

**IRWINDALE COUNCIL CHAMBER
5050 N. IRWINDALE AVENUE
IRWINDALE, CALIFORNIA 91706**

**APRIL 24, 2023
MONDAY
9:00 A.M.**

The Irwindale **SENIOR CITIZEN COMMISSION** met in regular session at the above time and place.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Commissioners Carol Acosta, Christina Fraijo,
Patricia Gonzales; Vice Chair Iris Rodriguez; Chair Maggie Guzman

Also present: Eloise Beltran, Senior Center Manager; and Laura Nieto,
Chief Deputy City Clerk

**SPONTANEOUS
COMMUNICATIONS**

There were no speakers.

CONSENT CALENDAR

MOTION

A motion was made by Chair Guzman, seconded by Commissioner Acosta, to approve the Consent Calendar. The motion was unanimously approved.

**ITEM NO. 1A
MINUTES**

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The minutes of the special meeting held March 27, 2023, were approved.

END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

NEW BUSINESS

None.

**SENIOR CENTER
MANAGER UPDATE**

Senior Center Manager Beltran provided the following update:

- 1) The Loteria event has sold out.
- 2) A Wine Bottle Painting activity is upcoming.
- 3) A Mother's Day Tea and Craft event is scheduled for May 12.
- 4) A Senior Art Festival is scheduled for May 17.
- 5) A Father's Day BBQ is scheduled for May 22.
- 6) Registration for the Senior Prom begins May 15.
- 7) The May 13 trip to the LA County Fair is sold out.
- 8) Registration for city classes begins on May 22 and on May 31 for Mt. Sac classes.
- 9) The Birthday Celebration scheduled for this Friday has sold out.

**PUBLIC SERVICES
DIRECTOR UPDATE**

Director Rodriguez provided the following update:

- 1) She provided an update on the deployment of new trash bins and refuse requirements. If residents need assistance, she requested that they contact staff.
- 2) She provided an update on the upcoming Street Resurfacing Project as well as sidewalk panel replacements on various city streets.

- 3) A bulky-item pickup event has been scheduled for May 5.
- 4) A recycling/compost/shredding event has been scheduled for May 13.
- 5) A Mayor's Prayer Breakfast event has been scheduled for May 16.

**COMMISSIONER ITEMS
AND REQUESTS**

COMMISSIONER
GONZALES

Commissioner Gonzales asked about the recent trip to the winery and Olvera Street and noted that she was informed that one resident did not show up for the trip.

Responding to a question by Commissioner Gonzales, Manager Beltran indicated that she did not know the exact per-person cost to attend this trip.

Discussion was held on the transportation provided by the Senior Center, and staff clarified that the service is only available to Irwindale residents.

COMMISSIONER
ACOSTA

Commissioner Acosta suggested that the transportation scheduled be posted at the Senior Center so that seniors can see when the various trips are scheduled.

COMMISSIONER
FRAIJO

Commissioner Fraijo asked about the timing of the signals at Calle de Paseo and Calle del Norte and stated that they take too long to change. Director Rodriguez indicated that she would inform the Engineering Department so that they may follow up.

COMMISSIONER
GONZALES

Commissioner Gonzales reported no-shows for the Recreation Department's trip to Palm Springs and suggested that a policy be implemented in an effort to cut down on them, to which Director Rodriguez stated that it would have to be taken to the Parks & Recreation Commission since it would apply to all city events/outings.

CHAIR GUZMAN

Chair Guzman thanked staff for all their hard work and for assisting seniors.

COMMISSIONER
GONZALES

Commissioner Gonzales indicated that she has asked about volunteering at the Senior Center as she has a food service certification.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at 9:31 a.m.

ATTEST:



Armando Hegdahl
Management Analyst

Approved as presented at the meeting held May 22, 2023.