MINUTES

Regular GBC Meeting Notice and Agenda of the Gardena Beautification Commission Thursday, October 14, 2021

The Regular GBC Meeting Notice and Agenda of the Gardena Beautification Commission of the City of Gardena, California, was called to order at 5:38 PM on Thursday, October 14, 2021, through Zoom.

PARTICIPATE DURING THE MEETING VIA ZOOM

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- Phone number: +1-669-900-9128 Meeting ID: 884 8930 8312

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was Called to Order by Chairwoman Francis at 5:38pm. The following members were present: Paulette C. Francis, Paula May, Esther Trujillo, Daniel Medina, Ochuwa Oghie, Patricia Worthy, Lt. Eric Hyde, and Alejandra Orozco, Staff Liaison.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by Lt. Eric Hyde

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes from the September 16, 2021 were approved. Motion was made by Esther Trujillo and seconded by Patricia Worthy.

5. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS

Presentation from the Los Angeles Community Garden Council:

There was no presentation made during this meeting.

Police Department Update - Graffiti and Illegal dumping:

- Lt. Eric Hyde reported that within the last 30 days, a total of 225 graffiti requests were received, and a total of 366 illegal dumping requests were received. These requests were made through Gardena Direct and were citywide.
- The data received shows that residents are using the Gardena Direct App to report issues that they see throughout the City.

6. FINANCE REPORT

The Finance Report Balance as of September 30, 2021, was approved. Motion was made by Dan Medina and seconded by Ochuwa Oghie.

7. STAFF LIASON REPORT

Discussion of next month's meeting - Holiday on November 11, 2021

• The next month's meeting will take place on November 18, 2021 due to the Holiday. Motion was made by Dan Medina and seconded by Esther Trujillo.

"Keep Gardena Beautiful Day" - Event Recap

- There were about 200 volunteers who participated, and all together cleaned 19 different sites throughout the Clty.
- It was a great turnout, people were honking and giving everyone thumps up. Holiday Home Decorating Contest
 - The Flyer has been created and shared throughout the City of Gardena's social media platforms. It will also be sent to the GVN.
 - The deadline to submit the pictures for the contest is December 11, 2021, therefore, the December meeting has been moved December 16, 2021 instead of December 09,2021 in order to review all the submissions.
 Motion was made by Ochuwa Oghie and seconded by Esther Trujillo.

8. OLD BUSINESS

Community Garden Discussion

• There was no presentation made, hopefully we can get the presentation at our next meeting.

Committee to be codified as a commission

• Ordinance No. 1833 was introduced at the September 14, 2021 City Council Meeting, and it takes 30 days after it gets adopted to go into effect.

9. **NEW BUSINESS**

By-laws discussion

• The Committee asked to receive a copy of Ordinance No. 1833 sent to them for review.

10. HOME OF THE MONTH

Home of the Month for the month of October:

12912 S. Wilton Place

Home of the Month for the month of November:

• 13223 S. Wilton Place

11. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:53pm.

Motion was made by Patricia Worthy and seconded by Ochuwa Oghie.

SUBMITTED:

Alejandra Orozco, Gardena Beautification

Commission, Staff Liaison

APPROVED BY:

Paulette C. Francis, Chairwoman