

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

**THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 2023
411 W. OCEAN BOULEVARD
CIVIC CHAMBERS, 12:00 PM**

Kim Vuong, Chair
Stephen Adams, Vice Chair
Nicholas Matthews, Secretary
Nubia Flores, Member
Chaka Garbutt, Member



Marissa Gonzalez, Member
Jeremy Hill, Member
Arthur Romo, Member
Gretchen Swanson, Member

FINISHED AGENDA & DRAFT MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER (12:04 PM)

At 12:04 PM, Chair Vuong called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL (12:04 PM)

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

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

PUBLIC COMMENT (12:05 PM)

Auree Edmundson spoke.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES (12:07 PM)

1. 23-027CA Recommendation to approve minutes from the May 11, 2023 meeting of the Citizens' Advisory Commission on Disabilities.

Commissioner Swanson spoke.

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

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

Yes: 5 - Marissa Gonzalez, Jeremy Hill, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews and Kim Vuong

Abstain: 1 - Chaka Garbutt

Absent: 3 - Nubia Flores, Arthur Romo and Stephen Adams

REGULAR AGENDA (12:10 PM)

2. 23-028CA Recommendation to receive and file monthly report from the Accessibility, Transportation & Services standing committee.

Commissioner Gonzalez spoke.

Vice Chair Adams joined the meeting.

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

Yes: 7 - Chaka Garbutt, Marissa Gonzalez, Jeremy Hill, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews, Stephen Adams and Kim Vuong

Absent: 2 - Nubia Flores and Arthur Romo

3. 23-029CA Recommendation to receive and file monthly report from the Youth, Employment, Programs & Services standing committee.

Commissioner Swanson spoke.

A motion was made by Commissioner Gonzalez, seconded by Vice Chair Adams, to approve recommendation. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Chaka Garbutt, Marissa Gonzalez, Jeremy Hill, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews, Stephen Adams and Kim Vuong

Absent: 2 - Nubia Flores and Arthur Romo

4. 23-030CA Recommendation to discuss and implement potential Citizens' Advisory Commission on Disabilities Certificate of Recognition process.

Vice Chair Adams spoke.

Commissioner Gonzalez spoke.

A dialogue ensued between Vice Chair Adams and Commissioner Gonzalez.

Commissioner Swanson spoke.

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

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

Yes: 7 - Chaka Garbutt, Marissa Gonzalez, Jeremy Hill, Gretchen Swanson, Nicholas Matthews, Stephen Adams and Kim Vuong

Absent: 2 - Nubia Flores and Arthur Romo

STAFF REPORT (12:24 PM)

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

AGENCY REPORTS (12:24 PM)

There were no agency reports.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS (12:25 PM)

Commissioner Gonzalez spoke.

Chair Young spoke.

Vice Chair Adams spoke.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS AND CLOSING REMARKS (12:26 PM)

There were no additional comments and closing remarks.

ADJOURNMENT (12:27 PM)

At 12:27 PM, there being no objection, Chair Vuong declared the meeting adjourned.

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