



**MINUTES
CITY OF LAWDALE
PARKS, RECREATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING, MONDAY, JUNE 26, 2023**

A. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Chairperson Lin called the meeting to order at 6:35 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chamber located at 14717 Burin Avenue, Lawndale, CA 90260.

Members Present: Chairperson, Ignatius Lin
 Vice Chairperson, Joanne Loeza
 Commissioner, Daniel Woods
 Commissioner, Kenneth Miller

Others Present: Mike Estes, Director of Community Services

B. FLAG SALUTE

Commissioner Woods led the PRSSC and those in attendance in the flag salute.

C. APPROVAL OF JUNE 12, 2023, MINUTES

A motion was made by Commissioner Woods and seconded by Commissioner Miller to approve the June 12, 2023 minutes as written.

Motion carries 4-0 (One vacant seat)

D. PRESENTATIONS

None scheduled.

E. ITEMS FROM CITIZENS

None present.

F. ITEMS FROM COMMUNITY SERVICES STAFF

1. Discussion Pertaining to Potential New Fundraising Opportunities

- a. Dinner and Talent Show
- b. Movie Night
- c. Comedy Night
- d. Community Wide Yard Sale
- e. Canine Competition Event

Director Estes requested the PRSSC allow more time to gather feedback from City Manager's office and City Attorney's office regarding the fundraising options.

PRSSC discussed the PRSSC Fireworks Trust Fund account.

Without objection, the PRSSC tabled Item F1 to be discussed at a subsequent meeting.

2. American Flag Display on Hawthorne Blvd. and Lawndale Way

Director Estes reported that the American flags are displayed along Hawthorne Boulevard and Lawndale Way effective approximately two weeks ago and thanked the PRSSC for the generous donation.

3. No Fireworks in Lawndale Campaign (You Light It, We Cite It!)

Director Estes spoke about the Illegal Fireworks Campaign including administrative citations of \$2,000, for the first offense and \$5,000, for the second offense.

Vice Chairperson Loeza inquired “how does a resident report illegal firework activities?”

Director Estes responded that instances of illegal fireworks may be reported to the Los Angeles County Sheriff’s, Lawndale Service Center.

4. Lawndale Youth Development Center Update

Director Estes reported on the status of the State and Federal contracts and grants.

5. PRSSC Goals and Objectives

Commissioner Miller reiterated possible fundraising events for the PRSSC after a review from management and legal.

G. ITEMS FROM COMMISSIONERS

6. Discussion Pertaining to Potentially New PRSSC Fundraising Opportunities

None.

H. SPECIAL EVENTS UPDATE

7. National Night Out, Lawndale City Hall Courtyard, Tuesday, August 1, 2023

Director Estes provided an overview of the upcoming National Night Out event being planned by the Municipal Services Department to celebrate law enforcement.

8. 9th Annual Lawndale Blues Festival, Saturday, September 9, 2023, Jane Addams Park

Director Estes reported that: 1) four blues/rock bands have been confirmed for performances; 2) marketing and advertising postcards will go to production this week; and 3) street banners will be available for posting on Hawthorne Boulevard in July.

I. MISCELLANEOUS

9. Individual Comments from Commissioners

Commissioner Woods and Chairperson Lin commended Director Estes for the support and ongoing reports.

Chairperson Lin noted he will not be available to attend the July 10, 2023 meeting.

J. AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING

10. Discussion Pertaining to Potentially New PRSSC Fundraising Opportunities

K. ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Lin adjourned the meeting at 7:17 p.m. to a regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Monday, July 10, 2023, at 6:30 pm to be held at the City Hall Council Chamber located at 14717 Burin Avenue, Lawndale, CA 90260.

Ignatius Lin, Chairperson

Attest:

Mike Estes, Director of Community Services