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Special Meeting Agenda
201 N. Los Angeles Street, Suite 3A
John Lewis Conference Center
July 26, 2023
12:00 p.m.

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COMMISSION BUSINESS

Item No. 1

Roll Call, Call to Order and Land Acknowledgement

Item No. 2

Public Comment Period

Item No. 3

Approval of Minutes – The review and approval of the Minutes of the May 26 and June 28, 2023 Regular Meetings. A motion is required.

Item No. 4

Department Update

- Claudia Luna, Assistant General Manager, LA Civil + Human Rights and Equity Department

Item No. 5

Presentations for Minority Mental Health Awareness Month

The effects of discrimination on the mental health of minorities and marginalized people.

- a. Mental Health Outcomes and Current Strategies – Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health
 - Mirtala Parada Ward, Program Manager III, Prevention Division – Anti-Racism, Diversity and Inclusion (ARDI); and
 - Sandra T. Chang, Ph.D., Program Manager, ARDI-Cultural Competency Unit

Item No. 6

TAC Report

- Karina Samala, Chair of the Transgender Advisory Council

Item No. 7

LGBTQIA+ Liaison Update

- Carla Ibarra, LGBTQIA+ Liaison, LA Civil + Human Rights and Equity Department

Item No. 8

Ad Hoc Committee Updates and Actions

Young Adult Dinner Dialogues – Francisco Ortega

Item No. 9

Announcements

Item No. 10

Adjournment

There is no meeting in the month of August.

The next regular meeting of the Human Relations Commission will be held on

September 27, 2023 at 12:00 p.m.

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