

Richmond Commission on Aging

Minutes– July 1, 2022

Meeting via Zoom at 10 AM

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AGENDA

1. **Call to order by Chair Braxton at 10 am.**
2. **Roll Call by Secretary Whitney: Braxton, Brooks, Burkhart, Whitney, Whitfield, Hayes, Agarwal, and Baker present. Wallace & Wallace were absent. Staff Carson-Thrower and Carlette Harris were present.**
3. **Liaison to COA, Councilmember Gayle McLaughlin, gave Information on the disbursement of COVID-19 recovery funds. She stated that a Representative is needed from Richmond to serve on the County Senior Commission.**
4. **TECH Training is given by Steven Lipson (15 minutes)**
5. **Open Forum – Presentation made by Julie Freestone on the Ashby Village program. Ashby Village needs 25 volunteers to bring the Ashby Village program to Richmond. Volunteers perform various services for home-bound seniors.**
6. **Minutes of June 3, 2022, & June 24, 2022, Special Meeting delayed until August 5, 2022 meeting**
7. **Staff Report by Carson-Thrower. A, No reply was received from City Attorney's office regarding clarification of Brown Act questions from the Commission on Aging.
B. Fireworks will be held at the Marina on July 3rd.
C. Work is being done on the Separation wall in the Macdonald Senior Center
D. A Master copy of the revised Operations Manual will be sent to Chair Braxton.**
8. **A Focus Group to make recommendations to City regarding COVID funds was discussed.**
9. **Approved changes in the COA Committee structure.**
10. **Approved Education Ferry Trip on August 18, 2022, or the date the sponsor can arrange for the trip.**
11. **The announcement by Burkhart that funding for Older adults was reinstated in the WCCUSD budget.**
12. **The meeting Adjourned at 11:45**