



**CITY OF DAVIS
JOINT MEETING OF THE
SOCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION
SENIOR CITIZEN COMMISSION
ADA SUB-COMMITTEE**

WORKSHOP MEETING AGENDA

Monday, July 19, 2010

5:00pm

Community Chambers

23 Russell Blvd.

Davis, CA 95616

Social Services

Commission Members:

Eric Gelber, George T. Hague (Vice Chairperson & ADA Liaison),
Cathy Huff, Don Kalman, Vanessa Robinson (Chairperson),
Dan Wolk, Liz Yeh (Alternate)

Senior Citizen

Commission Members

Shula Blumenthal, Janice Bridge, Romeo Favreau
(Vice Chairperson), Stephen Hayes, Mariana Henwood,
George Hinkle, Kitty Liebhardt (ADA Liaison),
Elaine Roberts-Musser (Chairperson), Tansey Thomas

ADA Subcommittee:

George Moore (Chair), Lena Contreras, Bonnie Mintun

Staff:

Elvia Garcia-Ayala, Community Services Director
Danielle Foster, Housing and Human Services Superintendent
Patrick Conway, Administrative Analyst II
Maria Lucchesi, Community Services Supervisor
Teri Spiritosanto, Social Services Program Coordinator

5:00pm

1. Call to Order.

5:03pm

2. Approval of Agenda.

5:06pm

3. Public comment:

At this time, any member of the public may address the Commissions on matters that are not listed on this agenda. Citizens should present their comments for matters listed on this agenda at the time the item is

considered by the Commissions. No formal action may be taken on any issue unless it is included on this agenda. Presentations may be limited to accommodate all speakers within the time available. Public comments may also be continued to later in the meeting should the time allotted for public comment expire.

5:08pm

4. Commissioner and Staff Communications:

Reports or announcements on issues not listed on the agenda. No formal action may be taken on matters not listed on the agenda.

5:15pm

5. Business Items:

A. Presentation of Background Information. Staff will present information to the Commissions that provides background for the discussion.

- Overview and Clarifications of Definitions (Visitability, Accessibility, Universal Design, etc.)
- State Requirements and Limitations (State Building Code, AB 1400 and AB 2787)
- Summary and Updates on Existing City Policies Related to Accessibility and Visitability in Housing
- Summary of Policies and Best Practices from Cities, Counties and States
- Summary of Legal Constraints and Options

5:40

B. Comments and Questions from the Public. The Commissions and Subcommittee welcome public input on this matter. The Commissions are particularly interested in responses to the following questions:

- What personal experiences have you had in trying to rent, purchase, or develop accessible housing?
- Which accessibility features or universal design features have proven to be low cost and easy to include in new construction?
- Which accessibility features or universal design features are difficult to include or costly to include in new construction?
- What makes the inclusion of certain accessible features difficult?
- What would you recommend the City explore to promote accessibility?

6:10

C. Comments and Questions from the Commissioners and Subcommittee Members. Staff will ask the Commissioners and Subcommittee members to provide feedback on the following questions:

- What seems to have worked well?
- What areas appear to have gaps?
- What components of accessibility, visitability, and/or universal design are missing from the City's policy?
- What options should be explored?

- 6:50** **D. Any Additional Comments and Questions from the Public, Commissioners and Subcommittee Members.** The Commissions and Subcommittee welcome any final questions, comments, and thoughts on the meeting and the information discussed.
- 7:00** **E. Summary and Next Steps.** Review the summary of discussion notes and comments, identifying potential next steps for the discussion results.
- 7:10** **6. Adjournment.**

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