

Robert Becerra, Chair  
Denise Silva, Vice Chair  
Israel Alacio, Commissioner  
George Anguiano, Commissioner  
Gerardo Diaz, Commissioner  
Cindy Nguyen, Commissioner  
Hortencia Vasquez, Commissioner



Jayson Perez  
Commission Secretary

**CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE SOUTH EL MONTE  
COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION**

**AGENDA**

July 8, 2025, 6:00 PM  
1415 Santa Anita Avenue, South El Monte, CA 91733

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**MEETINGS**

The Community Services Commission holds regular meetings on the second Tuesday of every month. Regular meetings start at 6 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 1415 Santa Anita Avenue, South El Monte, California.

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Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager/Commission Secretary  
Ph (626) 652-3110

**AGENDA BEGINS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE**

**1. ROLL CALL**

Commissioners: Alacio, Anguiano, Diaz, Nguyen, Vasquez, Vice Chair Silva, and Chair Becerra

**2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Chair Becerra

**3. PRESENTATIONS - None.**

**4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

By motion of the Community Services Commission, this is the time to notify the public of any changes to the agenda, remove items from consent calendar for individual consideration and/or rearrange the order of the agenda.

**5. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Speakers may provide public comments on any matter within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Community Services Commission, including items on the agenda. Each speaker may speak up to five minutes. Unless a majority of the Community Services Commission objects, the Chair may provide speakers more or less time to speak. All comments or queries shall be addressed to the Commission as a body and not to any specific member thereof. Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2(a)(2), the Ralph M. Brown Act, no action or discussion by the Commission shall be undertaken on any item not appearing on the posted agenda, except to briefly provide information, ask for clarification, provide direction to staff, or schedule a matter for a future meeting.

**6. CONSENT CALENDAR**

Items on the consent calendar are considered to be routine and customary and are enacted by a single motion with the exception of items previously removed by a member of the Community Services Commission during "Approval of the Agenda" for individual consideration. Any items removed shall be individually considered immediately after taking action on the Consent Calendar.

**6a. CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF THE REGULAR COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES OF JUNE 10, 2025**

Staff is requesting approval of Minutes for the June 10, 2025, Regular Community Services Commission meeting.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff is requesting approval of Minutes for the June 10, 2025, Regular Community Services Commission meeting.

**7. GENERAL BUSINESS**

**7a. CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF PROPOSED DARK COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING DATE FOR MONTH OF AUGUST 2025**

Staff is requesting City Council "go dark" on Tuesday, August 12, 2025 as the Community Services Commission will be taking a recess during the month of August 2025.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommends Community Services Commission approve "going dark" on Tuesday, August 12, 2025.

**7b. PRESENTATION TO COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION SUMMARIZING A CO-ED YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE**

The Community Services Commission will discuss and consider presenting a co-ed youth flag football league ("flag football league") to City Management for approval.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommends the Community Services Commission discuss and consider the flag football league proposal by City staff.

**7c. CONTINUED FROM THE JUNE 10, 2025, REGULAR COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING - COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION INPUT TO ENHANCE UPCOMING CITY SPECIAL EVENTS**

The 2025 Special Events Calendar offers an opportunity for the Community Services Commission to take a proactive role in the planning of community events and promote awareness in all matters pertaining to senior services luncheons and special events.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommend the Commission discuss the engagement opportunities at upcoming city events and provide recommendations to staff to enhance each respective event.

**7d. CONTINUED FROM THE JUNE 10, 2025, REGULAR COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING - COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION INPUT TO ENHANCE UPCOMING COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS**

The Community Services Department offers an opportunity for the Community Services Commission to take a more active role in the planning of community programs and promote awareness in all matters pertaining to the City's recreation programs.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommend the Commission discuss the engagement opportunities at upcoming community services department programs and provide recommendations to staff to enhance each respective program.

**7e. COMMUNITY SERVICES MONTHLY INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

Staff will provide an update on Community Services Programming for the month of June.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommend the Commission receive and file the report.

**8. COMMISSIONERS REPORTS, INCLUDING AB 1234 REPORTS**

AB 1234 requires that commission members must briefly report, orally or in writing, on meetings/events attended at City expense (for example, luncheons, city special events, conferences, etc.) at the Community Services Commission meeting following the meeting/event.

**9. CORRESPONDENCE - None.**

**10. COMMISSIONERS' AGENDA**

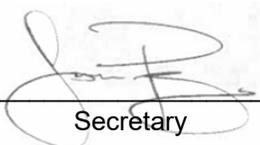
**10a. Chair Becerra**

1. Consideration to implement a City-sponsored Dodger Game.

**11. ADJOURNMENT**

Tuesday, September 9, 2025, 6:00 p.m.

