



CITY OF MILPITAS

Senior Advisory Commission

MEETING MINUTES

1:32 pm

Tuesday, April 25, 2023

40 N. Milpitas Blvd. Milpitas, CA 95035

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Berryhill called the meeting to order at 1:32 pm. Chair Berryhill called the roll.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Commissioners Jenny Berryhill, Barbara Jo Navarro, Willy Wong, Melba Holliday, Ha Pham, Simon Chu, Nona Tolentino, Deborah Langley

Student Commissioner Sai Anish

ABSENT: NA

City Liaison: Mayor Carmen Montano

City Staff: John Macon – Recreation Supervisor
Ann Marie Asis – Program Coordinator
Ming Chen – Public Service Assistant

PLEDGE of ALLEGIANCE

Chair Berryhill led the pledge of allegiance.

ALTERNATE SEATING

Commissioner Ha Pham to be seated in place of Nona Tolentino.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion/Second Wong/Holliday

AYES: All

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion/Second Holliday/Deborah

AYES: All

PUBLIC FORUM

Vice Mayor Evelyn Chua

Shared to the Commission of the Scam Prevention workshop geared towards the Senior population. Shared to the Commission flyers from the Art Commission.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Police Briefing – Chief Hernandez, Captain Miller

Chief Hernandez continues to update the Commission of the vacancies at the Police Department. Shared to the Commission of the upcoming events such as Lunch with a Cop and the Special Olympics, local crime and scam updates, the Catalytic Converter Program, National Night Out, and Driver's Awareness Month.

BUSINESS ITEMS

A. SMART Program – Jay Lee, Principal Planner

Background: Milpitas SMART is a new and convenient on-demand rideshare service that gets you around Milpitas quickly and safely. Residents and visitors

can also utilize this service for local daily trips to work, school, shopping, and other needs around town.

Recommendation: Receive presentation on the SMART program from the City of Milpitas' Principal Planner, Jay Lee.

Presented to the Commission of the SMART program and answered questions the Commission had about the SMART Program,

B. Age-Friendly Initiatives – Ann Marie Asis

Background: The Senior Advisory Commission's Work Plan includes support and participation in Age-Friendly initiatives and Santa Clara County Seniors' Agenda activities.

Recommendation: Review current Santa Clara County Age-Friendly and Senior's Agenda initiatives to determine which activities that the Senior Advisory Commission can support and promote in the community in the next six months.

Commission discussed of various Age-Friendly initiatives such as Senior Safari at Happy Hollow Park, Dementia Friend, and the Walk to End Alzheimer.

Motion to support the Senior Safari on May 25.

M/S: Navarro/Tolentino

AYES: All

Motion to support the Alzheimer Walk initiative and Dementia Friend Initiative.

M/S: Pham/Berryhill

AYES: All

C. Sponsor Senior Center Events and Activities – Ann Marie Asis

Background: The Senior Advisory Commission's Work Plan includes support and promotion of select Senior Center Activities, such as birthday celebrations, themed dances, multi-cultural events, and highlight activities with the goal of gaining greater participation from our Milpitas senior community.

Recommendation: Discuss upcoming Senior Center events and activities and determine how the Senior Advisory Commission can partner with the Senior Center staff to further promote select activities.

Commission discuss the upcoming events and how the Commission can provide support.

Motion to support the Sock Hop, Camp Golden Class, and Resource Fair.

M/S: Pham/Berryhill

AYES: All

LIAISON REPORT

A. Report from City Staff

City Staff shared to the Commission of the upcoming events happening at the Senior Center. Some upcoming events shared is Older American Month, Technology for Senior Presentation, and the Senior Center's Let's Par-Tea.

B. Report from City Liaison

Mayor Montano shared to the Commission of the of the discussions during the Council Budget Meeting.

UPCOMING AGENDA

MUSD Innovation Center Presentation
Logistics of the Alzheimer's Walk

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Berryhill adjourned the meeting at 3:03 p.m. The next Commission meeting will be on June 27, 2023 at 1:30 p.m.