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MATURE ADULT ADVOCATES

Friday, February 22, 2019, 5:00 to 6:00 p.m.

Silver Lake Recreation Center 1850 w. Silver Lake Drive, LA 90026 – Meeting Room
Street Parking/Metro 201

WELCOME:

The Mature Adult Advocates meeting was convened at 5:02 p.m. by co-chair Nina Sorkin. The following committee members were in attendance: Stephanie Vendig, Genelle LeVin, Pat Tashma (co-chair) and Nina Sorkin (co-chair).

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:

Stephanie Vendig announced Councilmember Ryu has requested two motions be reviewed by the City Council Park Committee. One motion deals with the expansion of GPACC and the other motion deals with Bridge Housings on the parking lot between the Mulholland Fountain and LA Shares.

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEM:

It was moved by Genelle LeVin and seconded by Pat Tashma to approve the minutes of the previous meeting with the request that those in attendance be listed. Minutes approved 4-0.

MOTIONS & RESOLUTIONS:

The Committee reviewed the invitation to host Councilmember Mitch O'Farrell on April 25 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. to discuss senior issues with seniors. The Silver Lake Public Library has been confirmed and CD 13 has agreed to the date and time.

It was moved by Genelle LeVin and seconded by Stephanie Vendig to forward the following motion to SLNC. Committee vote was 4-0

MOTION: The Mature Adult Advocates that the Silver Lake Neighborhood Council co-sponsor a Meet and Greet with Councilperson Mitch O'Farrell on April 25 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Silver Lake Public Library.

Outreach plan was discussed. It was agreed that we will request SLNC to include April 25 Meet and Greet on the SLNC Webpage and Bi-Weekly Newsletter. In addition, GPACC will announce and include in their e-mail blast and newsletter and at their General Meeting. Genelle LeVin recommended we ask Betsy Hall of the Silver Lake Chamber of Commerce to include the meet and greet in their outreach efforts.



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Council District 13 requested possible issues that will be raised. The following issues were agreed to forward to David Cano of CD13: Housing including affordable housing, transportation including DASH, Social isolation, Malnutrition . In addition, Nina Sorkin will forward questions raised at the Public Hearings included as part of the Los Angeles Department of Aging PSA25, Four-Year Area Plan on Aging July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2020.

Nina Sorkin indicated that currently the City and County has included the Purposeful Aging Los Angeles (PALA) however we do not know how this will be implemented. In addition, Governor Newsom in his State of the State Address called for a Master Plan on Aging. He cited that California's senior population will increase by 4 million over the next decade and double in 25 years. Nina Sorkin will be attending the THRIVE Aging meeting this Sunday in Encino coordinated by City Attorney Mike Feuer.

Format

It was agreed to start the Meet and Greet with a short ice breaker. Light refreshments will be available to those in attendance. Councilmember Mitch O'Farrell will first address the issues he was provided. The last fifteen minutes will be devoted to questions from those in attendance.

There were no co-chair comments or announcements.

REQUESTS/MOTIONS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

Stephanie Vendig requested we request SLNC to write letter of support to the two motions being presented to the City Park Committee. The Mature Adult Advocates will include these proposed motions in its next meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Minutes APPROVED June 26, 2019