



City of Arts & Innovation

Commission on Disabilities

TO: HONORABLE COMMISSIONERS **DATE: JULY 18, 2019**

FROM: GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT

**SUBJECT: PRESENTATION FROM THE RIVERSIDE COUNTY OFFICE ON AGING
ABOUT THE NETWORK OF SERVICES AND SUPPORT PROVIDED TO A
RAPIDLY AGING POPULATION**

ISSUE:

Receive an oral presentation from the Riverside County Office on Aging about the network of services and support provided to a rapidly aging population.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Commission on Disabilities receive an oral presentation from the Riverside County Office on Aging about the network of services and support provided to a rapidly aging population.

BACKGROUND:

The Commission on Disabilities' (COD) mission is to identify the needs of persons with disabilities and create a public awareness of these needs in the areas of employment, housing, transportation, media, and physical and communication accessibility. The mission also supports programs and activities that promote greater independence for people with disabilities.

DISCUSSION:

The Riverside County Office on Aging (RCOA) is part of a network of services and support for older adults in Riverside County. RCOA coordinates existing services, develops new resources, is responsible for planning and administration and acts as a funding agency. Their current goals include: (1) enhancement of community based services, (2) development of a health and wellness campaign, (3) creation of independent person centered care and (4) to integrate systems of care. The presentation will outline how RCOA has enhanced the system delivery of care and support to our senior community.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

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