

**MINUTES OF AN ADJOURNED REGULAR  
MEETING OF THE TORRANCE CITY COUNCIL**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The Torrance City Council convened in an adjourned regular session at 5:34 p.m. on Tuesday, June 2, 2009 in City Council Chambers at Torrance City Hall.

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Councilmembers Barnett, Brewer, Furey, Numark, Rhilinger, Sutherland, and Mayor Scotto.

Absent: None.

Also Present: City Manager Jackson, City Attorney Fellows, City Clerk Herbers, and other staff representatives.

Agenda Item 18 was considered out of order at this time.

**18. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The City Council immediately recessed to closed session to confer with the City Manager and City Attorney on agenda matters listed under 18A) Real Property – Conference with Real Property Negotiator, pursuant to California Government Code §54956.8.

The City Council reconvened at 7:03 p.m. No formal action was taken on any matter considered in closed session.

**2. FLAG SALUTE/INVOCATION**

The flag salute was led by North High School JROTC Color Guard and Sergeant Major Duran.

Councilmember Rhilinger gave the non-sectarian invocation.

**3. REPORT OF CITY CLERK ON POSTING OF THE AGENDA / MOTION TO WAIVE FURTHER READING**

City Clerk Herbers reported that the agenda was posted on the Public Notice Board at 3031 Torrance Boulevard on Thursday, May 28, 2009.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Barnett moved that after the City Clerk has read aloud the number and title to any resolution or ordinance on the meeting agenda, the further reading thereof shall be waived, reserving and guaranteeing to each Councilmember the right to demand the reading of any such resolution or ordinance in regular order. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rhilinger and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

**4. WITHDRAWN, DEFERRED OR SUPPLEMENTAL ITEMS**

City Manager Jackson announced that the hearings on Agenda Items 13A and 13B would be opened and continued to June 9.

**5. COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Fire Chief Racowski reminded the public that ExxonMobil would conduct their monthly siren alert testing on Wednesday, June 3, at approximately 11:30 a.m.

Councilmember Numark announced that the Transportation Committee would meet on Friday, June 12, at 4:00 p.m. in the Third Floor Assembly room to discuss the hybrid electric bus purchase and Torrance Transit re-branding.

Councilmember Sutherland noted that final action on the Operating Budget for FY 2009-2011 will be taken at the June 23 City Council meeting.

City Manager Jackson announced that a Strategic Plan Implementation Workshop/Hearing would be held Tuesday, June 9, at 5:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers.

Councilmember Sutherland announced that the Armed Forces Day Committee will meet on Tuesday, June 9, in the West Annex Commission Meeting Room to discuss the recent Armed Forces Day Parade and Celebration.

City Clerk Herbers invited the public to view the acrylics of Torrance Artist Guild member Penny Kastiger on view in the City Clerk's office for the month of June.

Mayor Scotto asked that the meeting be adjourned in memory of Gerald Strouse, former City fire captain and Torrance resident, who passed away May 25.

**6. COMMUNITY MATTERS**

**6A. RESOLUTION NO. 2009-50 RE MIKE WILSON**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2009-50**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE  
HONORING **MIKE WILSON** UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY  
AFTER THIRTY-SEVEN YEARS OF SERVICE

**MOTION:** Councilmember Brewer moved for the adoption of Resolution No. 2009-50. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Sutherland and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

Mayor Scotto presented the Resolution to Mike Wilson, who accepted with appreciation.

Councilmember Barnett commended Mr. Wilson for being an exemplary member of the Parks and Recreation team and wished him well in his retirement.

Community Services Director Jones also commended Mr. Wilson for showing great leadership in his position as Park Services Manager, noting that his enthusiasm and positive demeanor will be greatly missed.

**6B. RECOGNITION OF TORRANCE HIGH SCHOOL SWIM TEAM**

Mayor Scotto congratulated the Torrance High School boys swim team for winning the CIF Southern Section Division III Championship and presented certificates of recognition to Head Coach Scott Peppard and team members: Nathan Bee, Tanner Castro, David Hirotsu, Kevin Jansen, Dennis Kalthoff, David Lee, See Han Lee, Ryan McDonald, Justin Mejia, Adam Moine, Vladimir Morozov, Grant Smith, and Jordan Than.

**6C. INTRODUCTION OF SISTER CITY CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS**

Gary Yoshida, Torrance Sister City Association, provided background information about the Sister City Cultural Exchange Program and Mayor Scotto presented city pins to the following Torrance students, who will be traveling to Kashiwa, Japan this summer as part of the program: Lisa Cho, Jordan Chong, Brianna Heredia, Jeffrey Johnson, Samantha Marez, Kelley Yonezaki, and Christopher Zimmerman and their adult leader Christine Osako.

