

MONTEREY COUNTY

COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

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Monday, September 26, 2016

2:00 p.m.

Monterey County Government Center
2nd Floor, Monterey Room
168 W. Alisal Street, Salinas, CA 93901

MINUTES

I. Call to order and introductions

Chair Chagolla called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

Commissioners Present – Lilia Chagolla, Susan Osorio, Jose Vasquez, Henry Bergstresser, Gelacio Gonzalez, James Bogan, Wayne Johnson, Tom Hicks and Daniel Dobrilovic

Commissioners Not Present – George Dixon and Mary Ann Carbone

Staff Present – Interim Equal Opportunity Officer Juan Rodriguez, Administrative Secretary-Confidential Rocio Quezada, and Chief Assistant County Counsel Leslie Girard

Guest – Alberto Villa Corona

II. Public Comment

Public comment provided by Alberto Villa Corona.

III. Approval of Action Minutes of July 25, 2016

Commissioner Vasquez made a motion to approve the minutes of July 25, 2016; seconded by Commissioner Gonzalez; motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Chagolla, Osorio, Bogan, Vasquez, Bergstresser, Dobrilovic,
Johnson, Hicks and Gonzalez

NOES: None

ABSENT: Carbone and Dixon

ABSTAIN: None

IV. Technology Accessibility Presentation – Commissioner Johnson

Commissioner Johnson presented on technology accessibility devices for the deaf and hard of hearing.

V. Review, Discuss and Approve Recognition Nomination Forms – Chair Chagolla

The Commission received Recognition Nomination Forms for the Soledad Medical Clinic and Safeway Prunedale store.

Commissioner Dobrilovic made a motion to approve the Recognition Nomination Forms; seconded by Commissioner Vasquez; motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Chagolla, Osorio, Bogan, Vasquez, Bergstresser, Dobrilovic,
Johnson, Hicks and Gonzalez

NOES: None

ABSENT: Carbone and Dixon

ABSTAIN: None

VI. Discuss National Disability Employment Awareness Month – Interim Equal Opportunity Officer, Juan Rodriguez

Juan Rodriguez, Interim Equal Opportunity Officer, announced the Equal Opportunity Office will present to the Board of Supervisors for adoption a Resolution proclaiming October 2016 as Disability Employment Awareness Month.

VII. Future Agenda Items:

- ADA Coordinators
- Commission Annual Report
- Mental Health Awareness Presentation
- Presentation of Recognition Nominations
- Invite Elections Department
- Presentation by the Student Awareness for Disability Empowerment (SADE) Club of CSUMB

VIII. Announcements and Events

- American Sign Language classes – 8 week classes beginning September 26 from 5:00 – 6:30 p.m. Classes will be held at the Deaf & Hard of Hearing Center for a \$35 fee.
- October 1 - Monterey Events – Diver program
- Opening ceremony of the Central Coast Veterans Cemetery will take place on October 11 at 10:30 a.m.
- Dedication Ceremony for the VA-DOD Outpatient Clinic will take place on October 14 at 10:00 a.m.
- October 29 - Heroes' Open Golf Tournament at the Fort Ord Black Horse Golf Course to benefit the Central Coast Veterans Cemetery

- November 5 - Veteran of the Year Award at Salinas Elks Lodge at 1:00 p.m.

IX. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 3:05 p.m.