

NOTICE OF MEETING CITY OF GARLAND, TEXAS

SENIOR CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMISSION

Work Session Room of City Hall William E. Dollar Municipal Building 200 N. Fifth Street Garland, Texas April 3, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

A meeting of the Senior Citizens Advisory Commission of the City of Garland, Texas will be held at the aforementioned location, date, and time to discuss and consider the following agenda items.

AGENDA:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Consider approval of the Senior Citizens Advisory Commission minutes of the March 6, 2025, meeting.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Persons who desire to address the Committee on any item on the agenda are allowed three minutes to speak. Testimony may be held until the item is considered or given at the beginning of any committee meeting. Invited testimony may also occur at any time, subject to a request of the Member of the Committee and with the approval of the Committee Chairperson.

3. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

a. Chase Bank - Senior Fraud Presentation

Maria Hazan - Cohen, Chase Bank, VP, Community Manager, will provide the commission with a presentation and be available to answer questions.

b. Garland Fire Department - Safety In The Home For Senior Citizens

Jerry Click, Garland Firefighter, will provide a presentation to the commission and be available to answer questions.

c. Senior Centers Reports

Jelisa Baker (Carver) and Dee Muhlinghaus (Senior Activity Center), Recreation Services Supervisors, will provide updates and be available to answer questions.

d. City Press - Possible Upcoming Topics Discussion

Carol Cooper, Commission Chair, will lead a discussion on possible topics to be included in the City Press.

4. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

5. ADJOURN

NOTE: A quorum of the City Council may be in attendance and may or may not participate in the discussions of the Committee or board.



1. a.

Senior Citizens Advisory Commission

Meeting Date: 04/03/2025

Item Title: APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Summary:

Consider approval of the Senior Citizens Advisory Commission minutes of the March 6, 2025, meeting.

Attachments

March 6 Draft Minutes



The Senior Citizens Advisory Commission of the City of Garland convened in regular session at 9:00 a.m. on March 6, 2025, in the Work Session Room, 217 North Fifth Street, Garland, Texas, with the following members:

Present: Carol Cooper, Commissioner - Chair

Gail Belton, Commissioner - Vice Chair

Larry Dunn, Commissioner Amador Castro, Commissioner Sal Liberto, Commissioner Ann Garrett, Commissioner Angela Harrison, Commissioner

Staff Present: Jesse Johnson, Recreation Services Manager

Dee Muhlinghaus, Senior Center Supervisor

Jelisa Baker, Senior Center Supervisor

Corey Johnson, Garland Police Department, Officer Craig Thompson, Garland Police Department, Officer Denny Korinek, Garland Police Department, Officer Yvonne V. Naser, Management Services Coordinator Anna M. Enriquez, Department Representative II

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Approval of Minutes

Consider approval of the Minutes for the February 6, 2025, meeting.

Amendments:

To read: approval of the January 21 meeting Spelling correction from Cory to Corey.

Motion was made by Commissioner - Vice Chair Gail Belton, and seconded by Commissioner Angela Harrison that the minutes of February 6, 2025, be approved as amended.

Vote: 7 - 0

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No citizen comments

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3. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

a. DART Presentation

Dawn Dorman, DART Community Relations, provided a presentation and was available to answer questions.

b. Food Distribution Presentation

Tabled until the June meeting

c. Garland Police Department

Garland Police Officers, Corey Jones, Craig Thompson and Kenny Korinek provided an update to the commission and were available to answer questions.

d. Senior Center Reports

D'Ann Mulinghaus and Jelisa Baker, Senior Center Supervisor, updated the Commission on upcoming trips, programs, and events happening at the Senior Center and were available to answer questions.

e. City Press

Commissioner Chair, Carol Cooper, presented future topics for the upcoming City Press for consideration and was available to answer questions.

4. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Sal Liberto, Commission Member, has organized for Maria Hazan - Cohen to provide a presentation at the April meeting.

Carol Cooper, Commission Chair, has organized for Jerry Click with the Fire Department to provide a presentation at the April meeting.

Carol Cooper, Commission Chair, requested Teams Tutorial for commission members.

5. ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 10:32 a.m.



3. a.

Senior Citizens Advisory Commission

Meeting Date: 04/03/2025

Item Title: CHASE BANK - SENIOR FRAUD PRESENTATION

Summary:

Chase Bank - Senior Fraud Presentation

Maria Hazan - Cohen, Chase Bank, VP, Community Manager, will provide the commission with a presentation and be available to answer questions.



Senior Citizens Advisory Commission 3. b.

Meeting Date: 04/03/2025

Item Title: GARLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT - SAFETY IN THE HOME FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

Summary:

Garland Fire Department - Safety In The Home For Senior Citizens

Jerry Click, Garland Firefighter, will provide a presentation to the commission and be available to answer questions.



3. c.

Senior Citizens Advisory Commission

Meeting Date: 04/03/2025

Item Title: SENIOR CENTERS REPORTS

Summary:

Senior Centers Reports

Jelisa Baker (Carver) and Dee Muhlinghaus (Senior Activity Center), Recreation Services Supervisors, will provide updates and be available to answer questions.



Senior Citizens Advisory Commission 3. d.

Meeting Date: 04/03/2025

Item Title: CITY PRESS - POSSIBLE UPCOMING TOPICS DISCUSSION

Summary:

City Press - Possible Upcoming Topics Discussion

Carol Cooper, Commission Chair, will lead a discussion on possible topics to be included in the City Press.