

**MINUTES OF THE  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2022  
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE  
MONTCLAIR COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES COMMISSION**

**MONTCLAIR SENIOR CENTER  
5111 BENITO STREET, MONTCLAIR, CALIFORNIA  
5:00 P.M.**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Vice Chairperson Escalante called the meeting to order at 5:07 p.m.

**SALUTE TO THE FLAG**

Commissioner Padilla led those present in the salute to the flag.

**ROLL CALL**

**Present:** Vice Chairperson Richard Escalante, Commissioners Darlene Ferraro, Laurie Milhiser, Arturo Padilla, Rosa Rangel, and City Council Liaisons Bill Ruh and Corysa Martinez.

**Excused:** Chairperson Diane Wells and Commissioner Edwin Hernandez.

**Also Present:** Assistant City Manager/Director of Human Services Marcia Richter  
Administrative Analyst Adriana Navarrete-Campos  
Recreation Coordinator Community Angela Franco

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

There were no public comments.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Minutes for the November 2, 2022 meeting will be presented at the January 11, 2023 meeting.

**OLD BUSINESS**

**A. *Holiday Home Decoration Contest***

Vice Chairperson Escalante invited all members to participate in the field trip this evening to judge the 19 homes nominated for the 2022 Holiday Home Decoration Contest.

There were 8 public nominations, 2 of those were already nominated by the Community Activities Commission.

At 6:00 p.m., the Community Activities Commission departed from the Senior Center to view and judge the contest nominees.

At 8:00 p.m., the Community Activities Commission returned to the Senior Center. Each Commissioner submitted their scores and a total for each home was tallied. The three winning homes and award names are:

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. 10169 Camulos Avenue  | Welcome to Snowman Land    |
| 2. 10990 Kimberly Avenue | Once Upon a Christmas Time |
| 3. 10040 Marion Avenue   | Journey to the North Pole  |

Framed certificates and a \$50 gift card for a Montclair store or restaurant of their choice will be presented to each winner at the Monday, December 19, 2022 City Council Meeting.

Commissioner Rosa Rangel volunteered to read the script announcing the Holiday Home Decoration Contest winners at the City Council Meeting. A Power Point Presentation and the script will be ready by Friday, December 16, 2022. Commissioner Rosa Rangel was asked to be at the Council Chambers at 6:00 p.m. to practice the presentation.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

None

## **ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST**

Ms. Richter reminded the Commissioners that the award presentation for the Holiday Home Decoration will take place at the City Council meeting on December 19, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. The Commission is asked to arrive by 6:45 p.m.

Ms. Richter informed the Commissioners that the next Community Activities Commission meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 11, 2023.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Vice Chairperson Escalante adjourned the meeting at 8:47 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Angela Franco  
Recreation Coordinator Community