

CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE
REGULAR PATRIOTIC COMMISSION MEETING – MINUTES
Tuesday, October 29, 2024 – 6:00 PM
1415 Santa Anita Avenue, South El Monte, California 91733

Chair Alejandro Miramontes De Anda called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

1. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Commissioner(s): Figueroa, Flores, Lopez, Vice Chair Tavera, and Chair Miramontes De Anda

STAFF PRESENT: Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager and Noelia Saucedo, Senior Recreation Leader

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Commissioner Lopez led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. PRESENTATIONS – None.

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Commissioner Figueroa, second by Vice Chair Tavera to approve the agenda. Motion passed 5-0, by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner(s): Figueroa, Flores, Lopez, Vice Chair Tavera, and Chair Miramontes De Anda

NAYS: Commissioner(s): None

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Chair Miramontes De Anda opened public comment. There being none Chair Miramontes De Anda closed public comment.

6. CONSENT CALENDAR

A motion was made by Vice Chair Tavera, seconded by Chair Miramontes De Anda to approve the Consent Calendar. Motion passed 5-0, by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner(s): Figueroa, Flores, Lopez, Vice Chair Tavera, and Chair Miramontes De Anda

NAYS: Commissioner(s): None

7. GENERAL BUSINESS

7a. REPORT ON VETERANS DAY CEREMONY

Mr. Perez provided the commission with an update regarding the Veterans Day Ceremony including the role of each commissioner:

1. Chair Miramontes De Anda will be opening the ceremony.
2. Vice Chair Tavera will be reading Mr. Fernando Apodaca's Biography.
3. Commissioner Figueroa will be reading Mr. Oscar Oropeza's Biography.
4. Commissioner Flores will be performing the invocation.

7b. APPROVAL OF PROPOSED DARK PATRIOTIC COMMISSION MEETING.

A motion was made by Commissioner Figueroa, seconded Commissioner Flores to approve going "dark" for the months of November and December. Motion passed 5-0, by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner(s): Figueroa, Flores, Lopez, Vice Chair Tavera, and Chair Miramontes De Anda
NAYS: Commissioner(s): None

7c. UPDATE ON PROPOSED VETERANS BANNER PROGRAM

Mr. Perez provided an update regarding the proposed Veterans Banner Program and informed the commission the program will follow the approval process with City Council.

8. COMMISSIONERS REPORTS, INCLUDING ABN1234 REPORTS

Commissioner Flores nothing to report at this time.

Chair Miramontes De Anda reports his attendance at the October Night Market.

Vice Chair Tavera reported her attendance at the October Night Market, the Walk to End Domestic Violence Event, the October 8, 2024, City Council meeting, where the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10218 presented a plaque to the City of South El Monte in appreciation for all the assistance given to Veterans.

Commissioner Lopez nothing to report at this time.

Commissioner Figueora reported her attendance at the "Wear Your Pink" for Breast Cancer Month craft class, Senior Rodeo Event, and the Walk to End Domestic Violence Event.

9. CORRESPONDENCE – None.

10. COMMISSIONERS' AGENDA

10a. COMMISSIONER FIGUEROA

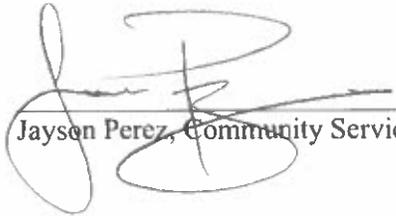
1. Discussion and consideration to install flag poles along with military flags at City Hall Front Lawn for all U.S. Military branches.

Commissioner Figueroa made a motion, seconded by Vice Chair Tavera to recommend to management to move forward to install Military flags with a 24 hour lighting system at City Hall. Motion passed 5-0, by the following vote:

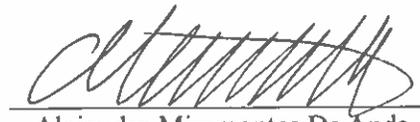
AYES: Commissioner(s): Figueroa, Flores, Lopez, Vice Chair Tavera, and Chair
Miramontes De Anda
NAYS: Commissioner(s): None

11. ADJOURNMENT

At 7:02 p.m. Chair Miramontes De Anda adjourned the meeting to a regular Patriotic Commission meeting on Wednesday, November 27, 2024, at 6:00 p.m.



Jaysen Perez, Community Services Manager



Alejandro Miramontes De Anda, Chair