



City of Riverside

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Commission on Disabilities

City of Arts & Innovation

Agenda

Thursday, September 19, 2019

5:30 PM

Art Pick Council Chambers

MISSION STATEMENT

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CALL TO ORDER: 5:30 pm

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENT

- 1 Public Comment Period - This is the portion of the meeting specifically set aside to invite your comments regarding any matter within the Commission's jurisdiction. Individual audience participation is limited to 3 minutes.

PRESENTATIONS

- 2 Presentation from the California Mentor Family Home Agency about how Mentors provide Californians with intellectual and developmental disabilities services and support needed in family homes.

Attachments: [Report](#)
[Brochure](#)

- 3 Presentation from the Inland Regional Center about the annual Community Fall Festival, Resource Fair and Carnival on Sunday, October 27, 2019 on Main Street and University Avenue in Riverside, California.

Attachments: [Report](#)

- 4 Presentation from Blindness Support Services about promoting the independence and self-reliance of individuals who are blind and visually impaired.

Attachments: [Report](#)

DISCUSSION CALENDAR

- 5 Board and Commission Attendance Policy concerning the July 19, 2019 meeting: Antonia Quezada (unexcused) and Sharron Lewis (excused)
- 6 Minutes for the meeting of July 18, 2019

Attachments: [Minutes](#)

- 7 Commission on Disabilities report to City Council by Chairperson Gregory Alexander

Attachments: [Report](#)
[Presentation](#)

COMMUNICATIONS

- 8 Brief reports on conferences, seminars, meetings attended by Commission on Disabilities Members

- 9 Items for future Commission of Disabilities consideration as requested by Commission Members:
 - a. Employment and disabled youth in recreation.
 - b. Update of employment PSA.
 - c. Update of brochures.
 - d. COD members providing presentations to other groups.
 - e. Quarterly updates to Council about COD projects and events.
 - f. Public Outreach to publicize the COD.
 - g. What happens when a person with disabilities is arrested?

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*The next Commission on Disabilities meeting is scheduled for
Thursday, November 21, 2019*

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