



Commission on Aging
George Porter, Chair
Richard Castrillon, Commission Secretary

COMMISSION ON AGING REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

South Berkeley Senior Center
2939 Ellis St.
Berkeley, CA 94703

Wednesday, January 15, 2020
1:00 p.m.

Preliminary Matters

1. Roll Call
2. Public Comments
The public may comment about any item not on the agenda. Public comments are limited to two minutes per speaker. Public comments regarding agenda items will be heard while the Commission is discussing the item.
3. Approval of minutes from November 20, 2019. (Attachment A)

Discussion/Action Items

The Commission may take action related to any subject listed on the Agenda. Public comments regarding agenda items will be heard while the Commission is discussing the item. Public comments are limited to two minutes per speaker.

4. Commission liaisons- Reports and updates (Attachment B)
5. Encourage more assisted living in Berkeley- *George Porter*
6. Letter to Transportation Commission voicing concerns about the Vision Zero Plan

Information/ Update Items

1. Par course proposal from Friends Of Ohlone Park- *Richard Castrillon*

Announcements (5 minutes)

Future Agenda Items

Adjournment

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COMMISSION ON AGING DRAFT Minutes

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2939 Ellis Street
Berkeley, CA 94710

Wednesday, November 20, 2019
1:00 p.m.

1. Roll Call

Present: (5) Porter; Murphy; Gordon; Young; Candau

Absent: (1) Lasell

Excused Absent: (1) Schechner

Staff Present: (3) Tanya Bustamante; Richard Castrillon; Christina Erickson

Public: (3) Helen Walsh; Elaine Green; Rodney Wong

2. Public Comment

3. Approval of October 16, 2019 Meeting Minutes- Amended to include unexcused absence by Candau

M/S: Porter/ Candau

Ayes: Porter, Gordon, Murphy, Candau,

Noes: None

Abstain: (Young not present)

Presentations

4. Measure T1- Update on Phase 1 and Information on Phase 2 Public Process- *Christina Erickson*

Discussion/Action Items

5. Approve Commission on Aging Meeting Schedule for 2020

M/S: Candau/ Murphy

Ayes: Porter, Gordon, Murphy, Candau; Young

Noes: None

Abstain:

6. Commission liaisons- Reports & updates

Discussion; No action taken

7. Assess the effects of the PG&E Public Safety Power Shut-off: Communication from PG&E and City's response to senior and disabled community

Discussion; No action taken

**8. Traffic signals on Shattuck & Vine have increased the time for crosswalks-
*Ethel Murphy***

Discussion; No action taken

Future Agenda Items

1. Increased homelessness amongst seniors
2. Housing changes that would encourage aging in our community
3. Cellphone app for pedestrians
4. Outreach to other commissions

Commissioners adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

Minutes Approved on:

Richard Castrillon, Commission Secretary

<u>Commission:</u>	<u>Liaison:</u>	<u>Meeting dates & locations:</u>
Disaster and Fire Safety Commission		4 th Wednesday @7:00 pm -Fire Dept. Training Facility 997 Cedar St.
Parks and Waterfront Commission		2 nd Wednesday @7:00 pm -Frances Albrier Community Center 2800 Park St.
Transportation Commission	Murphy, Porter	3 rd Thursday @ 7:00 pm -Willow Room 1326 Allston Way, Corp Yard
Commission on the Status of Women		4 th Wednesday @6:45 pm -1st Floor, Cypress Room 2180 Milvia St.
Planning Commission	Lasell	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays @7:00 pm -South Berkeley Senior Center 2939 Ellis St.

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Homeless Commission		2 nd Wednesday @7:00pm -1st Floor, Cypress Room 2180 Milvia St.
Animal Care Commission		3 rd Wednesday @7:00 pm -Berkeley Animal Shelter 1 Bolivar Dr.
Human Welfare and Community Action Commission		3 rd Wednesday @7:00 pm -South Berkeley Senior Center 2939 Ellis St.
Commission on Disability	Candau	1 st Wednesday @6:30 pm -Willow Room 1326 Allston Way, Corp Yard
Housing Advisory Commission	Candau, Gordon	1 st Thursday @7:00 pm -South Berkeley Senior Center 2939 Ellis St.
Community Health Commission	Gordon	4 th Thursday @6:30 pm

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Mental Health Commission		4 th Thursday @7:00 pm 1947 Center St.
Peace and Justice Commission		1 st Monday @7:00 pm -1st Floor, Cypress Room 2180 Milvia St.