank, Kitchen Assistant EPT
 - b. Sara Reed, Office Assistant II PT
 - c. Phil Daigle, Kitchen Assistant EPT

PRESENTATIONS

1. Elder Abuse and Fraud Prevention – Irvine Police Department Crime Prevention Program Specialist Shiree Lind, Civilian Investigator Sarah Voight, and Police Officer Britt Vickner provided a presentation with handouts.

Discussion included: likelihood of recovering funds or capturing/identifying perpetrators; differences between elder abuse and domestic violence; financial industry compliance requirements regarding mandated reporting; dissemination of information among multicultural groups.

2. Community Services Supervisor Ed Kaleikini and Supervisor Bennett-Arabatzis provided a presentation on Senior Services Strategic Plan Update Year 1 Outcomes and responded to Senior Council inquiries.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Superintendent Salcedo made the following announcements:

- There will be a car wash fundraiser for Irvine's 2/11 Marine Adoption Committee at the Lakeview Senior Center parking lot on Saturday, June 22 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- The Sizzlin' Summer Concert Series begins Sunday, July 7 at 5:30 p.m. at the Mike Ward Community Park-Woodbridge featuring Pop Gun Rerun '80s tribute band.

At this time, City Councilmember Mike Carroll introduced his Senior Council appointee, Bill Sandlin.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS

There were no additions or deletions to the agenda.

SENIOR COUNCIL MEMBER UPDATES

Vice Chair Owens announced:

- USA Water Polo is hosting an Open House on June 23 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at their offices, and have been in negotiations with the Orange County Great Park Board to build a new aquatics facility in Irvine.
- The fitness program, SilverSneakers, is offering a new incentive to seniors by offering credit toward college savings for beneficiaries designated by participants for each visit to the gym.

COMMITTEE/GROUP/AGENCY REPORTS

1. Senior Services Support/Interest Groups

- A. Irvine Adult Day Health Services – No report.
- B. Irvine Evergreen Chinese Senior Association (IECSA)

Director Annette Wynn reported various IECSA Directors will be providing updates to the Senior Council on a rotational basis at the request of the IECSA Chairman. IECSA will be celebrating its 30th anniversary on July 20. Articles for the commemorative book are being accepted at *irvineevergreenclub@gmail.com*.

- C. Friends of Outreach (FOO)

Past President Kathleen Pfeiffer reported participation in the Bingo program saw a slight decrease from late May into early June due to end of school year festivities and events. The International Crafters Cart will be closed for the summer, and the group continues their work on making scarves and remote control holders for the holiday gift bags. There will be an opportunity drawing at the June 28 Independence Day themed luncheon. Results from the recent restaurant fundraiser at California Pizza Kitchen are still pending, and future events are being planned for Panera Bread and Chili's. Pageant of the Masters tickets are available for \$10 for the July 8, July 16 and July 24 show dates. Participation in the Ride with 24/Uber program continues to grow. FOO members have been designated to participate in the Senior Expo booth.

- D. Irvine Senior Travelers (Travelers)

Representative Natalie Chaikin reported the group has been busy planning trips and day excursions, and registering individuals for these

activities. The July 13 excursion to the Santa Barbara French Festival has sold out and there is a waitlist. A fun-filled day trip to San Diego is scheduled for October 25. There will be a 4-day holiday mystery tour from December 9 through 12.

E. NEDA-Association of Iranian American Seniors – No report.

F. Irvine Korean Evergreen Association – No report.

2. Orange County Senior Citizens Advisory Council-Affiliated Committees

A. Orange County Senior Citizens Advisory Council (SCAC)

Chair Inmon reported the goals for SCAC Subcommittees are being reviewed and revised to align with the Board's goals, and a new project has been identified to assess seniors' use of technology and training needs.

B. Health and Nutrition – No report.

C. Housing and Transportation

Chair Inmon reported Carrie O'Malley (State Assemblywoman and former City of Irvine Transportation Commissioner) will be speaking at the July meeting.

D. Legislative

Senior Council Member Murthy reported the committee has adopted a new procedure whereby potential Assembly bills are assigned to individual members to research, who then share more detailed information with the committee as a whole.

3. Senior Citizens Council Committees

A. Facilities Committee

Senior Council Member Kondru reported the following updates:

Lakeview Senior Center:

- The sound system in the auditorium will be upgraded
- New plants will be installed in the patio
- Renovation of the computer lab is in the permit phase

- Patchwork of the auditorium floor has been completed and installation of a complete new floor is scheduled as a Capital Improvement Project for the next fiscal year
- The donation wall will be reviewed for improvements

Trabuco Center:

- The hallways have been painted

B. Leadership Committee – No report.

C. Nutrition Committee – No report.

COUNCIL BUSINESS

1. MINUTES

ACTION: Moved by Senior Council Member Kondru and seconded by Senior Council Member Chang to approve the minutes of the May 16, 2019 regular meeting.

The motion carried as follows:

Ayes: 6 Chang, Kim, Kondru, Murthy, Owens, Sandlin

Noes: 0

Absent: 1 Inmon

END COUNCIL BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT at 11:06 a.m. on Thursday, June 20, 2019.



 RACHEL OWENS, VICE CHAIR



 Athena Martinez
 Recording Secretary

Date July 18, 2019