



RSVP

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RSVP Advisory Council Meeting

Minutes of January 12, 2010

Members Present

Sandy Caviness	Sofia Ordonez
Amelia S. Clarke	Esther Perez
Alicia De Jong Davis	Irma Chavez-Rodriguez
Anne Langenfeld	William Wickline
Mary S. Newton	Patricia Williams
Julio Norman	

Members Absent

Marcellus Fullmore
Armida H. Hernandez
Karen Kimball

Staff

Norma Corona
Henry Drake
Lori Rodriguez
Lorena Blanco
Sandra Serrano

Call to Order and Quorum Count

Meeting called to order @ 10:10 a.m.

Approval of minutes

Minutes of prior meeting reviewed and approved.

Announcements/comments

Norma introduced new staff member Lorena Blanco for the Calling All Seniors Program.

Unfinished business

Lori gave update on the status of newsletter; she stated it would be mailed out no later than Friday. She also mentioned that the newsletter would go out annually instead of quarterly due to budget restrains.

Norma informed council that the RSVP program had enough funds to pay for the luncheon to be held at the Ronald McDonald House and any contributions given would go directly to the Ronald McDonald House. Norma also mentioned the VC training would be held on February 8th, she advised council if they would attend the VC training there would be no need to have a council meeting the following day.

Norma asked Mrs. Rodriguez for the best date to have the luncheon for the families at the Ronald McDonald House. Mrs. Rodriguez advised staff and council that the only days available were the 6th, 7th, 14th and the 27th of February. After discussion the 6th of February at noon was agreed, Mr. Norman volunteered to get a choir or guitar group to perform for the event.

New business

Norma shared with council that the RSVP program had acquired a new sponsor; Bravo Health had donated \$ 2,400. Norma informed council that she had been contacted by the Convention Center regarding the upcoming United States Bowling Congress Women's Championship, were a number of volunteers will be needed. The event is scheduled to run from March to July and is a great opportunity for RSVP to be involved. Norma also mentioned that a two hour training session would be provided for volunteers, it will highlight El Paso and things for the bowlers to do while in town.

Suggestions for the good of the council

Mrs. Rodriguez passed out a flyer for the Aoy Alumni Association Valentine's dance; she mentioned it was a good cause for the children in the south side to provide needed jackets to them.

Adjournment

Meeting was adjourned at 10:50 a.m.

Next meeting

March 9, 2010