Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council

Human Services Committee

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Human Services Committee Meeting:

Minutes - DRAFT

Sherman Oaks Martin Pollard Branch Library Friday, July 14th, 2023, 6:30 pm.

The Neighborhood Council system enables meaningful civic participation for all Angelenos and serves as a voice for improving government responsiveness to local communities and their needs. We are an advisory body to the City of Los Angeles, comprised of stakeholder volunteers who are devoted to the mission of improving our communities.

1. Call to Order

a. Sarah Manuel co-chair, called the meeting to order at 4:07pm.

2. Roll Call

- a. Sarah Manuel, co-chair, called the roll
 - i. Present: Sarah Manuel, Pamela Harris, Nathan Kang, Stacey Segarra-Bohlinger (4)
 - ii. Absent: Alexia Guevara, David Gudino (2)

3. Approval of Minutes:

Approval of June 5th 2023 - Meeting Minutes.

Moved: Manuel Seconded: Segarra-Bohlinger

approved unanimously by voice vote

4. Co- Chair's Report:

successful hygiene kit drive senior women at highest risk of becoming unhoused 1 year anniversary for committee upcoming

5. Comments by Public Officials -

Ryan Ahari, office of Council Dist. 4 (Raman)
fire dept. called to Sylmar behind Gelons, propane cooking in/near RV caused fire
RV resident going through divorce

6. Public comment on non-agenda items - brief discussion followed

7. Presentation: Abuse Dynamics in Systems and Institutions - presentation with discussion followed

8. Back to School Drive-

East Valley Adult Center, asking for new school supplies 11am-2pm (set-up at approx 10:15) potentially create Amazon Wishlist, gofundme, etc.

unofficial voice vote conducted re: wishlist, "nays" prevail

9. Calendar & Funding Requests:

Back-to-school backpack and supply drive - Aug. 5th

Hygiene Drive w/school, potentially Kester Elementary - October / TBD

Recreation Center Holiday Gala - 300 attend, ideas needed for what to collect during drive

Senior Secret Santa / Letters to Santa

Holiday events: Caroling and Clothing Drive - 4th annual drive, nonprofit needed for collaboration

10. New Business:

resource guide needs to be updated and verified "meet your neighbors" day

11. Announcements: SONC movie in the park next Saturday July 21st

12. Adjournment

meeting adjourned by unanimous consent at 5:27pm

Respectfully submitted

Stacey