# CITY OF WALNUT SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION AGENDA WALNUT SENIOR CENTER 21215 LA PUENTE ROAD, WALNUT DECEMBER 7, 2022

- 1. <u>CALL TO ORDER</u> 10:00 A.M.
- 2. FLAG SALUTE COMMISSIONER LEE
- 3. <u>ROLL CALL</u> COMMISSIONERS CODAY-LAMB, LEE, MILLER, SHERWOOD-SCOTT, & SIMONELLI
- 4. MINUTES REGULAR MEETING NOVEMBER 5, 2022

# 5. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

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. <u>CONSENT CALENDAR</u>

A. Senior Center Activities for November 2022

Recommendation: Receive and file.

- 7. DISCUSSION
- 8. STAFF ITEMS
- 9. ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 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 November 2, 2022 at the Walnut City Hall, 21201 La Puente Road, Walnut, California. Commissioner Coday-Lamb called the meeting to order at 10:00 A.M.

#### ROLL CALL

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

ABSENT: Commissioner Simonelli

Also present at the meeting was Recreation Coordinator Watanabe and Administrative Assistant Markel.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

C/Sherwood-Scott made a motion, seconded by C/Miller and was carried 4-0 to approve the minutes of October 5, 2022.

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

ABSENT: Commissioner Simonelli

#### **ORAL COMMUNICATION**

None

#### CONSENT CALENDAR

C/Miller made a motion, seconded by C/Sherwood-Scott and was carried 4-0 to receive and file Item 6A.

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

ABSENT: Commissioner Simonelli

#### **DISCUSSION**

None

LATE BUSINESS
None
STAFF ITEMS
None
<u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>
None
<u>ADJOURNMENT</u>
There being no further business to come before the Commission, C/Coday-Lamb adjourned the meeting at 10:15 A.M.
Chairperson
ATTEST:
Executive Assistant



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☐ Discussion

# CITY OF WALNUT

November 8, 2022

COMMISSION AGENDA: DECEMBER 7, 2022

TO: SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION

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

JAMIE BUMIA, COMMUNITY SERVICES SUPERINTENDENT 98

FROM: JENNIFER FONTAN, RECREATION SUPERVISOR  $\mathcal{J}F$ 

ROBERT WATANABE, RECREATION COORDINATOR RW

SUBJECT: SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES FOR NOVEMBER 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 continued 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. Those residents who cannot leave their home continue to receive home delivered meals by the YWCA, while others are scheduled for drive-through (no contact) pick up.

# SENIOR DINE-IN NUTRITION LUNCH PROGRAM

As of June 20, Los Angeles County has reinstated the Senior Dine-In Nutrition Lunch program. The Dine-In program is open to older adults aged 60 years and older. Currently we are serving hot meals

Monday through Wednesday on a first-come first-serve basis. To participant, guest must complete an intake form, check-in opens at 10:30 am with meals served from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm or until food is available.

# SEMINARS / SPECIAL EVENTS:

Free Seminar: Screenings for Better Health

November 1, 2022

Presented by: Independence at Home

Info: A discussion of the prevention screenings and vaccines that are recommended for people age 65

and older.
Attendance: 5

Free Seminar: Protecting Retirement Funds

November 8, 2022

Presented by: Kerrie Arjomand of New York Life

Info: Learn ways to protect your retirement funds against inflation.

Attendance: 8

Special Event: Flu Shot Clinic

November 15, 2022

The City of Walnut and the Los Angeles Department of Public Health have partnered to offer Free flu

and COVID-19 vaccines to the community. Expected Attendance: 60 (As of November 8)

# **OLDER ADULT CLASSES:**

Heart and Soul Line Dance classes have been in full swing offering lessons twice a week since the end of August. Monday classes are perfect for the working older adult and scheduled for 6pm. Thursday classes are perfect for the retired person, scheduled for the morning at 9:30 am. These classes are a perfect way to good heart health without the constant strain on joints and easy to follow. All levels are welcome and no partner is necessary. New classes begin on November 17<sup>th</sup> (Thursdays) and November 21<sup>st</sup> (Mondays).

#### **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:

All summer trips for 2022 have sold out. Fall registration is scheduled to open on Monday, August 15 for residents and August 22 for all others. We had one scheduled trip in July:

Excursion(s): Participants:

LA Taco Tour

Tuesday, November 1, 2022 Canceled (Low Enrollment)

Del Mar Bing Crosby Days

Friday, November 11, 2022 44 (FULL)

# WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

The Walnut Senior Center have continued to welcome 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 highly recommended for all participants.

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
Chinese Brush Painting	Friday	10:00 am to 12:00 noon

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

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