

MINUTES OF MONDAY, MAY 9, 2022 MEETING OF THE SAN GABRIEL LAS ADVISORY COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Lubisich called the special meeting of the LAS Advisory Committee to order at 5:14 p.m., on Monday, May 9, 2022 in the Council Chamber at City Hall, 425 South Mission Drive, San Gabriel, California, 91776.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Mojarro.

ROLL CALL

Commissioners Present:

Michelle Brenhaug, Beatriz Mojarro, Chasity Jennings-Nuñez and

Senya Lubisich.

Commissioners Absent:

None.

ANNOUNCMENTS

Director Perez announced that Councilmember Menchaca will no longer be attending LAS Advisory Committee meetings, effective today.

Supervisor Morales-Stevens provided information for the public on how to submit comments, and how to request meeting agendas. If you wish to address the HEAR Commission, e-mail all public comments to mmoralesstevens@sgch.org.

1. APPROVAL OF AGENDA ORDER

Chair Lubisich hearing no objections, the Agenda Order was approved.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

A. ACTION ITEMS

A motion was made by Commissioner Brenhaug and seconded by Commissioner Mojarro to approve the minutes for January 11, 2022.

Motion approved as presented by a vote of 4-0-0 as follows:

Ayes: Brenhaug, Jennings-Nuñez. Lubisich, Mojarro,

Nays: None Abstain: None

4. **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

A. REVIEW OF THE LAS PURPOSE STATEMENT

Supervisor Morales-Stevens presented the item.

The Commission asked if the LAS Purpose Statement was posted on-line.

Public Comment: None

B. RECAP OF ACTION STEPS TAKEN

Supervisor Morales-Stevens provided the report.

The Commission has met with Chief Salas and Chief Morales about the Land Acknowledgment Statement.

The Commission indicated they wanted to identify their stakeholders and discuss utilization plan and outreach during this meeting.

Public Comment: None

C. <u>DISCUSSION OF MEETINGS WITH CHIEF SALAS AND CHIEF MORALES</u>

Supervisor Morales-Stevens presented the item.

The Commission provided information from their meetings with Chief Salas and Chief Morales. They discussed prominent places and events where they would like the Land Acknowledgment Statement displayed. They shared that Chief Morales is motivated to move the process along and the Commission would like to be mindful of his time. The Commission stated Chief Salas is requesting that the land be

recognized in the statement. They agreed that names of groups and places will require clarification.

D. DISCUSSION OF THE ACTION PLAN

Supervisor Morales-Stevens presented the item.

The Commission would like to add the following items to the action plant

- The statement will need to be shared with both tribal leaders to get feedback and approval.
- They will notify interested groups such as San Gabriel Historical Association, Ramona Parlor, Native Suns, San Gabriel Unified School District and the San Gabriel Mission Church, when the item will be presented at a meeting to give them ample time to review and provide comments.
- Under "Create an Outreach Education Plan", they will include their plan to act beyond the statement.

A motion was made by Vice-Chair Jennings-Nuñez and seconded by Commissioner Brenhaug to approve the amended action plan.

Motion approved as presented by a vote of 4-0-0 as follows:

Ayes: Brenhaug, Jennings-Nuñez. Lubisich, Mojarro,

Nays: None Abstain: None

The Commission began drafting the Land Acknowledgement Statement. After discussion, the statement stands as:

"The City recognizes the unseated villages of the area surrounding the Mission leading to the collectivization of the Native peoples".

The Commission will review and revise the statement at the following meeting. Staff will reach out to Chair Lubisich, Chief Salas and Chief Morales for clarification, as needed.

5. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Lubisich adjourned the meeting at 6:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:

Adrienne Franquez, Commission Clerk

Approved this 11th day of August 2022:

Chasity Jennings-Nuñez, Commission Vice-Chair