

MONTEREY COUNTY

COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

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Monday, January 30, 2017

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, James Bogan, Wayne Johnson, Mary Ann Carbone and Daniel Dobrilovic

Commissioners Not Present – Tom Hicks and Gelacio Gonzalez

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

II. Public Comment

No public comment provided.

III. Approval of Action Minutes of September 26, 2016

Commissioner Vasquez made a motion to approve the minutes of September 26, 2016; seconded by Commissioner Bogan; motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Chagolla, Osorio, Carbone, Bogan, Vasquez, Bergstresser,
Dobrilovic, and Johnson

NOES: None

ABSENT: Hicks and Gonzalez

ABSTAIN: None

IV. Recognition Nomination Presentation – Chair Chagolla

Certificates of Recognition were presented to the Soledad Medical Clinic and Prunedale Safeway Store.

V. Receive a Presentation of the SADE (Student Awareness for Disability Empowerment) Club of CSUMB

Kendra Solis with the SADE Club of CSUMB presented a PowerPoint presentation on disability awareness.

VI. Review, Discuss and Approve the 2017 Meeting Schedule – Chair Chagolla

Commissioner Johnson made a motion to approve the 2017 Meeting Schedule with the revision that the November meeting be held on November 6, 2017; seconded by Commissioner Osorio; motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Chagolla, Osorio, Carbone, Bogan, Vasquez, Bergstresser,
Dobrilovic, and Johnson

NOES: None

ABSENT: Hicks and Gonzalez

ABSTAIN: None

VII. Review and Discuss the Commission’s Goals for 2017 – Chair Chagolla

The Commission approved the 2017-18 Commission Goals:

Goal 1: ADA Transition Plan

Goal 2: Recognize Agencies, Programs and Individuals

Goal 3: Identify Organizations to Collaborate to Develop Strategies to Improve Access to All Individuals with Disabilities

Goal 4: Outreach to Increase Public Awareness and Invite Public Comment

Goal 5: Training for Commissioners

VIII. Action Item: Review, Discuss and Approve the Commission Annual Report – Chair Chagolla

Commissioner Carbone made a motion to approve the Commission Annual Report; seconded by Commissioner Bogan; motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Chagolla, Osorio, Carbone, Bogan, Vasquez, Bergstresser,
Dobrilovic, and Johnson

NOES: None

ABSENT: Hicks and Gonzalez

ABSTAIN: None

IX. Future Agenda Items:

- Mental Health Awareness Presentation
- Invite Elections Department

- Appoint Commissioner to the Monterey County Disaster Council
- Receive In-Home Support Services (IHSS) Report
- Presentation of Recognition Nominations at Board of Supervisors' Meeting
- Discuss Frequency of Commission Meetings
- Update Commission Bylaws
- Castroville Cross-Walk Issues

X. Announcements and Events

- American Sign Language classes – 8 week classes beginning February 7 from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Classes will be held at the Deaf & Hard of Hearing Center for a \$35 fee.
- Presentation on Self-Advocacy at the Deaf & Hard of Hearing Salinas Office on February 16 from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

XI. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.