

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

**SEPTEMBER 25, 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; Sylvia Tapia, Office
Specialist; and Armando Hegdahl, Management Analyst

CONSENT CALENDAR

MOTION

A motion was made by Commissioner Gonzales, seconded by Vice Chair
Rodriguez, to approve the Consent Calendar. The motion was
unanimously approved.

**ITEM NO. 1A
MINUTES**

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The minutes of the regular meeting held August 28, 2023, were
approved.

END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

**SPONTANEOUS
COMMUNICATIONS**

There were no speakers.

**SENIOR CENTER
MANAGER UPDATE**

Senior Center Manager Beltran provided the following update:

- 1) A Mexican-Independence Day Dance was held on September 15 and
was very well received. Only a handful of individuals did not attend
and, unfortunately, they did not inform staff that they would not attend.
- 2) Registrations are being accepted for the upcoming Halloween Dance
and for the Pumpkin Decorating contest.
- 3) A Health Fair has been scheduled for October 4, where interested
seniors may receive flu shots and Covid-19 boosters.
- 4) The September 16 trip to Catalina Island was also very successful.
- 5) A trip to Yaamava Casino has been scheduled for October 14.
- 6) A Birthday Brunch event has been scheduled for this Friday,
September 29th.

**PUBLIC SERVICES
DIRECTOR UPDATE**

None.

**COMMISSIONER ITEMS
AND REQUESTS**

**COMMISSIONER
GONZALES**

Manager Beltran responded to Commissioner Gonzales' inquiry about
dance and lunch registrations by stating that about 60 seniors had
registered for the Mexican Independence Day Dance, which included

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lunch, and approximately 15 to 20 seniors had registered for the dance only.

Manager Beltran informed everyone that there wouldn't be any table centerpieces during the Halloween activities in response to another query from Commissioner Gonzales.

CHAIR GUZMAN Chair Guzman spoke highly of the recent harassment-prevention training.

COMMISSIONER GONZALES Commissioner Gonzales announced that she would start volunteering at the Senior Center. She also praised the ceremony held on Saturday to dedicate the Public Works building in David Fraijo Martinez's honor.

CHAIR GUZMAN Chair Guzman thanked Manager Beltran and her staff for always being so helpful.

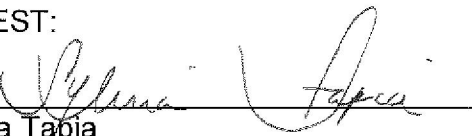
COMMISSIONER GONZALES Commissioner Gonzales inquired about forthcoming walks at the Santa Fe Dam. Manager Beltran replied that she wasn't sure if any more walks would be held before the year was out.

CHAIR GUZMAN Chair Guzman mentioned she received a senior's complaint about the menu. She advised the senior to attend the Senior Commission meeting to express her concerns.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at 9:18 a.m.

ATTEST:



Sylvia Tapia
Office Specialist

Approved as presented at the meeting held October 30, 2023