I, Jayson Perez, hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing agenda was posted not less than 72 hours at the following locations: City of South El Monte City Hall, Senior Center and Community Center and made available at [www.cityofsouthelmonte.org](http://www.cityofsouthelmonte.org) on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 2025.

  
Secretary



# Commission Agenda Report

## Agenda Item No. 6.a.

**DATE:** July 8, 2025

**TO:** Honorable Chair and Members of the Community Services Commission

**FROM:** Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager

**SUBJECT:** CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF THE REGULAR COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES OF JUNE 10, 2025

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**SUMMARY:** Staff is requesting approval of Minutes for June 10, 2025, Regular Community Services Commission meeting.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff is requesting approval of Minutes for the June 10, 2025, Regular Community Services Commission meeting.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

**DISCUSSION:**

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

A. DRAFT June 10, 2025, Minutes

**CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE**  
**REGULAR COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING – MINUTES**

Tuesday, June 10, 2025 - 6:00 pm  
1415 Santa Anita Avenue, California 91733

Chair Becerra called the meeting to order 6:00 p.m.

**1. ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Commissioner(s): Anguiano, Diaz, Nguyen, Vasquez, Vice Chair  
Silva, and Chair Becerra

ABSENT: Commissioner(s): Alacio

STAFF PRESENT: Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager and Elizabette Miranda,  
Administrative Assistant

**2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** – Commissioner Vasquez led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**3. PRESENTATION** – None.

**4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**Motion** by Vice Chair Silva, seconded by Commissioner Vasquez to approve the agenda.  
Motion passed 6-0-1, by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner(s): Anguiano, Diaz, Nguyen, Vasquez, Vice Chair  
Silva, and Chair Becerra

NAYS: Commissioner(s): None

ABSENT: Commissioner(s): Alacio

**5. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Chair Beccera opened Public Comment, there being none Chair Beccera closed Public  
Comment.

**6. CONSENT CALENDAR**

**Motion** by Commissioner Vasquez, seconded by Commissioner Anguiano to approve the  
consent calendar. Motioned passed 6-0-1, by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner(s): Anguiano, Diaz, Nguyen, Vasquez, Vice Chair  
Silva, and Chair Becerra

NAYS: Commissioner(s): None

ABSENT: Commissioner(s): Alacio

Commissioner Alacio joined the meeting at 6:04 p.m.

**7. GENERAL BUSINESS**

**7a. CONTINUED FROM THE MAY 13, 2025, REGULAR COMMUNITY  
SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING– COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION  
INPUT ENHANCE UPCOMING CITY SPECIAL EVENTS**

Mr. Perez presented on the monthly Community Bike Ride events and summarized the May Bike Ride held on Saturday, June 7, 2025.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Summer Night Market Series scheduled twice a month on Thursdays from 6:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Movies in the Park Series scheduled once a month on Thursday, that will take place at the Mary Van Dyke Park.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Fireworks Festival scheduled on Thursday, July 3, 2025, from 6:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., that will take place at the South El Monte High School football field.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Fourth of July Celebration scheduled on Friday, July 4, 2025, from 2:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., that will take place at the New Temple Park. He invited the commission to attend and participate in the event by serving food and drinks and distributing free giveaways.

**7b. COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION INPUT TO ENHANCE UPCOMING COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS**

Mr. Perez presented on the ongoing Adult Basketball League which began Tuesday, June 3, 2025, to Wednesday, September 17, 2025 at the South El Monte Community Center Gym.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Youth Basketball Summer Camp scheduled to begin on Monday, June 30, 2025, to Thursday, July 31, 2025, at the South El Monte Community Center.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Aquatic Programs scheduled to begin on Monday, June 16, 2025.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Summer Kick-Off Pool Party scheduled on June 24, 2025, from 7:15 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the South El Monte Aquatic Center.

Mr. Perez presented on the upcoming Summer Camp program scheduled to begin on Monday, June 16, 2025, Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., that will take place at either the Mini Center or Community Center.

Mr. Perez presented on the Recreation and Fitness Classes scheduled every month at the South El Monte Community Center or Aquatic Center.

Mr. Perez presented the upcoming Open Sports program scheduled to begin on Monday, June 30, 2025, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., that will take place at the South El Monte Community Center.

**7d. COMMUNITY SERVICES MONTHLY INFORMATIONAL ITEMS**

Mr. Perez provided the May Community Services monthly report.

**8. COMMISSIONERS REPORTS, INCLUDING AB 1234 REPORT**

Commissioner Alacio, nothing to report.

Commissioner Anguiano announced he attended the following: May Full Body Circuit Fitness Class.

Chair Becerra announced he attended the following: Cinco De Mayo Night Market and the June Bike Ride.

Commissioner Diaz announced he attended the Cinco De Mayo Night Market.

Commissioner Nguyen announced she attended the Deputy Day event.

Vice Chair Silva announced she attended the following: May DIY Jewelry Class, Flags of Valor Opening Ceremony, Memorial Day Ceremony, June 3, 2025 City Council Meeting, Walking Wednesdays, and the Cinco De Mayo Night Market.

