

City of Huntington Park  
Health and Education Commission  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, July 27, 2021  
6:00 pm  
Salt Lake Park, Lounge  
3401 E Florence Ave, Huntington Park, CA 90255

The regular meeting of the Health and Education Commission of the City of Huntington Park, California was called to order at 6:05 p.m. on Tuesday, July 27, 2021 in the Lounge at Salt Lake Park, 3401 E Florence Avenue, Huntington Park, California.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Health and Education Chair Ebony Batiste.

**ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Chair Ebony Batiste, Commissioner Teresa Baltazar, and Commissioner Iliana Baltazar.  
Other City Officials and employees: Recreation Manager Celica Quinones

**PUBLIC APPERANCE- None**

**STAFF RESPONSES- None**

**MINUTES**

Approval of regular meeting minutes of Health and Education Commission for June 29, 2021

**Motion:** Commissioner Iliana Baltazar motioned to approve the minutes.

**Motion Seconded** by Commissioner Teresa Baltazar.

ROLL CALL:

AYES: Commissioner(s): Chair Ebony Batiste, Iliana Baltazar, and Teresa Baltazar.  
NOES: None  
ABSTAINED: None

## **REGULAR AGENDA**

### **2. Discussion and/ or action of Virtual Town Hall Workshop Series with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health**

Chair Ebony Batiste offered the commission the opportunity to discuss the possibility of hosting a virtual work shop. Commissioner Iliana Baltazar informed the commission that she is in communication with the organization Un Paso Mas, which offers virtual workshops including the topics of depression, anxiety, stress, and many more. In addition, she stated that Un Paso Mas is available to host a town hall work shop meeting for the month of August. Chair Ebony Batiste informed the commission, that contingent on Un Paso Mas's availability to host a virtual town hall that an emergency special meeting would be called to discuss the details of the activity.

### **3. Discussion and/ or action to resume in person commission meeting**

Recreation Manager Celica Quinones informed the commission of the current status of COVID-19 cases rising in Los Angeles County. In addition she informed them due to the continued rate has caused the closure of a few in person programs. Lastly, for these reasons the Health and Education Commission will remain virtual.

**PRESENTATIONS: None**

**DEPARTMENT REPORTS** – Recreation Manager Celica Quinones informed the commission of the upcoming Veteran's Park Grand Opening, the blood drive, the youth surf camp, monthly senior food pantry, and tentative vaccine clinics.

## **COMMISSION COMMUNICATIONS**

Chair Ebony Batiste donated books on behalf of the city's Health and Education Commission. Lastly, she mentioned the initiative she has taken during the past 2 years in collecting and purchasing books in order to donate to the community of Huntington Park.

Commissioner Teresa Baltazar: No Comment

Commissioner Iliana Baltazar: No Comment

## **ADJOURNMENT**

At 6:28 p.m. Chair Ebony Batiste adjourned the City of Huntington Park Health and Education Commission Meeting on Tuesday July 27, 2021.