



MEETING MINUTES

October 25, 2022 from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Location: Zoom Virtual Meeting (Open to the Public)

Drisana Bhatia	A	Isabelle Kim	A	Timiza Wash	P
Yating Campbell	P	Danielle Metzinger	A	Anya-Jael Woods	A
Jinky Dolar	P	Tina Reynolds	A	Angelina Woodberry	P
Jane Einhorn	P	Rachel Rios	P	Hailee Makin (alt)	A
Linda Farley	P	Erin Saberi	P		
Shayne Corriea-Fernandez	A				

Membership Attendance (P=Present; A=Absent)

Guests Present: Nilda Valmores (Sierra Health), Joyce Bilyeu, (Sacramento Regional Family Justice Center and Domestic Violence Council Member), Allison Kephart (WEAVE), Yen Marshall (My Sister’s House)

Welcome and Introductions

Commissioner Erin Saberi called the meeting to order at 5:33 pm. Quorum was established. Guests were invited to introduce themselves verbally.

Acknowledging that it is Domestic Violence Awareness month. Commission discussed reframing it to “Domestic Violence Action Month” and how it can The discussion about how the Commission can contribute? The Commission previously heard from Nilda Valmores and Beth Hasset at the retreat. This listening session continued the discussion around DV and issues surrounding it.

Domestic Violence Listening Session

Guests Nilda Valmores of Sierra Health, Joyce Bilyeu of Sacramento Regional Family Justice Center and Domestic Violence Council Member, Allison Kephart of WEAVE, and Yen Marshall of My Sister’s House were introduced and shared their insights.

- Joyce Bilyeu, Director of Sacramento Regional Family Justice Center, who is also Domestic Violence Council Member presented on the services her agency provides regarding Domestic Violence and strangulation. –

For more information, please visit the following sites:

- <https://www.sacda.org/victim-services/family-justice-center/>
- <https://www.sacda.org/victim-services/homicide-support-network/>
- <https://www.sacda.org/victim-services/domestic-violence-victim-services/>

- Allison Kephart, WEAVE’s Chief Legal and Compliance Officer Allison Kephart - shared about correlation and most recent data around DV and intersections with gun violence. Gun relinquishment (SB320). For more information, please visit:

- https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billTextClient.xhtml?bill_id=202120220SB320



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- <https://calmatters.org/justice/2021/07/california-gun-law-failing/>

- Yen Marshall, ED of My Sister's House shared about her work and Domestic Violence issues. For more information about My Sister's House, please visit:
 - <https://www.mysistershouse.org/>
- Nilda Valmores, Sierra Health shared that every little bit that is done helps. Encourages recognition for front line workers.

Approve August Meeting Minutes – Action Item

The August 23, 2022 meeting minutes were reviewed. **Motion was made by Commissioner Timiza Wash and was seconded by Commissioner Yating Campbell to approve the August 23, 2022 meeting minutes. Abstained: Jinky Dolar. Motion carried.**

Public Comment: None

Childcare Listening Session Discussion

- Invited Commissioners to watch the Childcare Listening Session from September 2022.

Holiday Schedule for the Commission

Due to holidays, proposed changes

- November 29 proposed and accepted
- December 13, possible holiday get-together/mingling in-person possible. Staff will follow up with a Doodle Poll and confirm results with Commissioners.

Updates

- **CCSWG Grant**
 - Update for the grant is due November 13, 2022. Commissioner Danielle Metzinger has been interfacing with CSUS School of Research. Contract is signed! They will be identifying initial indicators of data. Commissioners were encouraged to share any indicators they want to see with Commissioner Danielle.
- **Communication Committee**
 - Have mailchimp and putting together something that will go out the first week of each month. Commissioners were encouraged to contact Commissioners Erin Saberi or Jane Einhorn if they have something to add.
 - Working on a thank you card for the Women's Commission pins
 - Commissioners' bios on LinkedIn are nearly complete!
 - Committee is currently looking at the County website and will identify changes, as needed.



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- **Women Leaders Luncheons**
 - Have some commitments from women's organizations and will be start again at the beginning of 2023
- **Women on Wednesdays (WOW) Committee**
 - No report out
- **Fiscal**
 - No report out

Community Announcements

- City of Sacramento will be honoring Joan Didion, Sacramento native, author who wrote about her experience as a woman. Event is November 10, 2022 6-9 pm at Golden 1 Arena and requested the Commission Quilts and for the Commission and Friends of the Commission to have a table. Commissioners should let Staffer Bilee Hernandez know if they want to be part of the planning and if they want to attend.
- "Trunk or Treat" event will take place on 10/28/22 from 5-7pm at Maple Neighborhood Center
- Harvest Festival event will take place 10/31/2022 from 6-8 pm, sponsored by South Sacramento Christian Center/Black Child Legacy Campaign and will have a gaming bus. South Sacramento Christian Center is located at 7710 Stockton Blvd, Sacramento, CA.

Action Items/Next Steps

- Decision needs to be made as to whether December meeting will be in-person and a mixer or whether it will be skipped.

Public Comment

- As this will be Abi Nosce's last meeting as Commission Co-Staffer, she was acknowledged for all of her support.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm

Next meeting: Tuesday, November 29, 2022, 5:30 p.m. (virtual meeting), December meeting will be decided.