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**Human Services Committee**  
**Wed., May 5, 2021, 6pm**

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**Voting Members:**

Dr. Thelá Thatch (Chair), Richard Marks (Co-Chair), Rigüey Mercado (Secretary),

## Agenda

1. Call to Order. Roll Call; determination of quorum.
2. Opening comments from Chairperson.
3. Committee to vote to add Damaris Macias as a Human Services Committee member.
4. Approve minutes of *Jan 6, Feb 3, March 3, and April 7* meetings.
5. Reports from Public Officials/ Departments/ Community Agencies.
6. Discussion about the VNNC possibly working with Assemblyman Nazarian's office and Dignity Health regarding setting up two COVID info workshops (one in English and one in Spanish) that might take place this summer. *Laura Coronado - Assemblymember Adrin Nazarian's office.*
7. Discussion and possible action to consider how City of L.A. homeless policies might be changing, based on response to recent court cases, and whether this would prompt any changes to the CIS regarding LA Municipal Code 6. – *Kathy Schreiner*
8. General Public Comment
9. Announcements: board members are invited to share events and information for the benefit of informing those in the room
10. Adjournment

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