

**CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD
SENIOR ADVISORY BOARD
MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 2022
2:00 PM**

TELECONFERENCE MEETING

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 2:00 PM by Chair Walkup.

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: John Allendorfer, Esther Baum, Pat Dixon, Michael Hollingsworth, Bill McNealey, Joy Nuell, Nadia Sutton, David Eichman, Lee Walkup

ABSENT: None.

STAFF: Katie Egan, Francisco Gomez, Joyce Britton

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Boardmember Dixon led the pledge.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Recommendation: The Senior Advisory Board is requested to approve the minutes of the July 27, 2022, Senior Advisory Board meeting.

ACTION: Motion by Boardmember Hollingsworth, seconded by Boardmember Dixon MOTION PASSED.

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Recommendation: The Senior Advisory Board is requested to approve the meeting agenda for August 24, 2022.

ACTION: Motion by Boardmember McNealey, seconded by Boardmembers Allendorfer and Nuell MOTION PASSED.

6. PUBLIC COMMENT

Karen Eyres, West Hollywood resident, and liaison to the Rent Stabilization Commission, spoke about recommendations on strengthening renters' rights and changes in the rent stabilization ordinance.

7. NEW BUSINESS

A. ITEMS FROM SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITY PROGRAM

Marina Goldshteyn, Jewish Family Service (JFS), discussed programs and classes sponsored by the West Hollywood Comprehensive Services Center.

ACTION: Received and discussed.

B. DOCKLESS MOBILITY PILOT PROGRAM UPDATE

Coby Wagman and Paige Portwood, City of West Hollywood, provided an update on the Dockless Mobility Pilot Program, which includes e-bikes and scooters.

ACTION: Received and discussed.

C. WEST HOLLYWOOD HOMELESS INITIATIVE: 2022 UPDATE ON FIVE-YEAR PLAN TO ADDRESS HOMELESSNESS

Corri Planck, Strategic Initiatives Manager, provided an update on the City of West Hollywood Five-Year Plan to Address Homelessness in Our Community, changes in regional homeless services, and program outcomes from City-funded non-profit agency partners.

ACTION: Received and discussed.

8. ITEMS FROM STAFF

Katie Egan, Social Services Program Administrator, spoke about the September meeting and how she would facilitate a discussion on whether boardmembers want to meet in person or virtually the remainder of the calendar year. Katie also updated the Board on the City's work procuring Social Services contracts and let the Board know that an item with contract recommendations for Social Services would be going to the City Council on September 19.

10. PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

11. ITEMS FROM THE BOARD

Boardmember Baum spoke about the City Council candidates forum.

Boardmember McNeeley spoke about his concerns with the pool reservation system at West Hollywood Park.

Boardmember Dixon agreed with Boardmember Baum's comment on the City Council candidate forum and spoke about wanting more information on rent increases for rent-stabilized housing units in the City.

Boardmember Hollingsworth also spoke about the reservation system for the pool at West Hollywood Park and expressed his desire for residents to have priority when booking pool reservations.

Boardmember Allendorfer thanked Chair Walkup for the tickets to the Gay Men's Chorus concert and spoke about a City study session about bars and nightlife that several City boards and commissions participated in. He mentioned that the Senior Advisory Board is excluded from many of these discussions, and he would like to have a participant from the Board included in the future.

Vice Chair Eichman spoke about the traffic study focused on Fountain Avenue that looked at the possibility of adding a bike lane and making the street more pedestrian friendly.

Boardmember Sutton thanked Corri Planck for inviting her to speak on the City's Aging in Place Initiative and for ensuring aging adults' voices are heard.

Chair Walkup spoke about the Gay Men's Chorus performing at the Hollywood Bowl in September with Wynton Marsalis and invited boardmembers to come to the event.

12. ADJOURNMENT

The Senior Advisory Board adjourned at 4:00 PM to its next meeting, which will be held on Wednesday, September 28, 2022, at 2:00 PM via teleconference.

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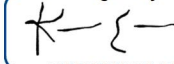
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A. Lee Walkup,

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STAFF LIAISON

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