**6D. RECOGNITION OF OUTGOING TORRANCE YOUTH COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Mayor Scotto presented certificates of recognition to the following outgoing Youth Council members: Alexis Cabaero, Dhaval Dixit, Haghmeh Ghafourian, Shreyasi Ghosh, Christina Kang, Paulene Le, Anna Lee, Rosemary Liu, Bradley Moylan, Michael Ohta, Fatana Temory, and Thanh Van.

**6E. PRESENTATION BY PACIFIC GATEWAY WORKFORCE INVESTMENT NETWORK**

Bryan Rogers, Executive Director of Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network (WIN), made a brief presentation on services available to assist businesses, dislocated/ unemployed workers, and young adults. He noted that the Torrance Career Center will be opening in downtown Torrance this summer.

**7. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

**7A.** Jie Li, Torrance, expressed concerns that Falun Gong practitioners are being imprisoned in China and having their organs harvested and urged the Council to pass a resolution condemning this practice.

**7B.** Dean Reuter, president of the Del Amo Rotary Club, invited everyone to attend an exhibition soccer game on Saturday, June 6, at 10:00 a.m. at Columbia Park. He noted that AYSO began in Torrance in 1964 and the Rotary Club hopes to commemorate this with a plaque at some point in the future.

**7C.** Carl Kaemerle, Torrance, noted that he participated in AYSO in his youth and was pleased that the Rotary Club was making an effort to commemorate its founders.

**8. CONSENT CALENDAR**

**8A. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the City Clerk that City Council approve the City Council minutes of March 24 and April 7, 2009.

**8B. AGREEMENT FOR SUB-LEASE OF CITY-OWNED PROPERTY**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the City Manager that City Council authorize a Non Disturbance agreement with Beverages and More, Inc., a Delaware corporation, for property leased to Rolling Hills Plaza, LLC, a California limited liability company on City-owned property located at Crenshaw Boulevard and Pacific Coast Highway known as Rolling Hills Shopping Center.

**8C. APRIL 2009 MONTHLY INVESTMENT REPORT**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the City Treasurer that City Council accept and file the monthly investment report for April 2009.

**8D. PURCHASE OF 2009 HONDA ACCORD SEDANS**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the General Services Director that City Council:

- 1) Authorize a purchase order to Scott Robinson Honda of Torrance, CA in the amount of \$79,676.07 including sales tax and tire fees, to furnish three (3) 2009 Honda Accord EX Sedans (w/V6 Engine) (B2009-22); and
- 2) Appropriate \$79,676.07 from the Fleet Services Vehicle and Equipment Replacement Fund.

**8E. CONTRACT FOR BOILER REPLACEMENT**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the General Services Director that City Council award a contract to DC Danco Air Conditioning, Inc. for \$68,597 with a 5% contingency of \$3,430 for the replacement of boilers at the Cultural Arts Center and Katy Geissert Civic Center Library (B2009-15) and approve a 10% project management fee of \$6,860.

**8F. BUDGET TRANSFERS FOR REHABILITATION PROJECTS**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Public Works Director that City Council:

- 1) Approve a budget transfer in the amount of \$867,353 of Surface Transportation Program-Local federal funds from the Hawthorne Boulevard Rehabilitation, T-45 to the Torrance Boulevard Rehabilitation, T-43/44; and
- 2) Approve a budget transfer in the amount of \$867,353 of Gas Tax funds from the Torrance Boulevard Rehabilitation, T-43/44 to the Hawthorne Boulevard Rehabilitation, T-45.

**8G. ACCEPTANCE/APPROPRIATION OF DEVELOPER FUNDS FOR TORRANCE BOULEVARD REHABILITATION**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Public Works Director that City Council

- 1) Accept a check from Providence Health System, Southern California in the amount of \$215,000 for traffic improvements on Torrance Boulevard at the intersections of Henrietta Street and Anza Avenue and appropriate these funds to the Torrance Boulevard Rehabilitation Project, T-43/44; and
- 2) Approve Change Order No. 3 to public works agreement with Sully Miller Contracting Co. (C2008-180) in the amount of \$215,000 to perform said traffic improvements on Torrance Boulevard.

**8H. FEE AMENDMENT FOR LEGAL SERVICES RE 465 CRENSHAW BLVD.**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the City Attorney that City Council approve the second amendment to fee agreement with the law firm of Garrett DeFrenza Stiepel (C2008-185) to provide legal services to the City in connection with the proposed purchase of the 465 Crenshaw Boulevard site for an additional \$30,000 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$69,000.

