



MINUTES

**CITY OF PASADENA
ACCESSIBILITY AND DISABILITY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 2021
5:30 PM**

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Cy Estabrook, James Farr, Danielle Friberg, Casey Jagusch, Andrea Jennings, Sharon Rogers*, Martin Sweeney, Michael Warner II, Mark Waterson

*Departed the meeting during a break at 6:34pm and rejoined at 6:47pm

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT: None

STAFF PRESENT: Ali Everett, Brenda Harvey-Williams, Erik Lomeli, Tamer Sabha

1. CALL TO ORDER; ROLL CALL

Chair Farr called the meeting to order at 5:31 PM. Staff (Sabha) called the roll and a quorum was established for the Commission.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA (PLEASE FOLLOW PUBLIC COMMENT INSTRUCTIONS)

None

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

After review, it was moved (Estabrook) and seconded (Jennings) to approve the Minutes of the February 23, 2021 meeting. (Motion unanimously carried)

COMMISSIONER	IN FAVOR
Farr	X
Jennings	X
Estabrook	X
Waterson	X
Friberg	X
Jagusch	X
Warner II	X
Sweeney	X

4. NEW BUSINESS

- PARKS, RECREATION, AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT PRESENTATION ON RECREATION PROGRAMS AND SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES – (STAFF, BRENDA HARVEY-WILLIAMS, DIRECTOR), (STAFF, ERIK LOMELI, RECREATION SERVICES SPECIALIST), (STAFF, ALI EVERETT, ACCESSIBILITY COORDINATOR), (STAFF, KAREN BAGNARD, ADAPTIVE ART INSTRUCTOR), (MARK ANDERSON, ADAPTIVE ART PARTICIPANT), AND (ALAN LEAGUE, ADAPTIVE ART PARTICIPANT)

The Commission received a presentation from the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department on recreation programs and services for people with disabilities. Questions from the Commission followed.

BREAK: At 6:34 PM the Commission took a 6 minute break. The meeting resumed at 6:40 PM.

5. OLD BUSINESS

▪ COMMISSION WORK PLAN UPDATES AND DISCUSSION

After discussion, it was moved (Rogers) and seconded (Estabrook) to approve the work plan updates as discussed. (Motion unanimously carried)

COMMISSIONER	IN FAVOR
Farr	x
Jennings	x
Estabrook	x
Waterson	x
Friberg	x
Jagusch	x
Rogers	x
Warner II	x
Sweeney	x

6. COMMENTS AND UPDATES

▪ STAFF COMMENTS

Staff (Everett) provided the following updates:

- Virtual Commission meetings will now be designated as "regular meetings" if they take place during the regular meeting date and time, and will include public comments for items not on the agenda;
- Individuals with specific types of disabilities are now eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccine. Eligible individuals may fill out the COVID-19 vaccine inquiry form on the City's website in order to be contacted to schedule an appointment; and
- The City is now providing the COVID-19 vaccine to Pasadena residents at home if the resident is unable to leave home due to disability. Eligible residents should contact the Pasadena Citizen Service Center to request this service.

▪ COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM COMMISSIONERS

Chair Farr announced that the April meeting will include a presentation about Crisis Assistance Helping Out On The Streets (CAHOOTS).

Commissioner Sweeney suggested the CAHOOTS presentation include a testimonial from a person with a disability who has had an experience with law enforcement.

7. SUGGESTED AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE COMMISSION MEETINGS

- None

8. ADJOURNMENT

It was moved (Sweeney) and seconded (Waterson) to adjourn the special meeting. (Motion unanimously carried) The meeting was adjourned at 7:43 PM.

/s/ James Farr

James Farr, Chair
Accessibility & Disability Commission

/s/ Tamer Sabha

Tamer Sabha, Recording Secretary
Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department