Commissioner Vasquez announced she attended the following: T-Ball League Banquet and the Cinco De Mayo Night Market.

**9. CORRESPONDENCE – None.**

**10. COMMISSIONERS' AGENDA**

**10a. Commissioner Anguiano**

1. Consideration to implement a Co-Ed Flag Football League.

Discussion/Action: Commissioner Anguiano introduced his agenda item and suggested that the City consider implementing a Co-Ed youth Flag Football League.

Staff was directed to present a report at the next Community Services Commission meeting.

**11. ADJOURNMENT**

At 7:09 p.m. Chair Becerra adjourned the meeting to a regular Community Services Commission meeting on Tuesday, July 8, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

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Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager

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Robert Becerra, Chair



# Commission Agenda Report

## Agenda Item No. 7.a.

**DATE:** July 8, 2025

**TO:** Honorable Chair and Members of the Community Services Commission

**FROM:** Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager

**SUBJECT:** CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF PROPOSED DARK COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING DATE FOR MONTH OF AUGUST 2025

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**SUMMARY:** Staff is requesting City Council "go dark" on Tuesday, August 12, 2025, as the Community Services Commission will be taking a recess during the month of August 2024.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommends Community Services Commission approve "going dark" on Tuesday, August 12, 2025.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** None.

**DISCUSSION:** Each year during the month of August, the Community Services Commission takes a recess and does not hold meetings. If there is a need, a special meeting can be held during the month of August.

**ATTACHMENT(S):** None.



# Commission Agenda Report

## Agenda Item No. 7.b.

**DATE:** July 8, 2025

**TO:** Honorable Chair and Members of the Community Services Commission

**FROM:** Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager

**SUBJECT:** PRESENTATION TO COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION  
SUMMARIZING A CO-ED YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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**SUMMARY:** The Community Services Commission will discuss and consider presenting a co-ed youth flag football league (“flag football league”) to City Management for approval.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommends the Community Services Commission discuss and consider the flag football league proposal by City staff.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The cost to operate and manage a flag football league is in the estimated amount of \$39,900.00. This cost includes staff time, equipment, contract services, and fees. There is no current budget for the proposed league and if approved will have to be presented to City Council for discussion consideration at the Fiscal Year 2026 – 2027 Budget deliberations. Please refer to Attachment A- Proposed Co-ed Youth Flag Football League summarizing the cost details.

**DISCUSSION:** At the June 10, 2025, Community Services Commission meeting, Commission Anguiano proposed adding a co-ed youth flag football league to the City’s youth sports programs. The commission task staff to research and collect information to present a proposed program including logistics, cost, and feasibility. Staff have complied research from current City sports programs and neighboring cities to present Attachment A- Proposed Co-Ed Youth Flag Football League.

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

- A. Proposed Co-Ed Youth Flag Football League



**City of South El Monte Community Services Department**

**Proposed Co-ed Youth Flag Football League**

**Program**

The proposed co-ed youth flag football league (“flag football league”) is a seven versus 7 seven player program with rules and polices established by the USA Football organization. The program details are as follows:

**Teams**

To operate a successful flag football league, it is recommended that the league consist of three primary age groups: ages 6 to 7, 8-10, and 11-12 with each age group having four teams each. Each team must have a minimum of ten players on the roster for to account for breaks, injuries, and player absence. The league can operate a full season with 120 registered participants.

**Dates and Season**

The season dates have been determined based on the current City of South El Monte’s (“City”) youth sports leagues and community partners, such as the National Little League, Jets Football, and the American Youth Soccer League.

- Season Date: May to June
- Season Duration: 9 to 10 weeks including playoffs and championship
- Location: Shively Park
- Times: To be determined, due to utilizing park during City’s T-ball League during May.

**Registration**

Registration would mirror current processes using that can completed online and in person at the Community Center. A proposed fee of \$100.00 for resident and \$150.00 for nonresident is based on the City’s current fee schedule and research from local flag football programs.

**Cost**

The cost to operate and manage a flag football league is in the estimated amount of \$39,900.00. This cost includes staff time, equipment, contract services, and fees. Please find below a chart detailing the cost associated with hosting a Flag football League.

