Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the City of Huntington Park Health and Education Commission held July 23, 2007

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Chairperson Rosa Perez. Present: Commissioners Jorge Morales, Ric Loya, Cesar Zaldivar-Motts, Vice Chair Arlene Savage and Chairperson Rosa Perez. Also in attendance were Assistant Planner Albert Fontanez and Recording Secretary Corinna Luevano.

Minutes of the Meeting held on June 25, 2007:

A motion was made by Loya, seconded by Savage, to approve the minutes of the meeting held on June 25, 2007. The motion carried as follows: Ayes: Loya, Zaldivar-Motts, Savage and Morales; Abstain: Perez; Absent: None.

Public Appearances:

None.

Discussion and/or action regarding Elementary School No. 5:

Commissioner Ric Loya stated that he attended a recent LAUSD meeting. Commissioner Loya stated that the meeting had a very late start and that people left the meeting disgruntled. Commissioner Loya added that there was a second meeting as well; however, no one was present.

Discussion and/or action regarding the Vernon Power Plant:

Assistant Planner Albert Fontanez presented to the Commission a Status Report for the Proposed Vernon Power Plant. Following a discussion, a motion was made by Morales, seconded by Savage, to request a resolution from the City Council, affirming the Commission's opposition to the Vernon Power Plant. The motion was unanimously approved.

Discussion and/or action on how the schools in Huntington Park are/or not meeting the educational needs of our students:

Commissioner Loya distributed a sample survey and asked that the commissioners review the survey and return to the next meeting for discussion.

Discussion and/or action on the Southeast Health Coalition:

Commissioner Cesar Zaldivar-Motts stated that he has identified two grants that could be used to provide for funding. Commissioner Savage added that there are mini grants as well in the amount of \$1,000 each and that they could be re-applied for, more than once.

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Discussion and/or action on procedures of blood testing by clinics at Health Fairs:

Assistant Planner Albert Fontanez informed the Commissioners that he spoke with staff at the Los Angeles County Health Department regarding the handling of blood samples by San Miguel Clinic as well as Tapatio Market at city events. Assistant Planner Fontanez stated that the Health Department will refer the report to the State Health Department and will inform the City and provide an update of the results.

Chairperson Perez adjourned the meeting at 7:20 p.m. in memory of her husband and former Councilmember Raul Perez who would have been 65 years old today, Monday, July 23, 2007.

Chairperson

Corinna Luciano Secretary