CITY OF LONG BEACH HOMELESS SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2019 LONG BEACH MULTI-SERVICE CENTER 1301 W. 12TH STREET, CONFERENCE ROOM, 3:30 PM

Jeffrey Johnson, Chair Allison Kripp, Vice Chair Sheila Finch, Member Christopher Graeber, Member James Howat, Member S. Jolene Hui, Member



Julie Lie, Member Eboney Pearson, Member Susan Redfield, Member Susana Sngiem, Member Linda Wilson, Member

FINISHED AGENDA AND MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

Commissioners Sheila Finch, Christopher Graeber, James Howat, S. Jolene Hui, Present: Julie Lie, Eboney Pearson, Susan Redfield, Linda Wilson and Allison Kripp

Commissioners Jeffrey Johnson and Susana Sngiem **Excused:**

ALSO PRESENT: Teresa Chandler, Interim Deputy City Manager, Shannon Parker, Homeless Services Officer, Elsa Ramos, Special Projects Coordinator

Committee Member Wilson presiding.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR OCTOBER 2, 2019

19-019HS Recommendation to approve the minutes for October 2, 2019.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation

Attachments: HSAC Minutes 10.2.19.pdf

Committee Member Lie moved to approve the minutes as submitted, seconded by Committee Member Finch.

Yes: 9 - Sheila Finch, Christopher Graeber, James Howat, S. Jolene Hui, Julie Lie, Eboney Pearson, Susan Redfield, Linda Wilson and Allison Kripp

Excused: 2 - Jeffrey Johnson and Susana Sngiem

3. NEW BUSINESS

Ad Hoc Reports:

Mayor's Fund to End Homelessness

No updates.

Community Capacity Building

Ad Hoc will be meeting on November 14, 2019; report back at the next HSAC meeting.

Vice Chair Allison Kripp joins the meeting at 3:41 p.m.

4. HOMELESS SERVICES OFFICER'S REPORT

Shannon Parker, Homeless Services Officer, provided an overview on the following items:

Multi-Service Center 20th Anniversary Celebration Safe Parking Program Jobs Program Year-Round Shelter Winter Shelter Weekend Outreach Pilot

Homeless Count 2020

Discussion ensued among the committee members regarding the items above.

Committee Member Pearson joins the meeting at 3:45 p.m.

Committee Member Redfield retires from the meeting at 4:24 p.m.

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5. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Natalie Swit, Community Member Nita Chopra, Mental Health America Los Angeles Dianka Lohay, Long Beach City College

6. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

December: Long Beach Community Foundation Presentation
January: Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network
Mental Health America, Innovations II Program

February: Downtown Long Beach Alliance Alley Busters Presentation

7. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Committee Member Wilson provided an update on a housing situation in North Long B affecting an apartment complex; information on the new Tenant Relocation Program thr Development Services. Committee Member Wilson shared that the Veteran's Day Parac taking place Saturday, November 9th.

Committee Member Graeber shared information on the upcoming event "We are California 187" on Saturday, November 9th from 10-4pm at 1245 N. Spring Street, Long Beach.

Vice Chair Kripp shared that District 1 had elected Mary Zendejas as its new Councilwoman.

8. ADJOURNMENT

At 4:53 p.m., Committee Member Wilson adjourned the meeting.

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