Service or Item	Units	Cost
Staff Time	Games and practices \$17.50 (average staff time) per hour x 180 estimated program hours x 3 estimated number of staff	\$9,450.00

<b>Administration Time</b>	League Manager Front office Receptionist	\$6,000.00
<b>Uniforms</b>	\$60.00 per uniform x 120 participants	\$7,200.00
<b>Equipment</b>	Balls, flags, cones, whistles, score books, Etc.	\$4,000.00
<b>Referee Fees</b>	\$50.00 fee per game x 3 Referees x 40 games	\$6000.00
<b>Insurances</b>	Per season rate	\$450.00
<b>Trophies and awards</b>		\$3,800.00
<b>Total:</b>		<b>\$39,900.00</b>



## Commission Agenda Report Agenda Item No. 7.c.

**DATE:** July 8, 2025

**TO:** Honorable Chair and Members of the Community Services Commission

**FROM:** Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager

**SUBJECT:** CONTINUED FROM THE JUNE 10, 2025, REGULAR COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING - COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION INPUT TO ENHANCE UPCOMING CITY SPECIAL EVENTS

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**SUMMARY:** The 2025 Special Events Calendar offers an opportunity for the Community Services Commission to take a more active role in the planning of community events and promote awareness in all matters pertaining to the senior services luncheons and special events.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommends the Commission discuss the engagement opportunities at upcoming City events and provide recommendations to staff to enhance each respective event.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

**DISCUSSION:** The upcoming special events offer a great opportunity for the Community Services Commission to engage with the community include:

- Community Bike Rides
- Summer Night Market Series
- Movies in the Park
- City's Anniversary Luncheon
- National Night Out

By providing valuable input and participating in these events, the Community Services Commission can educate residents on the commission's mission and initiatives and help create meaningful experiences that reflect the diverse needs and interests of our residents.

### **Community Bike Rides**

The monthly Community Bike Ride is a family-friendly event designed to promote active living, sustainability, and community engagement. Open to riders of all skill levels, the event offers a safe and scenic route through the city, encouraging residents to explore local neighborhoods, parks, and bike-friendly infrastructure. The Community Bike Rides take place the first Saturday of every month from March – October. The next Community Bike Ride is scheduled on Saturday, July 12, 2025.

### **Summer Night Market Series**

The Summer Night Market Series, scheduled two times a month on Thursdays, is a vibrant community event that brings together local vendors, artisans, and food trucks for an evening of shopping, entertainment, and cultural experiences. Featuring live music, delicious cuisine, handcrafted goods, and interactive activities, the market creates a lively atmosphere for residents to explore and support small businesses.

### **Movies in the Park**

The Movies in the Park Series, scheduled for Thursday, July 24, 2025, at Mary Van Dyke Park. The event features pre-movie family activities, complimentary food, and a family-friendly movie: Moana 2.

### **City's Anniversary Luncheon**

The City of South El Monte's Anniversary Luncheon, celebrating the City's 67<sup>th</sup> birthday, is scheduled for Wednesday, July 23, 2025, at the Senior Center from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. The celebration will feature live entertainment, raffle prizes, and a complimentary lunch for attendees.

### **National Night Out**

The National Night Out, scheduled on Thursday, August 7, 2025, at Mary Van Dyke Park, is an annual City community-building campaign that promotes police, community partnerships, and camaraderie to make neighborhoods safer. The event features free giveaways, family games, complimentary food, crime prevention tips, and a movie showing at dusk.

### **ATTACHMENT(S):**

- A. Summer Night Market Series Flyer
- B. Movie in the Park Flyer
- C. City's Anniversary Luncheon Flyer
- D. National Night Out Flyer



CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT



# SUMMER NIGHT MARKET SERIES

1459 SANTA ANITA AVE. SOUTH EL MONTE | 6 PM - 9:30 PM

- **JULY 17 - COLD DUCK**
- **JULY 31 - SUAVE**
- **AUGUST 14 - PULP VIXEN**
- **AUGUST 28 - SOTO**



FREE ADMISSION - LOCAL VENDORS  
KIDS CORNER - BEER GARDEN - LIVE CONCERT  
HEALTHY SOUTH EL MONTE PRODUCE STAND

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FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE EMAIL [REC@SOELMONTE.ORG](mailto:REC@SOELMONTE.ORG) OR CALL 626-579-2043.

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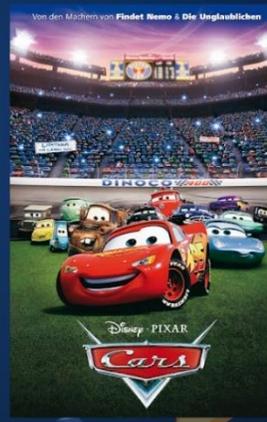
CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT



Mary Van Dyke Park, 1819 Central Ave.



JULY 24TH



AUGUST 7TH

EVENT BEGINS AT 7:00 PM, MOVIE STARTS AT DUSK!



- FREE ADMISSION
- FAMILY GAMES
- COMPLIMENTARY FOOD

Parks  
Make  
Life  
Better!

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CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE SENIOR SERVICES DIVISION



*Aloha!*

YOU'RE INVITED TO THE CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE'S

**67<sup>th</sup> BIRTHDAY**  
LUNCHEON

**Wednesday, July 23, 2025**

**FESTIVITIES INCLUDE:**

- 10:00 a.m.: Performance by the SEM Folklorico Social Group
- 11:30 a.m.: Lunch is Served
- 12:15 p.m.: Raffles & Door Prizes
- 12:30-2:30p.m.: Live DJ

*Note: This special event is for seniors 60+ who are registered members. Meal Tickets will be available at 8:00 a.m. on a first come, first serve basis, while supplies last.*

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL 626-448-0131.

CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT



THURSDAY, AUGUST 7, 2025 | 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

MARY VAN DYKE PARK  
1819 CENTRAL AVE. SOUTH EL MONTE

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT IS AN ANNUAL COMMUNITY-BUILDING CAMPAIGN THAT PROMOTES POLICE/COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS AND CAMARADERIE TO MAKE NEIGHBORHOODS SAFER.

BRING YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND NEIGHBORS FOR A NIGHT OF FUN AND COMMUNITY BUILDING.

**BACKPACK GIVEAWAY  
AT 6:00 PM**

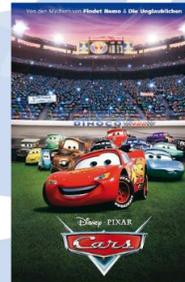


**CHILD MUST BE PRESENT  
TO RECEIVE BACKPACK.**

**\*WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!**



**MOVIE SHOWING  
AT DUSK!**



**FREE HAMBURGERS - FAMILY GAMES - CRIME PREVENTION TIPS**



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## Commission Agenda Report Agenda Item No. 7.d.

**DATE:** July 8, 2025

**TO:** Honorable Chair and Members of the Community Services Commission

**FROM:** Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager

**SUBJECT:** CONTINUED FROM THE JUNE 10, 2025, REGULAR COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING - COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION INPUT TO ENHANCE UPCOMING COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS

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**SUMMARY:** The Community Services Department offers an opportunity for the Community Services Commission to take a more active role in the planning of community programs and promote awareness in all matters pertaining to the City's recreation programs.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommends the Commission discuss the engagement opportunities at upcoming community services department programs and provide recommendations to staff to enhance each respective program.

### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

**DISCUSSION:** The upcoming programs that offer a great opportunity for the Community Services Commission to engage with the community include:

- Aquatics Programs
- Summer Camp
- Recreation & Fitness Classes
- Open Sports
- After School Programs

By providing valuable input and participating in these programs, the Community Services Commission can educate residents on the commission's mission and initiatives and help create meaningful experiences that reflect the diverse needs and interests of our residents.

### **Aquatics Programs**

Aquatics Programming provides enjoyable and safe aquatic programs that are responsive to the needs of the community. The City offers programs for all ages like:

- Senior Water Aerobics (Ages 55+)
- Lap Swim
- Recreation Swim
- Swimming Lessons
- Junior Lifeguard Program (Ages: 12-16)
- Aqua Fitness (Ages 16+)

### **Summer Camp**

The Summer Camp is a nine week-long Monday through Friday program scheduled to begin on Monday, June 16, 2025, at either the Mini Center or Community Center for ages 5 to 13. Participants will enjoy a week filled with fun enrichment activities, sports games, crafts, STEM projects, free recreational swim, excursions and site highlights.

### **Recreation & Fitness Classes**

Recreation & Fitness Classes are held every month at the South El Monte Community Center. Upcoming classes:

#### July Fitness Classes:

- Active SGV: Summer Community Zumba Classes
  - Day & Time: Thursdays from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- HIIT Workout
  - Day & Time: Tuesday from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

#### July Recreation Classes:

- Personalized Sunglasses
  - Day & Time: Tuesday, July 8, 2025, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- Summer Door Décor
  - Day & Time: Tuesday, July 15, 2025, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
- Paint & Sip
  - Day & Time: Tuesday, July 22, 2025, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

### **Open Sports**

The Summer Open Sports program offers different sports such as pickleball, volleyball, indoor soccer, and basketball throughout the week. The program is from Monday, June 30, 2025, to Friday, August 29, 2025 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

### **ATTACHMENT(S):**

- A. UPDATED Summer Aquatics Program Flyer
- B. UPDATED Swimming Lessons Flyer
- C. July Rec Classes Flyer
- D. July HIIT Workout Flyer
- E. UPDATED Active SGV: Summer Community Zumba Classes Flyer
- F. Open Sports Flyer
- G. August Rec Classes Flyer
- H. After School Programs Flyer



CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

# South El Monte Aquatic Center

1500 CENTRAL AVE.

## **RECREATION SWIM**

Monday - Friday 1:00 PM - 3:15 PM  
Tuesday & Thursday 7:15 PM - 9:00 PM  
Saturday 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
\$1.50 for adults  
\$1.00 for ages 17 & under

## **SENIOR WATER AEROBICS (AGES 55+)**

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays  
9:30 AM - 10:15 AM  
Free!

