

**CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE PATRIOTIC COMMISSION
PATRIOTIC COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 25, 2018
SOUTH EL MONTE SENIOR CENTER
DINING ROOM, 1556 CENTRAL AVENUE
SOUTHEL MONTE, CA 91733**

1. ROLL CALL

Chairperson (Yolanda) Del Rio called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

PRESENT: Commissioners: Del Rio, (Yolanda), Del Rio (David), Figueroa, Lopez (Naomi), and Lopez (Rudy)

ALSO PRESENT: (Senior Recreation Leader) Noelia Saucedo

2. PLEDGE OF THE FLAG

Commissioner Del Rio (David) led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. PRESENTATIONS None.

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by (David) Del Rio, and seconded by Figueroa and carried (5-0) to approve the agenda.

AYES: Commissioners: (David) Del Rio, (Yolanda) Del Rio, Figueroa, (Naomi) Lopez, and (Rudy) Lopez

NAYS: None.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT

Chairperson (Yolanda) Del Rio opened and closed public comments after determining there was no one wishing to speak.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

March 28, 2018

A motion was made by Figueroa, and seconded by Del Rio (David) and carried (5-0) to approve the above referenced minutes.

AYES: Commissioners: (David) Del Rio, (Yolanda) Del Rio, Figueroa, (Naomi) Lopez, and (Rudy) Lopez
NAYS: None.

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS None.

8. STAFF REPORT

a. MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY

Miss Saucedo asked Chairperson (Yolanda) Del Rio if she would be the mistress of ceremony for the Memorial Day Ceremony. Pastor Charlie Corum will be conducting the invocation, presentation of Flags and 21 Gun Salute by Greater El Monte Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #10218, and Dean L. Shively Band will be performing.

9. COMMISSIONER'S AGENDA

a. COMMISSIONER FIGUEROA

1. CONSIDERATION TO HOST A FUNDRAISER GALA TO HONOR OUR VETERANS AND RAISE FUNDS FOR THE MILITARY BANNER PROGRAM

Commissioner Figueroa stated that she spoke to Mr. Marquez from Mountain View High School regarding the culinary student cook for the fundraiser gala. She wanted to look into having the event on a Thursday. She stated that Mr. Marquez gave a price range from \$5, \$7, and \$10 per plate. Chairperson Del Rio stated that the best time for this event would be after the summer activities.

2. CONSIDERATION TO HOST FUNDRAISER MOTHER-DAUGHTER TEA PARTY AT THE SENIOR CENTER FOR THE MILITARY BANNER PROGRAM

Commissioner Figueroa would like to know what would be the possibility to host a mother-daughter tea party at the senior center. She mentioned that all proceeds would be directed to the Military Banner Program.

3. PURCHASE PATRIOTIC JEWELRY TO SELL AT CITY EVENTS IN EFFORTS TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE MILITARY BANNER PROGRAM

Commissioner Figueroa would like to know the possibilities for purchasing patriotic jewelry to sell them at city events in efforts to raise funds for the Military Banner Program.

Miss Saucedo shared that the commission does not need to fundraise for the Monument Wall nor the Military Banner Program. South El Monte Community Outreach was willing to sponsor all the banners moving forward.

10. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business coming before this body, Chairperson Del Rio (Yolanda) adjourned the meeting at 6:28 p.m.