



CITY OF SIGNAL HILL

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THE CITY OF SIGNAL HILL
WELCOMES YOU TO A REGULAR
DIVERSITY COALITION COMMITTEE MEETING
May 13, 2026

The City of Signal Hill appreciates your attendance. Public interest provides the Diversity Coalition Committee with valuable information regarding issues of the community. Meetings are held the second Wednesday of odd-numbered months. Meetings will commence at 5:30 p.m. There is a public comment period at the beginning of the regular meeting, as well as the opportunity to comment on each agenda item as it arises. Any meeting may be adjourned to a time and place stated in the order of adjournment.

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Diversity Coalition Committee Members receive no compensation.

(1) **CALL TO ORDER – 5:30 P.M.**

(2) **ROLL CALL**

Committee Members:
JENNIFER ARZATE
SAMONA MICHELLE CALDWELL
PAM DUTCH HUGHES
MARY GONZALES
HARSHAN JEYAKUMAR
CHARISMA JUSTIS
GEGE LOPEZ
DIANA PHILLIPS
LUPE REYES
LISA WONG

(3) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(4) PUBLIC BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR ON ITEMS NOT LISTED ON THIS AGENDA

(5) PRESENTATIONS

(6) STAFF UPDATE

(7) DISCUSSION ITEM(S)

- a. LOS ANGELES COUNTY DIGITAL EQUITY COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS PROGRAM

Summary:

Representatives from the Los Angeles County Digital Equity Community Conversations Program will provide an overview of the program.

Recommendation:

The DCC will review, discuss, and identify the target demographic for the Los Angeles County Digital Equity Community Conversations Program.

Attachments:

- A. Community Conversation Partner Overview and FAQs

- b. DISCUSSION AND UPDATES ON THE DIVERSITY COALITION COMMITTEE'S PROGRESS ON SCOPE OF WORK

Summary:

The Diversity Coalition Committee (DCC) will provide an update on the status and progress on their scope of work, which entails providing recommendations for programs, both new and existing, that foster and promote inclusivity, encourage community engagement, and advance the City's efforts to provide

equitable access to services and resources to the City's diverse population.

Recommendation:

The Diversity Coalition Committee members will discuss updates on the status of their work on programmatic recommendations.

c. DIVERSITY BREAKFAST UPDATE

Summary:

The Diversity Breakfast is scheduled for Tuesday, June 2, 2026. The Diversity Coalition Committee selected Mary Gonzales and Diana Phillips to serve as the points of contact to assist with event coordination with City staff.

Recommendation:

The Diversity Coalition Committee Members, Mary Gonzales and Diana Phillips, will provide an update on the status of the event planning.

(8) CONSENT CALENDAR

The following Consent Calendar items are expected to be routine and non-controversial. Items will be acted upon by the Committee at one time without discussion. Any item may be removed by a Committee or member of the audience for discussion.

a. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

Summary:

Review the Regular Meeting minutes of March 11, 2026.

Strategic Plan Goal(s):

Goal No. 5. High-Functioning Government: Strengthen internal communication, recruitment, retention, systems, and processes to increase the effectiveness and efficiency of City services.

Recommendation:

Approve the meeting minutes.

Attachments:

A. March 11, 2026 Minutes

(9) COMMITTEE NEW BUSINESS**(10) ADJOURNMENT**

Tonight's meeting will be adjourned to the next regular meeting of the Diversity Coalition Committee to be held on Wednesday, July 8, 2026 at 5:30 p.m., in the Signal Hill Public Library, 1800 E. Hill Street, Signal Hill, CA 90755

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