



CITY OF SIGNAL HILL

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THE CITY OF SIGNAL HILL
WELCOMES YOU TO A REGULAR
DIVERSITY COALITION COMMITTEE MEETING
September 28, 2022

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The City of Signal Hill appreciates your attendance. Citizen interest provides the Diversity Coalition Committee with valuable information regarding issues of the community. Meetings are held the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Meetings will commence at 6:00 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 – 6:00 P.M.

(2) ROLL CALL

Committee Members:
SAMONA MICHELLE CALDWELL
PAM DUTCH HUGHES
VERONICA ESCOBAR
MARY GONZALES
JIM GREEN
HARSHAN JEYAKUMAR
REGGIE MILLER
DIANA PHILLIPS
LUPE REYES
TODD SAHARA
JON-STEPHEN C. SCOTT
RONALD SMITH
KENYETTA SUGGARS
ALI TIMAJI
CHRISTOPHER WILSON
LISA WONG

(3) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

(4) PUBLIC BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR ON ITEMS NOT LISTED ON THIS AGENDA**(5) DISCUSSION ITEM(S)****a. DISCUSS PLAN FOR SPEAKER SERIES**Summary:

The Committee will discuss development of a speaker series.

Recommendation:

Discuss and develop a strategy.

b. DISCUSS CULTURAL FESTIVAL PLANSummary:

The Committee will discuss development of a Cultural Festival.

Recommendation:

Discuss and develop a strategy.

c. RESCHEDULING OF THE OCTOBER 12, 2022 MEETINGSummary:

The Committee will discuss rescheduling the October 12, 2022 Committee meeting.

Recommendations:

1. Select an alternative meeting date for the October 12, 2022 meeting; or
2. Cancel the October 12, 2022 meeting.

(6) 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 MINUTESSummary:

Regular Meeting of September 14, 2022.

Recommendation:

Approve the meeting minutes.

(7) COMMITTEE NEW BUSINESS**(8) ADJOURNMENT**

Tonight's meeting will be adjourned to a date and time to be determined by the Diversity Coalition Committee, or the next regular meeting on October 26, 2022 if the Committee decides to cancel the October 12, 2022 meeting (hybrid meeting format, including in-person, and video and teleconference participation options). Instructions to participate in the meeting will be provided on the meeting agenda.

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