## **LAP SWIM (AGES 14+)**

Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays  
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
\$1.00 per person

## **JUNIOR LIFEGUARD PROGRAM (AGES 12-16)**

Residents: \$55 (Sibling Discount Available)  
Non-Residents: \$75 per child  
Session 1: July 7 - August 1; Register June 28  
Session 2: August 4 - August 29; Register July 26

## **AQUA FITNESS (AGES 16+)**

Mondays & Wednesdays  
7:15 PM - 8:00 PM  
Free!

## **SWIMMING LESSONS**

Scan the QR code or visit  
[cityofsouthelmonte.org/222/Aquatic](http://cityofsouthelmonte.org/222/Aquatic)  
for registration information.



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*\*PROGRAMS SCHEDULE AND DETAILS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.*

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CITY OF SOUTH EL MONTE COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

## SPLASH INTO SUMMER

# SWIM LESSONS

Youth and adult lessons are offered Monday - Friday. All classes are 30 minutes long for two weeks. Swimmers may enroll only during registration dates.

Morning Class Sessions: 9 AM - 12 PM  
Afternoon Class Sessions: 4 PM - 7 PM  
\*Class schedule subject to change.

Parent & Me: 4 years old and younger  
Pre-School: 4-5 years old  
Levels 1-4: 5-15 years old  
Adult: 15 years and older

**Session 3:** July 14 - July 25  
Registration on July 12

**Session 4:** July 28 - August 8  
Registration on July 26

**Session 5:** August 11 - August 22  
Registration on August 9

**SCAN THE QR CODE FOR  
REGISTRATION INFORMATION!**

### REGISTRATION INFORMATION

**Residents:** \$30, \$20 2<sup>nd</sup> sibling, \$15 3<sup>rd</sup> sibling  
**Non-Residents:** \$60 per person

Registration information for swimming lessons is available online at [cityofsouthelmonte.org/222/Aquatic](http://cityofsouthelmonte.org/222/Aquatic)



**\*CLASS REGISTRATION DATES/TIMES  
AND DETAILS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.**

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**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE EMAIL [REC@SOELMONTE.ORG](mailto:REC@SOELMONTE.ORG) OR CALL THE AQUATIC CENTER AT 626-442-0569 / COMMUNITY CENTER AT 626-579-2043.**

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# FREE JULY REC CLASSES

AGES 5 & OLDER  
(PARENT MUST BE PRESENT)  
ALL CLASS MATERIALS WILL BE PROVIDED.



SOUTH EL MONTE SENIOR CENTER  
1556 CENTRAL AVE.  
SOUTH EL MONTE, CA 91733

## Personalized Sunglasses

Tuesday 7/8

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM



## Tie Dye Beach Tote Bags

Tuesday 7/15

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM



## Paint & Sip

Tuesday 7/22

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM



## Registration Information

Visit <https://bit.ly/SemRec>  
or scan the QR code to register.

**Residents:** Beginning June 16, 2025

**Non-Residents:** Beginning June 30, 2025



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# **FREE** **HIIT WORKOUT**

## **JULY SESSION DATES**

**TUESDAYS**  
**6:30 PM - 7:30 PM**  
**7/8, 7/15, 7/22, 7/29**

Visit <https://bit.ly/SemRec>



**OR SCAN THE QR CODE TO REGISTER.**

Classes will be held in the Community Center  
Outdoor Basketball Court  
1530 Central Ave. South El Monte

**Ages 16+ (If under 18 years parent must sign waiver).**



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ACTIVE SGV INVITES YOU TO GET UP & GET ACTIVE



# FREE SUMMER COMMUNITY ZUMBA CLASSES

DANCE YOUR WAY TO FITNESS WITH FREE COMMUNITY ZUMBA!  
THIS CLASS IS OPEN TO ALL AGES & ABILITIES!

## UPCOMING CLASSES

***THURSDAYS 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM***  
***8/7, 8/14, 8/21, 8/28***

Classes will be held at the South El Monte Senior Center  
1556 Central Ave. South El Monte

**Drop-in program - Registration is not required.**

Funded by USDA SNAP, an equal opportunity provider.  
Visit [CalFreshHealthyLiving.org](http://CalFreshHealthyLiving.org) for healthy tips.



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**FREE**

# OPEN SPORTS

JUNE 30, 2025 - AUGUST 29, 2025 | 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

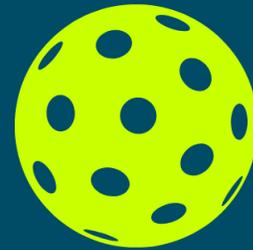
AGES 16 & OLDER  
IF UNDER 18, PARENT MUST  
COME IN AND SIGN WAIVER.



SOUTH EL MONTE  
COMMUNITY CENTER  
1530 CENTRAL AVE.

OPEN SPORTS IS AN 16+ PROGRAM. PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE NO INSTRUCTORS OR LESSONS DURING THESE PROGRAMS AND ITS FIRST COME!

