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**Van Nuys
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**Human Services
Committee**

MEETING NOTES

**WEDNESDAY,
March 3, 2021**



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1. Roll Call/Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance;

Attendance: Thela T., Kathy S., Richard M., Gwen F. [Note: Rigüey M. (arrived 30 minutes late)]

Announced Sam Woolf & Ashley Martinez no longer serving on the HSC committee.

Public Comment

2. Opening Comments from Chairperson Thela T.

Public Comment

3. Reports from Public Officials/ Departments/ Community Agencies-

- *Alexandria Naseef, CD4* - excited about new Planning Director. Office will be fully staffed.
- *Commander Alan Hamilton* - joined call to introduce them SFVMH joining Board and want to coordinate on Homeless issues.

Public Comment

4. Approve minutes of Feb 3 Meetings Postponed until next meeting due to absence of Secretary. No vote or action taken.

Public Comment

5. Discussion of proposal & committee vote to provide \$5K in monetary support to Hope of the Valley – Bernice Saavedra, Hope of the Valley provided an update on how the funding would be utilized. *No vote or action taken.*
Public Comment

6. Discussion & update on Bulletin Board Service (BBS) Proposal – Richard Marks provided an update on his request for information and his intent to create a CIS around the BBS. *No vote or action taken.*
Public Comment

7. Discussion & update on discussion potential CIS Statements - Thelá Thatch – discussed the Board interests to move forward on taking a position on the Amendment to L.A. Municipal Codes 41.18 and 56.11. *No vote or action taken.*
Public Comment.

8. Announcements:

- *AB71 - Thelá T.*
- *LAHSA, March 18 Town Hall invitation - Thelá Thatch*
- *Mark Ridley Thomas regarding a right to housing motion - Thelá Thatch*
- *In June 2020, the Board took a vote to support a statement around police reform & racism. City Council update on pilot programs to address this issue was occurring - Kathy S.*
- *The City Planning Dept in the process of updating the general plan. Housing is a part of the plan and there is an opportunity to provide comment - Gwen F.*

Public Comment.

9. General Public Comment

10. Adjournment:

Motion By: Kathy S. | 2nd Motion By: Richard M. Motion passes unanimously.