

Parks, Community and Human Services Commission Minutes

Armando Valles, Chair Fay Glass, Vice Chair Benjamin Alba, Secretary Gilbert Roldan, Commissioner Ana Ordonez, Commissioner

Thursday, September 25, 2025 7:00 P.M.

Grover W. Taylor Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL:

A. Call to Order/Roll Call:

A regular meeting of the City of Fontana Parks, Community and Human Services Commission was held on Thursday, September 25, 2025. Vice Chair Glass called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

Present: Vice Chair Glass,

Commissioner Roldan, Commissioner Ordonez

Absent: Chair Valles, Secretary Alba

INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

A. Invocation/Pledge of Allegiance:

Following the Invocation by Commissioner Roldan, the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commissioner Ordonez.

B. Special Presentations:

A. Junior Roller Derby Recognition

Director Schneider introduced the special presentation portion of the meeting and invited Sports Coordinator Nicholas King to present. Mr. King recognized the achievements of local junior roller derby athletes, Alyssa and Audrey Pessina, who recently returned from Brisbane, Australia, as gold medalists at the 2025 Junior Roller Derby World Cup.

Council Member Philip Cothran was invited to join the presentation to honor the athletes. The City expressed pride and excitement in recognizing these outstanding accomplishments by local youth representing Fontana on an international stage.

B. Public Works/Engineering Update

Director Schneider provided the staff report to the Commission, Director Schneider updated the Commission on the projects occurring at the parks throughout the City.

C. Special Event Update

Director Daniel Schneider introduced Community Services Supervisor Bianca Morales, who provided the staff report.

Supervisor Morales informed the Commission of all of the events that had happened throughout the Summer.

D. East Annex Presentation

Director Schneider introduced Community Services Manager Michael Wright who provided the staff report.

Public Communications:

None.

Consent Calendar:

A. Approval of Minutes

Approve Minutes of the Thursday, May 22, 2025, Regular Meeting

ACTION: Motion was made by Commissioner Roldan, seconded by Commissioner Ordonez and passed by a vote of 3-0 to approve the Consent Calendar (AYES: Glass, Roldan and Ordonez; NOES: None; ABSENT: Chair Valles; Secretary Alba; ABSTAIN: None).

New Business:

A. **NONE**

COMMISSION COMMENTS:

A. Public Communication Commission Comments:

Commissioner Roldan thanked staff for their work and the amazing job they do at City events, he mentioned that she is at quite a few events and enjoys every event he attends.

Commissioner Ordonez also expressed gratitude towards the staff that makes the City events happen.

Commissioner Glass echoed the comments of the Commission.

B. Community Services/Public Works Department Comments:

Community Services Director Daniel Schneider thanked the commission for attending the events. He also thanked his staff for all of their hard work.

Community Services Manager Michael Wright thanked staff for an amazing Summer. Mentioned all of the upcoming events.

Community Services Manager Kristy Samples thanked her team for their hard work getting the programs ready for the start of the year. She also mentioned all of the future events that will be held in the city.

ADJOURNMENT:

By consensus, the meeting adjourned at 7:42 p.m. to the next Regular Parks, Community and Human Services Commission Meeting on Thursday, October 22, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. in the Grover W. Taylor Council Chambers located at 8353 Sierra Avenue, Fontana, California.

Laura Gutierrez Senior Administrative Assistan	t	
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