**PICKLEBALL**  
MONDAYS



**VOLLEYBALL**  
MONDAYS

**FUTSAL**  
THURSDAYS



**BASKETBALL**  
FRIDAYS

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# FREE AUGUST REC CLASSES

AGES 5 & OLDER  
(PARENT MUST BE PRESENT)  
ALL CLASS MATERIALS WILL BE PROVIDED.



SOUTH EL MONTE SENIOR CENTER  
1556 CENTRAL AVE.  
SOUTH EL MONTE, CA 91733

**DIY Seashell Candle**  
**Tuesday 8/5**  
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM



**Paint & Sip**  
**Tuesday 8/12**  
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM



**DIY Pottery Art**  
**Tuesday 8/26**  
5:30 PM - 6:30 PM



## Registration Information

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or scan the QR code to register.



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**Non-Residents:** Beginning July 28, 2025



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# AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

MONDAY – FRIDAY FROM 2:30 PM – 5:30 PM  
MINIMUM DAYS FROM 1:00 PM – 5:30 PM  
PROGRAMS BEGIN AUGUST 21, 2025



## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

RESIDENTS: BEGINNING JULY 21, 2025  
NON-RESIDENTS: BEGINNING AUGUST 11, 2025  
SCAN THE QR CODE OR VISIT [HTTPS://BIT.LY/SEMREC](https://bit.ly/semrec)  
TO REGISTER ONLINE.  
*\*MUST PROVIDE PROOF OF CHILD'S AGE AND/OR GRADE.*



### NEW TEMPLE PARK

- FREE!
- 1450 Lidcombe Ave.
- Grades K-5th
- New Temple School Students Only
- Outdoor Facility

### MINI CENTER

- FREE!
- 1824 Central Ave.
- Grades K-8th
- Transportation provided for:
  - Dean L. Shively
  - New Temple
  - Miramonte
  - Monte Vista

### COMMUNITY CENTER

- FREE!
- 1530 Central Ave.
- Grades 5th-8th
- Drop-in program



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# Commission Agenda Report

## Agenda Item No. 7.e.

**DATE:** July 8, 2025

**TO:** Honorable Chair and Members of the Community Services Commission

**FROM:** Jayson Perez, Community Services Manager

**SUBJECT:** COMMUNITY SERVICES MONTHLY REPORT FOR JUNE

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**SUMMARY:** Staff presents status account regarding programming and events as part of the Community Services Department and recommends the commission collectively receive and file this update report.

### **PARKS AND RECREATION**

#### **Recreation Classes**

Recreation Classes are held every month at the Community Center. Please find below a list of the recreation classes and details for the last month.

- **June Recreation Classes**
- Paper Mache Lanterns
  - Day & Time: Tuesday, June 10, 2025, from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- Summer Door Decor
  - Day & Time: Tuesday, June 17, 2025, from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- Paint & Sip
  - Day & Time: Tuesday, June 24, 2025, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

#### **June Community Bike Ride**

The Community Bike Ride was scheduled on Saturday, June 7, 2025. Approximately 35 participants enjoyed a eight-mile bike ride around the city, snacks at the conclusion of the ride, and participated in a bike raffle for an opportunity to win a bike. Electric bikes were available on a first-come first-serve basis.

#### **Summer Kick-Off Pool Party**

The Summer Kick-Off Pool Party took place on Tuesday, June 24, 2025, with approximately 250 attendees. The event featured free public swimming, complimentary food, engaging games, and exciting prizes, creating a fun and festive evening for the community.

#### **Recreation Services Webpage & Instagram**

The City recently launched a new Recreation webpage, which is beginning to serve as a useful platform for sharing information about available programs and upcoming

community events in South El Monte. The Recreation Department also recently introduced an Instagram page to feature contests and winners, sports clinics, program highlights, and special events.

### **Upcoming Events**

- July Community Bike Ride
- Summer Night Market Series
- Movies in the Park
- City's Anniversary Luncheon
- National Night Out

### **SENIOR SERVICES**

The South El Monte Senior Center offers a variety of services and activities designed to actively engage seniors, promoting their physical and mental well-being. With the objective of providing programs that empower seniors to manage their health effectively and postpone the onset of chronic conditions, the center provides programs for seniors to enrich their overall well-being, around physical, social, spiritual, emotional, mental, and economic well-being.

- Nutrition Programs (Congregate and Homebound)
- Health, Fitness, and Wellness Programs
- Transportation Services
- Volunteer and Civic Engagement Opportunities
- Social and Recreational Activities
- Music and Arts Programs

Through programing, elderly individuals can engage in social interactions with peers, converse over current events, exchange stories, and maintain the strength of their minds and bodies.

### **JUNE HIGHLIGHTS:**

#### **Day At The Barber Shop:**

The gentlemen were treated to a relaxing spa day on Friday, June 6, 2025. Thanks to a local beauty school, they enjoyed complimentary haircuts and manicures. While waiting for their turn, seniors relaxed with some light refreshments and great company.



