



**CITY OF BELL GARDENS
EDUCATION COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2021, 5:00 PM
AGENDA**

On March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom proclaimed a State of Emergency in California as a result of the threat of COVID-19. On September 16, 2021, Governor Newsom signed Assembly Bill 361 (“AB 361”), which was effective immediately and amends Government Code section 54953 to allow a local legislative body to hold public meetings via teleconferencing and to make public meetings accessible telephonically or otherwise electronically to all members of the public seeking to observe and to address the local legislative body. Pursuant to AB 361, please be advised that members of the Education Commission may participate in meetings telephonically. The public may view the meeting and participate in public remotely.

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CALL TO ORDER

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL OF EDUCATION COMMISSIONERS

Francis De Leon Sanchez, Chairperson
Oscar Boado Jr, Commissioner
Miguel Flores, Commissioner
Jonathan Herrera, Commissioner
Kristina Paulo, Commissioner

REPORT OF POSTING OF THE AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS ONLY

(Three minutes per person)

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CONSENT CALENDAR (Item No. 1)

All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine and can be acted on by one roll call vote. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless members of the Education Commission request specific items to be removed from the Consent Calendar for separate action. Items called for separate discussion will be heard as the next order of business.

1. APPROVAL OF October 14, 2021 EDUCATION COMMISSION MINUTES

October 14, 2021 - Regular Meeting Minutes

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the Education Commission approve the attached minutes.

DISCUSSION (Items No. 2-5)

2. RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT UPDATE

Recreation and Community Services Department Update

Recommendation:

It is staff's recommendation that the Education Commission receive and file and take no further action.

3. DISTRICT PARTNERSHIP UPDATE

Recreation and Community Services Department Update

Recommendation:

It is staff's recommendation that the Education Commission receive and file and take no further action.

4. HEALTH FAIR

Recreation and Community Services Department Update Recommendation:

It is staff's recommendation that the Education Commission receive and file and take no further action.

5. ESSAY CONTEST

Recreation and Community Services Department Update Recommendation:

It is staff's recommendation that the Education Commission receive and file and take no further action.

Recommendation:

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PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS ONLY(Three minutes per person)

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STAFF COMMENTS – Upcoming Events

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| Holiday Movies Under The Stars | Friday, December 10 | BGVP | 5:30pm |
| Christmas Senior Event | Friday, December 10 | Ross Hall | 3:30 pm |
| Holiday Drive-Up Food Distribution | Saturday December 11 | Ford Park | 10:00am |
| Holiday Festival | Saturday December 18 | Suva Parking Lot | 10:00am |
| BGVP= Bell Gardens Veterans Park | JAFP=John Anson Ford Park | GC=Golf Course | |

COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

Posted by: Miriam Vargas-Cervantes Date: 12/6/2021 Time: 5:00 p.m.