CITY OF WALNUT

SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION AGENDA

WALNUT SENIOR CENTER

21215 LA PUENTE ROAD, WALNUT

May 4, 2022

- 1. <u>CALL TO ORDER</u> 10:00 A.M.
- 2. FLAG SALUTE COMMISSIONER SIMONELLI
- 3. ROLL CALL COMMISSIONERS CODAY-LAMB, LEE, MILLER, SHERWOOD-SCOTT,

& SIMONELLI

- 4. MINUTES REGULAR MEETING APRIL 6, 2022
- 5. <u>ORAL COMMUNICATIONS</u>

If any person wishes to address the Senior Commission on any item on the agenda or on any other matter, please present your testimony at this time, and please limit your comments to three minutes. The Commission may choose to remove the item for discussion.

The Chairperson may impose reasonable limitations on public comments to assure an orderly and timely meeting. When addressing the Commission, please write your name and address on the sheet provided.

6. CONSENT CALENDAR

A. Senior Center Activities for April 2022

Recommendation: Receive and file.

- 7. DISCUSSION
- 8. <u>STAFF ITEMS</u>
- 9. <u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>
- 10. ADJOURNMENT

Action Minutes of the Regular Meeting

of the Senior Citizens Commission

of the City of Walnut

A regular meeting of the City of Walnut Senior Citizens Commission was held on April 6, 2022 at the Walnut City Hall, 21201 La Puente Road, Walnut, California. Commissioner Sherwood-Scott called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Commissioners Lee, Miller & Sherwood-Scott ABSENT: Commissioners Coday-Lamb & Simonelli

Also present at the meeting was Community Services Superintendent Bumia, Recreation Supervisor Encinas, Recreation Coordinator Watanabe and Executive Assistant Vermeer.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

C/Miller made a motion, seconded by C/Lee and was carried 3-0 to approve the minutes of March 2, 2022.

AYES: Lee, Miller & Sherwood-Scott ABSENT: Coday-Lamb & Simonelli

ORAL COMMUNICATION

None

CONSENT CALENDAR

C/Miller made a motion, seconded by C/Lee and was carried 3-0 to receive and file Item 6A.

AYES: Lee, Miller & Sherwood-Scott ABSENT: Coday-Lamb & Simonelli

DISCUSSION

None

<u>LATE BUSINESS</u>
None
STAFF ITEMS
None
<u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>
None
<u>ADJOURNMENT</u>
There being no further business to come before the Commission, C/Sherwood-Scott adjourned the meeting at 10:16A.M.
Chairperson
ATTEST:
Executive Assistant



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☐ Discussion

CITY OF WALNUT

APRIL 22, 2022

COMMISSION AGENDA: MAY 4, 2022

TO: SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION

VIA: MARY ROONEY, ACM – COMMUNITY SERVICES /PUBLIC WORKS

JAMIE BUMIA, COMMUNITY SERVICES SUPERINTENDENT \mathcal{GB}

FROM: GABRIELA ENCINAS, RECREATION SUPERVISOR GE

ROBERT WATANABE, RECREATION COORDINATOR

SUBJECT: SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES FOR APRIL 2022

SUMMARY:

The Senior Center staff has prepared a report summarizing the activities at the Walnut Senior Center during the past month.

COVID-19 Protocols Update:

The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health modified their Health Order to highly recommend indoor masking, regardless of vaccination status. Staff and program participants at the Senior Center and other City facilities have been updated of this modification.

ACTIVITIES SUMMARY:

The following are ongoing social services for older adults in Walnut that occurred last month. Staff continues to provide older adults in the community with pressing social services opportunities.

SENIOR CURBSIDE/HOME DELIVERED NUTRITION LUNCH PROGRAM

Staff continues to coordinate the County Nutrition Program for older adults, which had been a congregate meal program at the Walnut Senior Center. The program continues to operate as a hybrid pick-up/home delivery programs. Those residents who cannot leave their home continue to receive home delivered meals, while others are scheduled for drive-through (no contact) pick up. Los Angeles County has extended the curbside service to continue through May 2022.

MT. SAC OLDER ADULT CLASSES:

The spring session of classes began on Tuesday, February 22. We are happy to share that all classes are taking place with maximum attendance for each of the courses being offered.

GROW GROUP COUNSELING

The Senior Group GROW Group Counseling program has continued to be in person, since the transition of the virtual forum. GROW meets the first Friday of every month from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. Participants ages 55 and older are welcome and encouraged to learn new skills that will allow them to GROW.

SENIOR EXCURSIONS:

Registration for the spring trips began on February 14 for Walnut residents. All trips for the spring are currently approaching full capacity with only couple of spots left for each trip. Capacity for trips is reduced to half in order to maintain distancing. Here are the February excursions:

Reagan Presidential Library

Tuesday, April 5 Sold Out (28 participants with 9 on the waiting list)

Springtime at Descanso Gardens

Tuesday, April 19 Sold Out (28 participants with 7 on the waiting list)

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

The Walnut Senior Center will reopen their doors to the public welcoming back a few of the social groups including Mahjong, Bridge, Billiards and Tole Painting. All social groups have designated meeting times with the exception of Billiards, which is open Monday through Friday from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. Masks are required of all participants and eating indoors (which would involve the removal of a mask) is not permitted at this time.

Mahjong	Monday/Friday	9:00 am to 12:00 noon
Tole Painting	Monday	10:00 am to 12:00 noon
Chinese Brush Painting	Tuesday	10:00 am to 12:00 noon
Bridge	Tuesday	12:00 noon to 3:00 pm
Senior Club (Bingo)	Wednesdays	12:00 noon to 3:00 pm

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Senior Citizens Commission receive and file this informational report.