### **Fathers Day Luncheon:**

The seniors had a great time at our annual Father's Day luncheon on Wednesday, June 11, 2025. There was Mariachi entertainment keeping the vibes fun, and our senior guests enjoyed free giveaways, raffles, and even some dancing to wrap up the celebration.



### **Father's Day Spirit Week:**

The gentlemen celebrated Father's Day week with a lively and fun-filled spirit week. Each day featured a different theme, including Jersey Day, Cap Day, Wear Blue Day, and more. Participants who joined in the daily activities were entered into a raffle at the end of the week for a chance to win prizes.



### **Older American Of The Year Bingo Social:**

The Senior Services Division has selected Aurora Lucero as this year's Older American of the Year in recognition of her years of dedicated volunteer service. Aurora has been a dependable presence at the senior center, contributing over 400 volunteer hours. She consistently ensures that 250 sets of silverware are wrapped each day to support the center's meal program and serve its patrons.



### **World Elder Abuse Awareness Day:**

June 15, 2025, is recognized as World Elder Abuse Awareness Day. This year, the division observed the occasion on Monday, June 16, 2025, with senior participants showing their support by wearing purple.



**Pool Tournament:**

The division hosted an in-house pool tournament on Wednesday, June 18, 2025, with 14 participants competing. Prizes were awarded to the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners.



**Summer Social Dance:**

Our seniors had a great day out at the Los Angeles County Fair on Friday, May 23, 2025. They enjoyed exploring the exhibits, seeing the animals, browsing the shops, and, of course, indulging in some delicious fair food.

**June Birthday Social:**

On Friday, June 20, 2025, the division welcomed the first day of summer with a lively Summer Social. Seniors enjoyed ice cream and dancing to music provided by a DJ.

**Senior Excursion:**

Our seniors had a fun night out at the Mariachi Festival at the Hollywood Bowl on Saturday, June 28, 2025.

**Program Number Stats: June 2025**

Category	Duplicated
Classes/Workshops	281
Fitness/Exercise	941
Nutrition	2943
Recreation/Entertainment	772
Socializing	968
Special Groups	598
Volunteers	197
<b>Total Event Signings</b>	<b>6,700</b>

### **SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAMS:**

The city offers nutritious meals to individuals aged 60 and above through the Elderly Nutrition Program (ENP). The ENP provides meals for both the Congregate Meals Site and to the Home-Delivered Meals Program. In the month of January, the Congregate meals site served more than 4400 meals to senior participants, while the Home-Delivered program provided 465 meals.

### **Staff Meetings:**

Staff attended the following meetings for information gathering, training, and networking:

- A Nutritional Q&A and Quarterly In-Service Training was held with CNS Dietician Joya Melissa on Tuesday, June 10, 2025.

### **Senior Center Clubs And Facility Reservation**

- **Club Latino de Sur El Monte** – The club hosted bingo on the second and fourth Thursday of the month. Every Thursday’s bingo event, the club also holds its regular club meetings. Bingo followed the meeting.
- **3L Club** – The club hosted bingo on the first and third Thursday of the month. Every Thursday’s bingo event, the club also holds its regular club meetings. Bingo followed the meeting.

### **Screenings / Informational Health Presentations For The Month Of June**

<b>PRESENTOR</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>
Alignment Health Plan	June 3, 2025	9am–11am	Informational Booth
American Red Cross	June 4, 2025	9am–3pm	Blood Drive
Jar Insurance	June 5, 2025	9am–11am	Blood Pressure & BMI Screenings
Active San Gabriel Valley	June 10, 2025	10am–11am	Merced Ave Greenway & Active Transportation Workshop
HSA	June 12, 2025 June 17, 2025	9am–1pm	Case Management (Social Worker)
AltaMed	June 17, 2025	10am-11am	Men’s Health Educational Talk
Herald Christian Health Center	June 24, 2025	9am–11am	Informational Booth & Blood Pressure Screenings

### **Transportation Monthly Report**

**Transportation Services:** City drivers provided transportation services to residents who are eligible and do not have access to transportation. Transportation services were provided to medical appointments, grocery shopping, personal trips and to the South El Monte Senior Center. Trips are also provided to students who participate in the city-sponsored after-school program.

<b>JUNE 2025</b>						
<b>Trip Purpose</b>	<b>Week 1</b>	<b>Week 2</b>	<b>Week 3</b>	<b>Week 4</b>	<b>Week 5</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Excursion</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Medical</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>53</b>
<b>Nutrition</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>477</b>
<b>Personal</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>School</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>109</b>
<b>Senior Center</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>77</b>
<b>Shopping</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Work</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Total for period</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>1030</b>

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Staff recommend Community Services Commissioners receive and file the Community Services Department report.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** None.

**DISCUSSION:** Staff is available for any questions or feedback on programs and events.

**ATTACHMENT(S):** None.