

City of Arts & Innovation

COMMISSION ON AGING MINUTES

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2024, 4 P.M.

PUBLIC COMMENT IN PERSON/TELEPHONE
ART PICK COUNCIL CHAMBER
3900 MAIN STREET, RIVERSIDE, CA 92522

PRESENT: Vice Chair Roberts, Commissioners Bash, Clarke, Kelley, Kwasman, Moti,

ABSENT: Chair DuBois, Commissioner Aleman

STAFF PRESENT: Marnie Smith

City Staff Present: Director Pamela Galera, Nicholas Avila

Vice Chair Roberts convened the meeting at 4:05 p.m.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE

Via speaker card, Shari Fleischman spoke during public comment about the 8th Annual Riverside Purple Boat Float, being held on Sunday November 10, 2024, 3-6pm at Fairmount Park.

Presentation

Riverside County, Office on Aging – Nutrition for Older Adults – Navigate Nutrition with Ease.

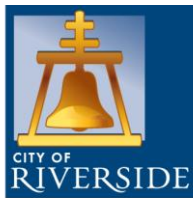
Commissioner Clarke thanked the speaker, enquired if Home Bound was part of the Meals on Wheels program. Commissioner Moti commented on vegetarian meal options, frozen fruit and vegetables being a better option and if IEHP and Kaiser worked with Office on Aging.

CONSENT CALENDAR

It was moved by Commissioner Kwasman and seconded by Commissioner Moti. The motion was carried.

MINUTES

The minutes of August 19, 2024, meeting was approved, as is.



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COMMUNICATIONS

I. HOUSING AD HOC COMMITTEE

Commissioner Bash reported the Housing Ad Hoc met on September 12, 2024. Commissioners from Housing Ad Hoc may attend the Annual Public Hearing meeting on September 17 and the Housing and Homeless meeting on September 23.

II. SENIOR HEALTH AD HOC COMMITTEE

No report given

III. EVENTS AD HOC COMMITTEE

Commissioner Bash reported that Vice Chair Roberts will attend the National Day Out at Bordwell on October 1 and Commissioners Kwasman and Kelley will attend the Janet Goeske Fair on October 2.

IV. ENVIRONMENT AD HOC COMMITTEE

No report given

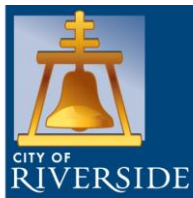
V. MOBILITY AD HOC COMMITTEE

Commissioner Kwasman held a Mobility Ad Hoc meeting on September 5.

UPDATES ON CONFERENCES, SEMINARS AND REGIONAL MEETINGS ATTENDED BY COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Bash attended Senator Roth's event on September 7 regarding helpful means for seniors and the Office on Aging benefits for seniors.

Commissioner Kwasman also attended the Senator Roth event on September 7. She also attended an Alpha Care event on September 14 at Parkview Hospital.



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On August 28, Commissioner Clarke attended Covid 19 update meeting at Janet Goeske encouraging flu and covid shots. She attended the Senator Roth event on September 7, and the Alpha Care event at Parkview Hospital on September 14.

Vice Chair Roberts attended the August Bordwell Park Advisory meeting. She also attended the Senior Expo on August 21 at Hunt Park.

ITEMS FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION

Commissioner Kelley would like to discuss the holiday cards

Commissioner Bash would like candy for event booths

Commissioner would like incentives.

The Commission on Aging adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

MARNIE SMITH
Recreation Services Coordinator