

ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING MINUTES  
HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2023  
6:00 PM

PLUMMER PARK  
ROOMS 5 & 6  
7377 SANTA MONICA BLVD.

1. **CALL TO ORDER:**

Chair Meltzer called the meeting to order at 6 pm.

A. **ROLL CALL**

**PRESENT:** Steven Davis, Karen Eyres, Barbara Meltzer, Jimmy Palmieri, Anne-Marie Williams

**ABSENT:** Sarah Adolphson, Sam Borelli

**STAFF:** Corri Planck, Leslie Isenberg, Joyce Britton

B. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Corri Planck led the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

The Human Services Commission is requested to approve the meeting agenda for August 8, 2023. **Motioned by Vice-Chair Eyres, seconded by Commissioner Palmieri and approved unanimously.**

D. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

The Human Services Commission is requested to approve the minutes of the July 11, 2023 Human Services Commission meeting. **Motioned by Commissioner Davis, seconded by Vice-Chair Eyres and approved unanimously.**

E. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None.

2. **CONSENT CALENDAR**

A. **2023-24 SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRACT RENEWALS**

The Human Services Commission received an update on the 2023-24 Social Services contract renewals.

**ACTION:** Received and filed.

3. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None.

4. **NEW BUSINESS**

A. **UPDATE ON PUBLIC SAFETY EQUIPMENT, TECHNOLOGY, AND SECURITY ENHANCEMENTS TO SUPPORT COMMUNITY SAFETY**

Danny Rivas, Director of Community Safety, provided an update on various public safety equipment, technology, and security enhancements as well as a drone and fixed camera pilot program with a real-time watch center to help support community safety efforts in West Hollywood. West Hollywood Sheriff's Captain William Moulder and Lt. Fanny Lampkin assisted in answering questions from the Commission.

**ACTION:** Received and discussed.

B. **UPDATE ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE WEST HOLLYWOOD CARE TEAM BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CRISIS RESPONSE PROGRAM**

Corri Planck, Human Services Manager, provided an update on the West Hollywood Care Team, which will serve the community as a behavioral health crisis response program.

**ACTION:** Received and discussed.

C. **COMMISSION AND ADVISORY BOARD LIAISON ASSIGNMENTS**

**ACTION:** Table the discussion of liaison assignments to the next meeting.  
**Motion by Commissioner Davis, seconded by Commissioner Palmieri and approved.**

5. **ITEMS FROM STAFF**

Staff stated that the amendment to the Human Services Commission by-laws, which moves the location of the Human Services Commission meetings to Plummer Park Rooms 5 & 6, will be on the City Council's August 21, 2023 meeting agenda.

Staff reminded the Commission about the Annual Congress of Commissions and Boards and mentioned staff transitions pertaining to the merger of Strategic Initiatives and Social Services to the new Human Services Division.

6. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None.

7. **ITEMS FROM COMMISSIONERS**

Chair Meltzer adjourned the meeting in memory of Richard Settle, a West Hollywood photographer and resident.

8. **ADJOURNMENT**

The Human Services Commission adjourned at 8 pm to its next Adjourned Regular

Meeting on Tuesday, September 12, 2023, at 6:00 pm at the Plummer Park Community Center, Rooms 5 & 6.

APPROVED BY A MOTION OF THE HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION ON THIS 12<sup>th</sup>  
DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2023.

  
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BARBARA MELTZER  
CHAIRPERSON

ATTEST:

  
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STAFF LIAISON

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