

**CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE**

**REGULAR MEETING AGENDA  
OF THE SOUTH EL MONTE  
PATRIOTIC COMMISSION**

**FEBRUARY 28, 2018, 6:00 P.M.  
SENIOR CENTER DINING ROOM  
1556 CENTRAL AVENUE  
SOUTH EL MONTE, CA 91733**



**YOLANDA DEL RIO, PATRIOTIC COMMISSIONER  
DAVID DEL RIO, PATRIOTIC COMMISSIONER  
BLANCA FIGUEROA PATRIOTIC COMMISSIONER  
RUDY LOPEZ, PATRIOTIC COMMISSIONER  
NAOMI LOPEZ, PATRIOTIC COMMISSIONER**

**HONORARY PATRIOTIC MEMBER MICHAEL FELIX  
HONORARY PATRIOTIC MEMBER WILLIAM GIL  
HONORARY PATRIOTIC MEMBER JOSE HUANTE**

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1. ROLL CALL

3. PLEDGE OF THE FLAG

Chairperson Del Rio

4. PRESENTATIONS

PASTOR CHARLIE CORUM POTENTIAL SPONSORSHIP FOR THE MILITARY BANNER PROGRAM

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND WAIVER OF FULL READING

This is the time for the commission to remove any items from the agenda for individual consideration, table, continue, or add items, or make a motion to rearrange the order of this agenda.

6. PUBLIC COMMENT

Persons wishing to address the Patriotic Commission on any item on the agenda, or any other matter, are invited to do so at this time. Pursuant to the Brown Act, the Patriotic Commission cannot discuss or take action on items not on the agenda. Matters brought before the Patriotic Commission items that are not on the agenda may, at the Commission's discretion, be referred to staff or placed on the next agenda.

7. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS None.

9. STAFF REPORT

a. INTRODUCION OF DEPUTY CITY MANAGER, RACHEL BARBOSA

b. MR. MANNY LARA'S MONUMENT WALL APPLICATION

c. MR. MICHAEL PERDUE'S MILITARY BANNER APPLICATION

d. VETERAN'S DAY CEREMONY

Recommendation to Change Ceremony Date

10. COMMISSIONER'S AGENDA

a. CHAIRPERSON DEL RIO

1. NOMINATIONS FOR CHAIRPERSON AND VICE-CHAIRPERSON

2. DRAFT A THANK YOU LETTER TO MR. TAVERA THANKING HIM FOR DONATING THANKSGIVING BASKETS TO THOSE FAMILIES THAT HAVE MILITARY BANNERS

11. ADJOURNMENT

**CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE PATRIOTIC COMMISSION  
PATRIOTIC COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 27, 2017  
SOUTH EL MONTE SENIOR CENTER  
DINING ROOM, 1556 CENTRAL AVENUE  
SOUTH EL MONTE, CA 91733**

**1. ROLL CALL**

Chairperson Hennings called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Commissioners: (David) Del Rio, (Yolanda) Del Rio, Hennings, Lopez, Honorary Patriotic Member Gil and Huante

ALSO PRESENT: (Recreation Coordinator) Ariana Yanez and (Senior Recreation Leader) Noelia Saucedo)

**2. PRESENTATIONS None.**

**3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND WAIVER OF FULL READING**

A motion was made by Commissioner (Yolanda) Del Rio, seconded by Commissioner Lopez and carried to approve and waive full reading, motion was carried 4-0.

**4. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Chairperson Hennings opened and closed public comment after determining there was no one wishing to speak.

**5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MAY 24, 2017

A motion was made by Chairperson (Yolanda) Del Rio, seconded by (David) Del Rio to approve the above referenced minutes.

AYES: Hennings, (Yolanda) Del Rio, (David) Del Rio, and Lopez.

NAYS: None.

**6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS None.**

**7. STAFF REPORT**

a. Memorial Wall Application

Ms. Yanez presented the Patriotic Commission with Mr. Carrera's Monument Wall application. The board reviewed and approved Mr. Carrera's application.

**8. COMMISSIONER'S AGENDA**

**a. CHAIRPERSON DORRIS HENNINGS**

**1. MONUMENT WALL MEETING**

Chairperson Hennings stated that she met with Ms. Yanez and Mr. Huerta to discuss redoing the Monument Wall. Mr. Huerta, Maintenance staff would be the person that would contract the company that would be redoing the Monument Wall.

**2. COMMISSION SHIRTS**

A motion was made by Hennings, seconded by Lopez and carried (4-0) to have the Patriotic Commission shirts embroidered.

AYES: Hennings, (Yolanda) Del Rio, (David) Del Rio, and Lopez.

NAYS: None.

**3. SPONSOR FOR BANNERS**

Chairperson Hennings stated that Pastor Charlie Corum from Community Outreach Church is willing to sponsor the Military Banner Program. It was suggested by the Commission to invite Pastor Corum to the next meeting in October.

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business coming before this body, Chairperson Hennings adjourned the meeting at 6:25 p.m.



# Commission Agenda Report

**DATE:** February 28, 2018  
**TO:** Patriotic Commission  
**From:** Ariana Yanez, Recreation Coordinator  
**Subject:** Approval of Monument Wall Application

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**SUMMARY:** The City of South El Monte City Council along with the Patriotic Committee established the Veteran's Monument to honor residents that have served in all the branches of the armed forces. All of the names engraved on the monument are reviewed by the Patriotic Committee. The Veteran's wall was erected to accommodate the newest South El Monte Veterans that have served the Country honorably and have showed they are South El Monte residents at the time of enlistment or currently reside in the City.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** STAFF RECOMMENDS that the Commission approves the monument wall application.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** N/A

**DISCUSSION:** To submit names for the monument, veterans are to fill out a form and return it to the Patriotic Committee. After review from the Patriotic Commission, selected names are added to the monument and recognized during the Veterans Day Ceremony.

**ATTACHMENTS:** Manny Lara Monument Wall Application



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**Subject:** Approval of Military Banner Applications

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**SUMMARY:** The City of South El Monte Military Banner Program was created for the community to honor and recognize those brave individuals that are serving active duty in the United States Armed Forces. Each banner will have the name and branch of the serviceperson currently serving in the military.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** STAFF RECOMMENDS that the Commission approves the military banner applications.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The approximate cost per street banner is \$150. Families are responsible for paying \$100 and the balance of \$50 is allocated from the Patriotic Commission donation budget for FY 2017/18.

**DISCUSSION:** Applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis. The banners will be installed annually January through October. All banners will be given back to the families at the Veteran's Day Ceremony. The banners are displayed along the major streets in South El Monte.

**ATTACHMENTS:** Michael Perdue Military Banner Program Application