

**SENIOR ADVISORY BOARD TELECONFERENCE MEETING
MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2020
2 PM**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Chair John Allendorfer at 2 PM.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Nadia Sutton led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. ROLL CALL

Members present: John Allendorfer, Esther Baum, Pat Dixon, Michael Hollingsworth, William McNeeley, Joy Nuell and Lee Walkup

Staff present: Francisco Gomez, Leslie Isenberg, and Kim Patterson

4. ADJOURNMENT MOTIONS

The Board moved to adjourn in memory of Jan Morris and all the people who have died from COVID-19 this month.

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was unanimously approved.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the October 28, 2020 meeting were approved.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT

Nadia Sutton, liaison from the Women's Advisory Board, wished the Senior Advisory Board members happy holidays. She looks forward to working together in the coming year.

8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

9. NEW BUSINESS

A. ITEMS FROM SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITY PROGRAM

Mandi Carpenter, Director of Arts, Wellness and Engagement (AWE) Programming, reported on the November programming, including on-line classes and programs offered by the West Hollywood Comprehensive Services Center. She also highlighted the upcoming December activities.

B. ON-CALL TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM UPDATE

Francisco Gomez, Transportation Program Administrator, provided performance metrics on the City's On-Call Transportation Program, including trips, cost, and complaints. Several Board members spoke highly of their experience with the program, and thanked the City for this service.

C. HIV ZERO INITIATIVE YEAR 4 MIDYEAR EVALUATION REPORT

Aaron Celious, Director of the Maroon Society, gave a presentation on the HIV Zero Initiative Year 4 Midyear Evaluation Report. He also provided the results of the last Stigma Survey, as the latest survey is in process of completion.

10. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

11. ITEMS FROM THE BOARD

Boardmember Walkup requested information on the availability of the fiber optics that have recently been installed in the City. Staff will report on their findings at the next meeting.

Boardmember Baum requested that an update on Dial-a-Ride be made at a future meeting. Francisco Gomez will give a report next month.

Chair Allendorfer reported that yesterday's Seniors in Action event was another success, with seventeen people in attendance.

The Board wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

12. ITEMS FROM STAFF

City staff announced that this year the AIDS Watch scrolling of names will be on WeHo TV on the occasion of World AIDS Day. Staff wished the Board members a Happy Thanksgiving.

13. ADJOURNMENT

The Senior Advisory Board adjourned at 3:15 PM in memory of Jan Morris and of all the people who have died of COVID-19 this month to its next teleconference meeting on Wednesday, December 23, 2020, beginning at 2 PM.

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John Allendorfer
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JOHN ALLENDORFER,
CHAIRPERSON

ATTEST:

Leslie Isenberg

STAFF LIAISON

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