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## **MATURE ADULT ADVOCATE COMMITTEE**

Wednesday, June 26, 2019, 5:15 to 6:00 p.m.  
Say Cheese 2800 Hyperion Avenue, LA 90027  
Parking in rear of building/Metro 201

### **Draft Minutes**

#### **WELCOME:**

The Mature Adult Advocates meeting was convened at 5:15 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:**

Nina Sorkin announced request to have a Coffee with Cop at GPACC possibly on July 18 at 10:00 a.m. with the new SLO (Senior Lead Officer).

#### **CO-CHAIR ELECTIONS:**

There were no volunteers interested in serving as co-chairs of the Mature Adult Advocate Committee. This is not to say that Mature Adults do not need advocacy. However, it was the consensus of the Committee that this role will be the responsibility of the two Aging Liaisons, Stephanie Vendig and Nina Sorkin who have held this position the past year.

#### **PRESENTATION/UPDATE:**

We reviewed the benefits of hosting a Meet and Greet with Councilmember O'Farrell on April 25, 2019. However, it was disappointing that improvement of DASH will not be happening in the near future.

Stephanie Vendig and Nina Sorkin indicated they attended a Joint Meeting with the Homeless Committee, Tenant Rights Committee and Mature Adult Advocate Committee. Stephanie and Nina will continue to participate in future meetings.

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE ITEM:**

It was moved by Genelle LeVin and seconded by Pat Tashma to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Minutes approved 4-0.



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**MOTIONS & RESOLUTIONS:**

There was a discussion of the two motions submitted by Councilmember David Ryu on February 6, 2019, regarding Bridge Housing and the expansion of the Griffith Park Adult Community Center on city-owned located at 3210 and 3258 Riverside Drive. It was pointed out that the Los Feliz and Atwater Village Neighborhood Councils have sent letters of support for Council File 19-0126.

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 Advocate Committee recommends that the Silver Lake Neighborhood Council support the development of 3210 and 3258 Riverside Drive for the development of Bridge Housing and the expansion of the Griffith Park Adult Community Center by sending letters to Councilmember Ryu and LA City Recreation and Parks Department.

**COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

None

**ADJOURNMENT**

It was moved (Genelle LeVin) and seconded (Pat Tashma) to adjourn at 6:00 p.m.