

**Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the City of Huntington Park
Health and Education Commission
held October 26, 2010**

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Chairman Cesar Zaldivar-Motts. Present: Commissioners Samuel Flores, Victoria Herrera, Vice Chair Arlene Savage and Chairman Cesar Zaldivar-Motts. Absent: Commissioner Enrique Murillo. Also in attendance were Housing and Community Development Manager Manuel Acosta, Senior Planner Albert Fontanez and Recording Secretary Corinna Luevano.

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING HELD ON SEPTEMBER 28, 2010:

A motion was made by Vice Chair Savage, seconded by Commissioner Herrera, to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held September 28, 2010. The motion carried as follows: Ayes: Commissioners Flores, Herrera, Vice Chair Savage and Chairman Zaldivar-Motts; Noes: None; Absent: Commissioner Murillo.

PUBLIC APPEARANCES:

None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS, DISCUSSION ITEMS, OR GENERAL COMMENTS, PRESENTED BY COMMISSIONERS AND/OR COMMISSION LIAISON:

A. Discussion and/or action regarding sponsorship of the Southeast Health Coalition meeting on November 18, 2010:

A discussion was held to approve a meeting with the Health and Education Commission in conjunction with the Southeast Health Coalition on Thursday, November 18, 2010, to discuss health issues in the community and to develop ways to empower the residents with health information. A discussion ensued.

B. Discussion and/or action regarding the Los Angeles County Tobacco Control and Prevention Program:

Present to address the Commission were Katie Van Cleave, County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health, Policy Liaison with project TRUST, and David Reynoso, County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health, Community Organizer with project TRUST. Ms. Van Cleave stated that project TRUST (Tobacco Reduction Using Effective Strategies & Teamwork) was created to improve the environment in the communities, such as the exposure of second hand smoke.

C. Discussion and/or action regarding tobacco regulations:

Mr. Acosta stated that staff is reviewing tobacco regulations, specifically different options when applying for a business license. Mr. Acosta requested that the Health and Education Commission be the lead in recommending an updated policy for the City, which will be reviewed by the Planning Commission and lastly approved by the City Council.

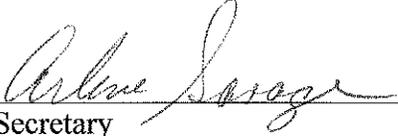
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Vice Chair Savage informed the Commission that 18 vendors participated in the Senior Health Fair that took place on Friday, October 22, 2010 at the Family Center. There were 115 seniors in attendance and 61 flu shots were provided at the event.

There being no further business, Chairman Zaldivar-Motts adjourned the meeting at 6:05 p.m.



Chairperson



Secretary