

**CITY OF LONG BEACH
CITIZENS' ADVISORY
COMMISSION ON
DISABILITIES MINUTES**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 2023
411 W. OCEAN BOULEVARD
CIVIC CHAMBERS, 1:00 PM**

Kim Vuong, Chair
Stephen Adams, Vice Chair
Chaka Garbutt, Secretary
Nubia Flores, Member
Marissa Gonzalez, Member



Jeremy Hill, Member
Nicholas Matthews, Member
Arthur Romo, Member
Gretchen Swanson, Member

FINISHED AGENDA & DRAFT MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER (1:01 PM)

At 1:01 PM, Chair Vuong called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL (1:01 PM)

Commissioners Nubia Flores, Chaka Garbutt, Marissa Gonzalez, Jeremy Hill,
Present: Arthur Romo, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews, Stephen
Adams and Kim Vuong

Also present: Jennifer Kumiyama, Citywide Accessibility Coordinator, City Manager
Department; Alyssa Campos, City Clerk Specialist.

PUBLIC COMMENT (1:02 PM)

There was no public comment.

PRESENTATION (1:03 PM)

Ethics Program Introduction

23-042CA Heather Van Wijk, Ethics Officer, City Manager Department, spoke;
and provided a PowerPoint presentation.

Jeff Williams, Director of Community Engagement, Office of the
Mayor, spoke.

Commissioner Swanson spoke.

Heather Van Wijk, Ethics Officer, City Manager Department, spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Commissioner Swanson and Heather Van Wijk, Ethics Officer, City Manager Department.

This CA-Agenda Item was received and filed.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES (1:20 PM)

1. 23-039CA Recommendation to approve minutes from the July 13, 2023 meeting of the Citizens' Advisory Commission on Disabilities.

A motion was made by Commissioner Flores, seconded by Commissioner Swanson, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 6 - Chaka Garbutt, Arthur Romo, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews, Stephen Adams and Kim Vuong

Abstain: 3 - Nubia Flores, Marissa Gonzalez and Jeremy Hill

REGULAR AGENDA (1:22 PM)

2. 23-040CA Recommendation to receive and file monthly report from the Accessibility, Transportation & Services standing committee.

Commissioner Gonzales spoke.

A motion was made by Commissioner Swanson, seconded by Secretary Garbutt, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Nubia Flores, Chaka Garbutt, Marissa Gonzalez, Jeremy Hill, Arthur Romo, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews, Stephen Adams and Kim Vuong

3. 23-041CA Recommendation to receive and file monthly report from the Youth, Employment, Programs & Services standing committee.

Commissioner Swanson spoke.

A motion was made by Commissioner Flores, seconded by Commissioner Romo, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Nubia Flores, Chaka Garbutt, Marissa Gonzalez, Jeremy Hill, Arthur Romo, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews, Stephen Adams and Kim Vuong

STAFF REPORT (1:27 PM)

Jennifer Kumiyama, Citywide Accessibility Coordinator, City Manager Department, spoke.

Commissioner Swanson spoke.

AGENCY REPORTS (1:32 PM)

Commissioner Swanson spoke.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS (1:34 PM)

Commissioner Flores spoke.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AND CLOSING REMARKS (1:35 PM)

Commissioner Matthews spoke.

Jennifer Kumiyama, Citywide Accessibility Coordinator, City Manager Department, spoke.

ADJOURNMENT (1:36 PM)

At 1:36 PM, there being no objection, Chair Vuong declared the meeting adjourned.
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