**8I. FINANCIAL AND NARRATIVE REPORTS FOR 2008 NON-PROFIT SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCY GRANT RECIPIENTS**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Parks and Recreation Commission and the Community Services Director that City Council:

- 1) Accept and file the Financial and Narrative Reports of completed projects for the 2008 Non-Profit Social Services Agency Grant Recipients; and,
- 2) Approve the proposed reallocation of \$1,530 in unused funds from New Life Advocacy's 2008 Grant to be used in the 2010 Grant Program.

**8J. CONTRACT FOR WILSON PARK POND RESTORATION PROJECT**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Community Services Director that City Council:

- 1) Approve a contract with Clean Harbors Environmental Services in the amount of \$18,498.24 for the removal and disposal of the remaining sludge, rocks, and cement rings included in the clean-up phase of the Wilson Park Pond Restoration Project; and
- 2) Approve a contract with Sea-Clear Pools, Inc., in the amount of \$28,987 for improvements to the pond pump system, skimmer system, and fountains included in the repair phase of the Wilson Park Pond Restoration Project.

**8K. AGREEMENT AMENDMENT FOR TREE TRIMMING AND REMOVAL**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Community Services Director that City Council approve an amendment to the agreement with Travers Tree Service (C2005-212) increasing the annual contract amount by \$12,370 for the second year of the three year contract, for a new not to exceed amount of \$162,370.

**8L. AGREEMENT FOR TEMPORARY LEASE OF GROUNDWATER RIGHTS**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Public Works Director that City Council approve an agreement to temporarily lease 600 acre-feet of water rights to the Tesoro Refining and Marketing Company, Incorporated, a Delaware Corporation, at \$125 per acre-foot during the 2008-2009 fiscal year.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Furey moved for the approval of Consent Calendar Items 8A through 8L. the motion was seconded by Councilmember Numark and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

**12. ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS**

**12A. RESOLUTION MODIFYING SALARY/BENEFITS FOR FIRE DIVISION CHIEF**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the City Manager that City Council adopt a Resolution amending Safety Management Employees Resolution No. 2009-30 setting forth hours, wages and working conditions for the Fire Division Chief for the pay period beginning May 24, 2009.

Assistant to the City Manager Chaparyan noted that this Resolution was a companion item to the already approved Resolution for the Torrance Fire Chief Officers Association.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Barnett moved to concur with the staff recommendation. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rhlinger and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

**RESOLUTION NO. 2009-51**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE  
AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2009-30 SETTING FORTH CHANGES  
REGARDING THE WAGES FOR SAFETY MANAGEMENT EMPLOYEES (FIRE  
DIVISION CHIEF)

**MOTION:** Councilmember Brewer moved for the adoption of Resolution No. 2009-51. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Sutherland and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

**12B. CONTRACT FOR NEW TELEPHONE AND VOICEMAIL SYSTEM**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Information Technology Director that City Council:

- 1) Authorize a professional services contract with Nexus IS, Inc. of Valencia, CA. to purchase, install, and maintain a new telephone and voicemail system for a cost of \$1,322,671, plus a 5% contingency fee of \$66,134, for a not to exceed amount of \$1,388,805;
- 2) Approve an additional appropriation of \$706,087 from the Telephone Replacement Fund; and
- 3) Approve a modification to the original scope of FEAP #174 (Telephone and Voicemail System Replacement project) to include the purchase, installation, and maintenance of fiber optic cable throughout the City Hall campus. Project was originally funded for \$1,185,000 from Telephone Replacement Fund.

With the aid of slides, Ernest Gallo, Information Technology Division, reviewed the proposal to replace the City's telephone and voicemail system.

Responding to questions from the Council, Mr. Gallo reported that the new system is expected to save the City \$60,000 a year in maintenance costs; that the system has a predicted useful life of 10 years; and that installation of the fiber optic cable will begin later this summer and the system is expected to be functional by the end of the year. He confirmed that phone numbers will remain the same and explained that all handsets will be replaced because new display features will not function on older models.

Information Technology Director Shigaki clarified that the total cost of the project is \$1,891,087 (telephone and voice mail system - \$1,388,805/fiber optic and copper cable infrastructure - \$502,282). He explained that existing conduit will be used for the new fiber optic cable; that the contractor will be selected via the competitive bid process; and that the contract will be brought back for the Council's approval. He noted that the new system was designed to be flexible as new technology is developed.

Finance Director Tsao advised that funding has been set aside in the Capital Budget - Telephone Replacement Fund on an annual basis to cover this expense.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Barnett moved to concur with the staff recommendation. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rhlinger and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

## **12C. RESOLUTION CREATING CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

### **Recommendation**

Recommendation of the City Manager that City Council:

- 1) Adopt a Resolution creating a Centennial Committee to plan and recommend events for the City of Torrance 100th anniversary for a fixed term and provide for the appointment of its members, power and duties; and
- 2) Set the date of August 18, 2009 the Committee members are appointed.

