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Homeless Issues Committee Monday March 20, 2023 at 7:00 pm Held via Zoom webinar

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Committee Members

Barbara Tyson-Frazier, Chair Nakiesha Scott, Vice Chair Frankie Mays, Secretary Piers Fairclough Jackie Jackson Janet Mitchell Nita Stonehocker Kridikel R. Truthbey Hannah Woods

- 1) Welcome/call to order/roll call (quorum is 5 members)
- 2) Mayor's Office: Inside Safe Report
- 3) Future Committee events
 - a. April 1, 2023 Neighborhood Council Election Day
 - b. May 2023 distribution of hygiene kits (TBD)
 - c. June 2023 homeless encampments/outreach efforts
- 4) Listings of Food Banks, Family Counseling, and Mental Health Resources
- 5) General public comment on non-agenda items that are within the Neighborhood Council's jurisdiction (**press *9 to raise hand, *6 to unmute**) (2 minutes per speaker)
- 6) Announcements
- 7) Adjournment –Next Meeting Monday April 17, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. in person at 555 W. Redondo Beach Blvd. Room 205

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Harbor Gateway North Neighborhood Council Homeless Issues Committee Meeting February 20, 2023 Held Via Zoom Webinar

1.Welcome / Roll Call

The **Homeless Issues Committee Meeting** was called to order by Chair Barbara Tyson-Frazier at 7:02pm.

Present: Barbara Tyson- Frazier - Chair, Nakiesha Scott – Vice Chair, Frankie Mays – Secretary, Jackie Jackson, Janet Mitchell, and Nita Stonehocker

2.Guest Speaker David Matthews explained the Neighborhood Council voting process, who can vote, what are the criteria, the location and date. David stated that all of this information can be food on the City Clerk website.

3. Health Care Fair in the month of March: Chair and members discussed the possibility of having a Health Fair to inform the homeless about the election. Nita and Nakiesha were concerned about the short notice for getting this done. However, team members will reach out to different organizations for assistance. We will work on getting a Health Fair scheduled if not now, then in the future. The date and budget are needed within 30 days to meet the City Clerk's Funding deadline for approval of events, after the HGNNC Board votes. Janet suggested reaching out to Home Assembly Church for holding the event on the election date of April 1st 2023.

4.Food Bank list is not available for tonight's meeting but will be provided at the next meeting.

5.Public comments - none

6.Announcements: David Matthews stated that the homeless can dial 211 to request shelter during rainy weather.

The HGNNC Outreach/Communications Committee will be presenting a Black History Month Program at Rosecrans Recreation Center on February 25, 2023 from 11:00Aam– 3:00pm

7. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at **8:06 pm. / Next meeting March 20, 2023, at 7:00pm in person** at 555 S. Redondo Beach Bl. Gardena, Ca room 205

Minutes Recorded by: Frankie Mays - Secretary