



**MINUTES
CITY OF LAWDALE
PARKS, RECREATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2024**

A. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Chairperson Lin called the meeting to order at 6:42 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, Uriel Gomez

Members Absent: Commissioner, Kenneth Miller

Others Present: Mike Estes, Director of Community Services

B. FLAG SALUTE

Vice Chairperson Loeza led the PRSSC and those in attendance in the flag salute.

C. APPROVAL OF FEBRUARY 12, 2024, MINUTES

A motion was made by Commissioner Woods and seconded by Chairperson Lin to approve the February 12, 2024 minutes as written.

Motion carries 3-0-1 (Commissioner Miller absent)

D. PRESENTATIONS

None scheduled.

E. ITEMS FROM CITIZENS

None present.

F. ITEMS FROM COMMUNITY SERVICES STAFF

1. Lawndale Youth Development Center Update, Phase One Status Report

Director Estes provided a brief status report and timeline on phase one of the Lawndale Youth Development Center project.

2. Discussion Pertaining to 2024 Fireworks Stand Fundraising Program

Director Estes and PRSSC discussed various ways to promote and recruit more volunteers for the PRSSC fireworks stand.

G. ITEMS FROM COMMISSIONERS

3. Discussion Item: Potential Social Services Program

The PRSSC discussed various grant opportunities for the youth sports leagues and financial assistance opportunities for low-income families and to potentially bring the discussion to a City Council meeting.

4. Easter Eggstravaganza, 3/30/2024, 9:30 to 12:30, William Green/Jane Addams Park

Director Estes provided an outline of the upcoming Easter Eggstravaganza event. PRSSC discussed having a booth with Easter giveaways for the children.

5. Chalk Art Event, 4/13/2024, Time TBD, Lawndale City Hall Courtyard

Director Estes reported that the Lawndale art gallery, ESMoA museum, would like to host a Chalk Art event for the children in the community.

6. Youth Day Parade, 4/27/2024, 10:00, Alondra Park to Lawndale Civic Center

Director Estes reported that there has been a great amount of responses from the Youth Day Parade participants and Director Estes provided a brief outline of the event.

H. SPECIAL EVENTS UPDATE

7. Memorial Day Remembrance Program, 5/27/2024, 9:00 am, City Hall Veteran's Memorial Wall

Director Estes reported that the City will be working on the event soon and will provide updates as we get closer to the date.

I. MISCELLANEOUS

8. Individual Comments from Commissioners

Vice Chairperson Loeza announced the upcoming Coffee with a Cop event and indicated that she will be attending.

The PRSSC welcomed the new Commissioner Gomez.

J. AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING

9. PRSSC Reorganization, March 11, 2024

Director Estes provided an outline of the PRSSC Reorganization for March 11, 2024.

K. ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Lin adjourned the meeting at 8:42 p.m. to a regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Monday, March 11, 2024, 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