



# MINUTES

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## CITY OF HUNTINGTON PARK REGULAR HEALTH AND EDUCATION COMMISSION

Tuesday, August 29, 2023, at 6:00 P.M.

Huntington Park City Hall  
City Council Chambers  
6550 Miles Avenue  
Huntington Park, California 90255

Chairperson Batiste called the meeting to order at 6:05 P.M.

No quorum.

PRESENT: Chair Ebony Batiste, Commissioner Iliana Baltazar, and Commissioner Liselda Fabian.

ABSENT: None

STAFF PRESENT: Project Manager, Ishah Ahumada.

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chair Batiste

**PUBLIC APPEARANCE** – None

**STAFF RESPONSES** – None

### **CONSENT ITEMS**

The Approval of the Meeting Minutes of the Health and Education Commission for June 27, 2023, and Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023, were postponed for the next Health and Education Commission Meeting in September.

**PUBLIC COMMENT-** None

### **REGULAR AGENDA**

1. 2023 Work Plan Discussion

I. *The First Annual LGBTQ+ Pride Fair*

Commissioner Baltazar will be spearheading the event. Chair Batiste will be organizing the panel. Commissioner Baltazar will be sending the floor plan. The event will take place at Salt Lake Park on October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023, from 10 AM- 12 PM. Commissioner Baltazar will check which organizations will be joining the event. Staff will check if the Parks and Recreation Department has a stage. Commissioner Baltazar will send an email requesting the supplies, balloons, and helium tank.

Budget review was estimated at \$200 with the following breakdown (Staff will confirm the amount):

- Ribbons        \$22
- Water           \$10
- Banner         \$10
- Flags            \$15

No more than \$75 of the budget was used for the LGBTQ+ Fair supplies. Commissioner Baltazar motioned to approved and Commissioner Fabian and Chair Batiste approved.

Staff will email the flyer to commissioners.

## II. *5K Health and Education Booth*

The event will take place on Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

Chair Batiste moved to budget \$35 and Commissioner Baltazar seconded the motion.

Commissioner requested table, black tablecloth, 2 chairs, and 2 clamps, along with shirt sizes for the event.

## III. *In-Person Special Needs Training*

The event was canceled. All the commission was in agreement.

## Completed Events

### IV. *Alzheimer's Support Group*. Scheduled for November 2024

### V. *Book Fair*. Scheduled for June 2024

### VI. *Autism and Special Needs Awareness Fair*. Scheduled for April 2024

**COMMUNICATIONS** No written communication to the staff.

**DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS (INFORMATION ONLY)**

Staff updated commission on Community Development departmental programs. Home Repair and Emergency Rental Assistance Program.

**COMMISSION COMMENTS**

1. Commissioner Batiste shared that the new COVID variant is back and bad. She wanted to wish Commissioner Rodriguez goodbye for all the work she has done for the Commission. Commissioner stated while she was in Florida, the State has gone on record that slavery had benefits for the enslaved and she expressed her view that as a descendant of enslaved people she wanted to go on the record that there was no benefit.
2. Commissioner Baltazar noted there were 2 vacancies and was glad Chair Batiste was back.
3. Commissioner Fabian No comment.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 6:54 P.M. the City of Huntington Park Health and Education Commission adjourned to a Regular Meeting on Tuesday, September 26, 2023, at 6:00 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Steve Forster  
Community Development Director