

MINUTES
CITY OF HAWAIIAN GARDENS
SPECIAL MEETING
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
NOVEMBER 28, 2018

CALLED TO ORDER

The Special Meeting of the Hawaiian Gardens Public Safety Commission was called to order on Wednesday, November 28, 2018, commencing at 6:00pm, at the Public Safety Center, 11940 Carson St. Hawaiian Gardens, California 90716.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chair Rico.

ROLL CALL	CHAIRMEMBER	MARIO RICO	PRESENT
	VICE CHAIRMEMBER	PEDRO AMARO	PRESENT
	COMMISSIONER	LIZET MENDOZA	PRESENT
	COMMISSIONER	BERTHA MERAZ	PRESENT
	COMMISSIONER	BARBARA LAUGHLIN	PRESENT

For the record, also in attendance, Linda Suniga, Commission Liaison, Claudia Raya, Recording Secretary, Patrick Matson, Administrative Services Manager, Jose Loera, Public Safety Officer and with Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, Sgt. Maese, Deputy Valenzuela and Deputy Martinez.

PRESENTATIONS

Sgt. Maese introduced Deputy Martinez as the City's new SAO. In addition, Deputy Valenzuela has been promoted to Training Officer and will soon be leaving the team.

CITY COUNCIL REPORTS

1. INFORMATIONAL ITEM FROM CITY COUNCIL MEETING 10/23/2018: CONSIDERATION TO APPROVE THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY HOMELESS INITIATIVE: 2018 CITIES HOMELESSNESS PLAN IMPLEMENTATION REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (NEW FUNDING OPPORTUNITY).

Staff responded to all of the Commissions questions.

CONSENT CALENDAR

2. PRESENTATION OF THE PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2018

COMMISSION ACTION: *Approve as Presented*

3. LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT MONTHLY CRIMES REPORT FOR OCTOBER 2018.

COMMISSION ACTION: *Receive and File*

4. LOS ANGELES COUNTY ANIMAL CARE AND CONTROL MONTHLY REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2018.

COMMISSION ACTION: *Receive and File*

Vice Chair Amaro motioned to receive the consent calendar to its entirety. Commissioner Mendoza seconded. All in favor, motion passed.

ORAL STAFF REPORTS

None at this time

DISCUSSION ITEMS

5. RADAR TRAILERS

Staff informed the Commission that Public Safety Department has purchased two radar trailers. The trailers will be used to deter speeding along specific areas. In addition, the radar trailers include a software that can provide useful data, such as: speeding, number of vehicles, times, percentiles etc.

6. NEW STATE REGULATIONS IMPACTING THE CITY AND CASINO

Staff informed the Commission regarding the New State Regulations that would impact the Casino and the City. The new state regulation has to do with the regulations of gaming in the casino. If the regulations were to be strengthened, experts say that gaming would not be as popular, resulting in revenue reduction. The casino provides a significant amount of revenue to the City and this regulation would impact the City.

7. RECRUITMENT FOR PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER

Staff informed the Commission that the City will be hiring for a new Public Safety Officer. The position will be flown in house first and if there is no qualified applicants, then, it will be open to the public.

8. UPCOMING EVENTS

- TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY, NOVEMBER 30, 2018 @ 5:00PM @ C. ROBERT LEE

COMMISSIONER REPORTS

Vice Chair Amaro welcomed Deputy Martinez and congratulated Deputy Valenzuela on their new positions. Also, would like an update on the request made by another resident, regarding a cross walk being installed on Devlin and 226th St. Lastly, 214th and Belshire, Vice Chair Amaro would like an update on the possibility of making that intersection a 3- way Stop.

Commissioner Mendoza welcomed Deputy Martinez and congratulated Deputy Valenzuela.

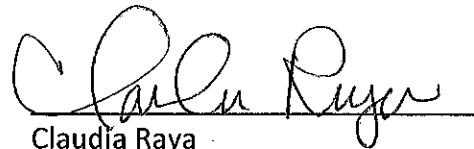
Commissioner Meraz also welcomed Deputy Martinez and congratulated Deputy Valenzuela.

Commissioner Laughlin welcomed Deputy Martinez and congratulated Deputy Valenzuela. Commissioner Laughlin wanted to know the limit on how long the campaign signs can kept up after the campaign. The Boys TV business has homeless individuals camping next door to it. Staff will follow up with the campaign regulations. Also, the homeless at the Boys TV location has been referred to Code Enforcement.

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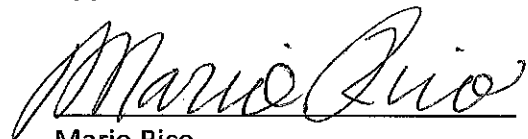
ADJOURNMENT to the next Regular Public Safety Commission Meeting on December 19, 2019.

Respectfully Submitted:



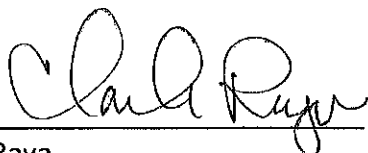
Claudia Raya
Recording Secretary

Approved:



Mario Rico
Chairmember

Attest:



Claudia Raya