

Minutes
CITY OF UNION CITY
for the Regular Senior Commission Meeting
held Tuesday, October 16, 2007
at 2:30 p.m.
in the Council Chambers, Civic Center
34009 Alvarado-Niles Blvd.
Union City, California

- I. **CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** at 2:30 p.m.
- II. **ROLL CALL** – Commissioners Naomi Aylesworth, Domingo Filardo, Hugh McNamara, Margaret Tai, Irene Wolfe and Chairperson Estrellita Munsayac were present. Commissioner Eva Kamakea arrived at 2:35 p.m. Staff in attendance: Manager Jill Stavosky, Supervisor Larry Orozco and Secretary Rosemary Edge.
- III. **INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS** – The guests in attendance introduced themselves;
- Clara Sample, Transit Manager Wilson Lee
- IV. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES – September 18, 2007 Meeting**
- Commissioner Wolfe made a motion seconded by Commissioner Filardo to approve the minutes as submitted. AYES – 6. The minutes were approved.
- V. **WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS**
- None
- VI. **STAFF REPORTS**
- A. **Supervisor’s Update**
- Supervisor Orozco presented the update for the month of September 2007.
- B. **Manager’s Report**
- Manager Stavosky reported on upcoming events including the Fire Dept. Open House, the Third Annual Paddypalooza, the Annual Halloween Carnival and the Pumpkin Patch Dash.
- C. **City Council Items Related to Leisure Services**
- None
- VII. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS (3 minutes)**
- Transit Manager Wilson Lee spoke about transportation options throughout the City. ACTIA (Alameda County Transportation Improvement Authority) helps to fund the Paratransit

program. Clara Sample, from PAPCO (Paratransit Advisory and Planning Committee), spoke about transportation funding. PAPCO meets the fourth Monday of each month and members are needed at this time for other cities in the area including: Alameda, Dublin, Fremont, Newark, Piedmont and Pleasanton and one representative for BART. Contact Naomi Arementa, telephone 510/267-6118. Meetings are held at 1333 Broadway in Oakland.

VIII. COMMISSION MATTERS

A. Senior Center Parking Lot Issues

Manager Stavosky reported that it has been suggested that signs be made and posted at the Ruggieri Center that state "Senior Center Parking Only". If these signs do not solve the problem, the illegally parked cars will be first warned and then ticketed by the Union City Police Dept.

B. 50th Anniversary Celebration Update

Commissioner Wolfe reported on the current plans for the celebration including transportation to various 50th Anniversary events.

IX. GOOD OF THE ORDER

Commissioner Kamakea commented on the hours worked by Staff at the Senior Center.

Commissioner Kamakea disagrees with the funds contributed to the Flight 93 Memorial by the City.

Commissioner McNamama stated that volunteers are needed to help with bingo and also reported that the recent pot luck was very successful, and reported that volunteers are also needed to serve as alternates on the Senior Commission and other commissions.

Commissioner Filardo requested availability of Paratransit applications for those in need.

X. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 3:54 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Rosemary Edge, Secretary

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