



Minutes
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
Wednesday, June 3, 2015, 7:00 p.m.
El Cerrito City Hall
Hillside Conference Room
10890 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito

This Meeting Place is Wheelchair Accessible

- 1. Roll Call – Commissioners Present: Aga, Edwards, Hughes, Hunter Parisi, Pardue-Okimoto. Absent: Glueck.**
- 2. Minutes**
Moved by Edwards, seconded by Hunter Parisi, to approve minutes from the May 6, 2015 regular meeting. Motion carries unanimously.
- 3. Oral Communications from the Public:** Nick Arzio, representing the El Cerrito Democratic Club, reported to the Commission that the Club passed a resolution calling on the El Cerrito City Council to pass a minimum wage ordinance, modeled after the City of Richmond. They have made a presentation to the Council and to other boards and commissions, and is asking for the support of the HRC. The HRC agreed to discuss the issue of a minimum wage in El Cerrito as a future agenda item.
- 4. Staff, Council Liaison and Commission Announcements and Reports:** Staff, Council Liaison, and/or Commissioners may report on matters of general interest, City Council policies, priorities and significant actions taken by the Council to the Human Relations Commission.
- 5. Debrief on City Council Work Plan and Follow Up Discussion on Loving Day** The Commission discussed the presentation, and that the information is being promoted, emailed, and tweeted. A letter was sent to our elected officials from the Mayor. The press has been notified, and Karen will contact the Loving Day organization and forward them all of the actions taken.
- 6. HRC Brochure** Discussion and possible action on updating the brochure for the HRC for promotion at upcoming events – Tabled to July 1.
- 7. Crime Prevention Committee Cleanup Day Request** Nick Arzio, representing the Crime Prevention Committee, reported that a subcommittee is forming to discuss planning for the proposed Crime Prevention Committee Cleanup Day. The Commissioners liked the idea of the project, and agreed to participate in the subcommittee. Moved by Pardue-Okimoto, seconded by Hughes, to support the idea of the Cleanup Day and appoint Commissioners Hunter Parisi and Aga to the subcommittee. Motion carried unanimously.
- 8. Student Commissioner Program and Brochure** Tabled to July 1.
- 9. Items for Next Meeting:** Brochure, Student Commissioner Program, Minimum Wage.
- 10. Adjournment 8:47 pm.**