

**CITY OF BUENA PARK
SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION MEETING
May 27, 2021**

CALL TO ORDER: Chair Reynolds called the Senior Citizens Commission meeting to order at 8:30 a.m., Buena Park Council Chambers, 6650 Beach Boulevard, Buena Park, California.

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Ferguson, Reynolds, Libeta, Park, Shields

ABSENT: Foust, Wang

ALSO PRESENT: Jim Box, Director of Community Services
Sylvia Gonzales, Recording Secretary
Mark Saucedo, Community Services Supervisor
Kathia De Luna Lopez, Community Services Coordinator
Joe Pak, Representative from Office of Assemblywoman Sharon Quirk-Silva 65

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Commissioner Park

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Meeting of April 22, 2021

*** *M/S/P* – Commissioner Libeta made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Shields seconds the motion to approve the minutes. All in favor, motion passed.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT:

3. DIRECTOR'S/STAFF REPORT/CITY UPDATES:

Jim Box updated the commission on the Rick Gomez Groundbreaking Ceremony that took place last weekend. The latest Buena Park Today is out for summer. Mr. Box congratulated Commissioner Ferguson, Shields, and Park on their reappointment as a Commissioner.

Mr. Mark Saucedo reported on the upcoming Memorial Day Event taking place on Monday, May 31st at 10 a.m. hosted by the Noon Lions as well as the events taking place in June and July.

4. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:

- a. Presentation by Buena Park Police Department on Asian Hate Crimes Against Individual of Asian Descent -Presented by Buena Park Police Department
- b. Approval of \$900 for Super Senior Saturday 2021 (1 of 3) – Presented by Kathia De Luna Lopez

Commissioner Shields made a motion to approve payment 1 of 3 of \$900 for Super Senior Saturday. Commissioner Libeta seconds the motion. All in favor, motion passed.

AYES: Ferguson, Park, Reynolds, Libeta, Shields
NOES:

ABSENT: Foust, Wang
ABSTAIN:

- c. Park Tour – Presented by Jim Box

5. INFORMATION ITEMS:

April 2021

- a. Senior Center Development Fund – Reynolds: Beginning Balance \$32,149.12; Revenue \$1250.00; Expenditures \$0.00; Ending Balance \$33,399.12
- b. Gift Shop – Reynolds: Beginning Balance \$7,784.99; Revenue \$0; Expenditures \$0; Ending Balance \$7,784.99.
- c. Nutrition – Park - Community Service 4062; Meals on Wheels 659; Home Delivered Meals 689; Senior Grocery Program 2757; USDA Food Distribution 420; Total Persons 8587.
- d. Senior Services – Reynolds: Month Participants 552; Year to date 4366.
- e. Senior Classes –Libeta: Month Participation 310; Year to Date 1832.
- f. Adult Day Care –Shields: Enrollment 0; Year to Date 0; Average Daily Attendance 0.
- g. Bingo –Ferguson: Revenue \$0; Expenditures \$223.86; Excess Cash -\$223.86.
- h. Senior Activities –Reynolds: Monthly Participants 526; Year to Date 2723.
- i. Volunteer Attendance –Reynolds: Volunteers 36; Hours 334.
- j. Club Activities –Ferguson: Month Participants 200; Year to Date 1197.
- k. User Groups –Libeta: Monthly Participants 48; Year to Date 420.
- l. Special Events –Park: Participants 204, Year to Date 2035.
- m. ST*R Transportation–Reynolds: Non-Emergency Medical Transportation 142; Senior Center 0; Nutrition 382; Shopping 0; Other Trips 0; Total 524; Year to Date 7304.

6. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS/FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS: Chair Reynolds wanted to know if adult daycare will be returning to the Senior Center.

7. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- a. Next Regular City Council Meeting: Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at 5:00 pm.
- b. Next Regular Senior Citizens Commission Meeting: Thursday, June 24, 2021, at 8:30 am.

8. ATTENDANCE SHEET:

9. ADJOURNMENTS: No further business, Chair Reynolds declared the meeting adjourned at 9:18 am.

ATTEST:



Sylvia Gonzales, Recording Secretary



Wanda Reynolds, Chair