

**CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD  
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION**

**MINUTES  
MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2012**

1. **CALL TO ORDER** at 6:30 PM
2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** led by Drian Juarez
3. **ROLL CALL**

**Commissioners Present:** Borelli, Burke, Clarkin, Kemper, Norton, Sol, Williams

**Commissioners Absent:** None

**Others present:** Lieutenant LaJuana Haselrig, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department; Laura Manukian, Neighborhood Services Coordinator

4. **ADJOURNMENT REQUESTS**

Commissioner Sol requested that the meeting be adjourned in the memory of the seven law enforcement officers and firefighters killed in the line of duty since the last meeting.

5. **APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

**ACTION:** Motion by Commissioner Borelli to approve the October 29, 2012 agenda, seconded by Commissioner Williams, and approved.

**POSTING OF THE AGENDA**

The agenda for the October 29, 2012 Public Safety Commission meeting was posted at City Hall, Plummer Park, the West Hollywood Sheriff's Station, and the West Hollywood Library.

6. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**ACTION:** Motion by Commissioner Norton to approve the October 8, 2012 minutes, seconded by Commissioner Williams, and approved.

**7. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

No public comments.

**8. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

Commissioner Clarkin wished Lieutenant James Farrell a happy birthday.

Commissioner Kemper asked about the emergency notification system on behalf of a constituent. The constituent wanted to know if there was a way to find out if her name was registered in the system. Commissioners Clarkin and Borelli informed everyone that anyone can go online and check to see if they are registered.

**9. ITEMS FROM STAFF**

**9A. NEWS FROM STAFF/MONTHLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Staff spoke regarding upcoming events including the Sunset Strip Farmer's Market and the Don't Drink and Drive Napkin Campaign.

Commissioner Borelli asked what the focus should be for the Sunset Strip Farmer's Market outreach. It was decided that because The Roxy is sponsoring the event that the focus of the outreach should be street crime prevention and sexual assault awareness.

Commissioner Borelli asked about the Public Safety Awards and when the next televised meeting would be scheduled. Both topics will be on a future agenda.

**9B. TRANSGENDER DAY OF REMEMBRANCE – DRIAN JUAREZ (TRANSGENDER ADVISORY BOARD)**

Commissioners received a presentation from Drian Juarez.

Ms. Juarez spoke about the activities planned for the Transgender Day of Remembrance on November 20, 2012.

Commissioner Clarkin stated that he will be traveling out of state and offered his apologies for his absence at this event.

Commissioner Kemper stated that it is her hope that there will be a year where no names will have to be read at the DOR ceremony.

Ms. Juarez also spoke about the success of the recent transgender sensitivity training conducted by her and her team at LAPD.

Commissioner Williams stated that NCJW has reached out to Bienstar on more than one occasion to try and collaborate with them and to facilitate greater involvement between the two organizations. Commissioner Williams feels that NCJW has much to offer an organization like Bienstar.

Ms. Juarez stated that she will work with Commissioner Williams to help put her in touch with the right people to move forward with this partnership.

Commissioner Borelli thanked Ms. Juarez and her team for their outstanding efforts in educating law enforcement with regard to the transgender community.

**9C. LAPD LGBTQI COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT – ALESSANDRA MOURA (LAPD)**

Alessandra Moura was not able to attend the meeting as planned.

**10. REPORT FROM THE FIRE DEPARTMENT**

No report on October activities until after the month is complete.

**11. REPORT FROM THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

Staff introduced Lieutenant Haselrig who spoke regarding recent domestic violence incidents and alcohol related incidents.

Commissioner Borelli asked Lt. Haselrig to give a brief update on her background with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Dept. and her tenure at the West Hollywood Station.

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**12. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**12A. 2012 PUBLIC SAFETY EDUCATION OUTREACH**

Staff stated that the Public Safety Outreach at the Sunset Strip Farmer's Market on November 29<sup>th</sup> coincides with First Responder Day and will include sidewalk CPR.

Commissioner Sol announced that there would be another "walkabout" on December 19, 2012.

Commissioner Borelli gave an update on the recent Plummer Park outreach, the Senior Safety meeting on Hayworth, the Emergency Town Hall meeting, a presentation at the Women's Advisory Board, the Human Rights Speaker Series, and the latest "walkabout".

**13. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

No public comments.

**14. ITEMS FROM THE COMMISSION/COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

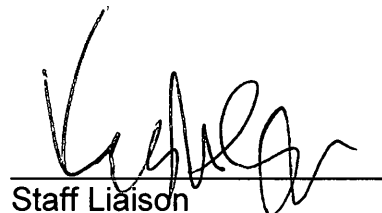
Commissioner Clarkin thanked Drian Juarez and her team for the great work they do.

Commissioner Williams spoke regarding a second screening of "Invisible War" being scheduled for November 7, 2012 from 12 noon to 2:00 p.m. at the offices of the National Council of Jewish Women. Commissioner Williams thanked Commissioner Norton and her mother for underwriting the film.

**15. ADJOURNMENT**

The Public Safety Commission adjourned at 6:55 PM in the memory of the seven law enforcement officers and firefighters that have passed away since the last meeting. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 10, 2012 at 6:00 PM at the West Hollywood Sheriff's Station at 780 N. San Vicente Boulevard.

  
Public Safety Commission Chair

  
Staff Liaison