

MONTEREY COUNTY

COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

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MONTEREY COUNTY COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES MEETING Monday, July 29, 2019

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

MINUTES

I. Call to Order and Introductions

Chairperson Sugabo called the meeting to order at 2:01 p.m.

Commissioners Present – Chairperson Cristy Sugabo, Susan Osorio, Jose Vasquez, Henry Bergstresser, Neville Pereira, James Bogan, Jason Cameron, John Gay, Juan Morales, Libby Sofer, Nona Childress, and Krystal Rios-Harris

Commissioners Absent – Stephanie Lyon, Samantha Kelley, and Lilia Chagolla

Staff Present – Civil Rights Officer, Juan P. Rodriguez; Senior Equal Opportunity Analyst, Elyse Rivas; Associate Equal Opportunity Analyst, Leeset Torres; and Administrative Secretary-Confidential, Ruby Jacinto

II. Election of Officer

Action Item: Election of Vice Chair

The Commission held an election and Commissioner Bergstresser was elected as Vice Chair by majority vote.

III. Public Comment

None.

IV. Approval of Action Minutes of January 28, 2019

Commissioner Gay made a motion to approve the minutes of January 28, 2019; seconded by Commissioner Osorio; motion passed by the following vote:

AYES: Osorio, Childress, Gay, Morales, Sofer, Sugabo, Vasquez, Pereira, Cameron, Bogan, Bergstresser, and Rios-Harris

NOES: None

ABSENT: Lyon, Chagolla, and Kelley

ABSTAIN: None

V. Receive a Presentation on 2020 Census Outreach Efforts – Rosemary Soto, County Administrative Office

Rosemary Soto with the County Administrative Office gave a presentation on 2020 Census Outreach Efforts.

VI. Discuss 2020 Census Media Productions – Rosemary Soto, County Administrative Office and Maria Magana, Central Coast Center for Independent Living (CCCIL)

Action Item: Appoint Representative to 2020 Census Media Productions

Rosemary Soto with the County Administrative Office and Maria Magana with CCCIL gave a verbal report on 2020 Census Media Productions.

Commissioners Childress, Vasquez, Gay, and Morales were appointed as representatives for the 2020 Census Media Productions.

VII. Receive a Presentation on Serving Diverse Communities with Different Abilities – Claudio Valenzuela, Elections

Claudio Valenzuela and Greta Arevalo with Elections gave a presentation on Serving Diverse Communities with Different Abilities.

VIII. Receive a Presentation on Expansion of CalFresh to SSI Recipients – Christine Alvarez, Social Services

Christine Alvarez with Social Services gave a presentation on the Expansion of CalFresh to SSI Recipients.

IX. Receive a Presentation on the County’s Reasonable Accommodation Policy – Elyse Rivas, Civil Rights Office

Elyse Rivas with the Civil Rights Office gave a presentation on the County’s Reasonable Accommodation Policy.

X. Receive a Presentation on Monterey County Emergency Operations Plan: Annex B – Care and Shelter – Kelsey Scanlon, Office of Emergency Services

Kelsey Scanlon with the Office of Emergency Services gave a presentation on Monterey County Emergency Operations Plan: Annex B – Care and Shelter.

XI. Appoint Representative

Action Item: Appoint Representative to IHSS Advisory Committee

Due to time constraints this item was tabled for the next regular meeting in September.

XII. Receive the Civil Rights Office Standing Report – Juan P. Rodriguez, Civil Rights Officer

Due to time constraints this item was tabled for the next regular meeting in September.

XIII. Future Agenda Items:

- Presentation on Universal Accessibility by Commissioner Pereira
- In-Home Support Services Report – Commissioner Sugabo
- Commission Goals 2019-2020
- Annual Report

Due to time constraints this item was tabled for the next regular meeting in September.

XIV. Announcements and Events

Due to time constraints this item was tabled for the next regular meeting in September.

XV. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.