Management Associate Jones reported that the proposed Resolution enables the creation of the Centennial Committee as approved at the May 19, 2009 City Council meeting. She noted that correspondence from a Torrance resident was received requesting that the Council consider increasing the number of absences that would be allowed before a committee member is terminated from three to six because the committee will be meeting for a period of over three years.

A brief discussion ensued, and it was the consensus of the Council to establish the same rules for absences as applies to City commissions.

Mayor Scotto recommended that the date for appointing Committee members be changed to August 25, 2009 because the Council will be dark on August 18. He briefly reviewed the selection process.

City Clerk Herbers noted that the deadline for submitting an application is Tuesday, August 4, 2009.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Barnett moved to concur with the staff recommendation, changing the appointment date to August 25 and amending the policy on absences to conform with the policy for City commissions. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rhilinger and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

**RESOLUTION NO. 2009-52**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE  
CREATING A CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE TO PLAN AND RECOMMEND  
EVENTS FOR A FIXED TERM AND PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF  
ITS MEMBERS AND ITS POWER AND DUTIES

**MOTION:** Councilmember Brewer moved for the adoption of Resolution No. 2009-52 as amended. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Sutherland and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

The Redevelopment Agency meeting was called to order at 9:00 p.m.

**13. HEARINGS**

Agenda Items 13A and 13b were considered together.

**13A. FIRST PUBLIC WORKSHOP/HEARING ON PROPOSED FY 2009-2011 OPERATING BUDGET**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Finance Director that City Council open the first public hearing and budget workshop on the City of Torrance proposed two-year operating budget for fiscal years 2009-2011.

**13B. PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED USER FEES**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Finance Director that City Council conduct a public hearing to adopt a Resolution authorizing the actions setting user fees indexed to the Consumer price Index for Urban Wage Earners & Clerical Workers (CPI-W) May to May for certain services of the Community Development, Community Services, General Services, Fire, and Police departments.

The public workshop/hearings were opened and continued to the June 9 City Council meeting with final action to be taken on June 23.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Barnett moved to continue Items 13A and 13B to June 9, 2009. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rhilinger and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

**13C. PRE08-00033: 428 VIA MESA GRANDE – PAUL AND STEPHANIE THOMAS**

**Recommendation**

Recommendation of the Planning Commission and the Community Development Director that City Council:

- 1) Deny the appeal and approve the project; and

- 2) Adopt a Resolution approving a Precise Plan of Development to allow single story additions and interior renovations to an existing one-story single-family residence on property located within the Hillside Overlay District in the R-1 Zone at 428 Via Mesa Grande.

Mayor Scotto announced that this was the time and place for a public hearing on this matter. City Clerk Herbers confirmed that the hearing was properly advertised.

With the aid of slides, Planning Manager Lodan briefly reviewed the proposed project and shared photographs taken from various vantage points in the neighborhood. He reported that the Planning Commission originally considered the project on April 1, 2009; that the hearing was continued so the silhouette could be lowered six inches to more accurately reflect the plans; and that the Commission voted to approve the project on April 15, 2009 by a vote of 5-0.

In response to Councilmember Brewer's inquiry, Planning Manager Lodan advised that rooms will have a plate height of 8'6".

Paul Thomas, 428 Via Mesa Grande, applicant, stated that the only objections to the project are related to view impact, however, he does not believe it would have an adverse impact on views. Using photographs to illustrate, he noted that the one-story project is only slightly taller than the existing residence; that homes to the rear claiming view impact are at a significantly higher elevation; and that the new ridge line matches that of homes across the street. He explained that he and his wife purchased the home in 2002 with plans of adding a second story but rejected that idea because they recognized it would impact homes to the rear and came up instead with a very modest addition they thought no one would object to. He reported that he made an effort to share his plans with neighbors, but none of them contacted him to discuss their objections to the project.

Elaine Hern, 429 Via la Soledad, appellant, reported that at the April 15 Planning Commission hearing, staff had recommended that the pitch of the roof be changed from 3.75:12 to 3:12 in order to lower the overall height of the project, however the Planning Commission ignored this recommendation. She contended that the roof pitch should be modified in accordance with staff's recommendation in order to satisfy the requirement in the Hillside Ordinance that a project be designed to cause the least intrusion on surrounding properties.

Jennifer Johnson, 433 Via la Soledad, appellant, voiced objections to the project, estimating that it would block 20% of the view from the first floor of her home. She expressed concerns that another project on Via Mesa Grande was constructed one foot higher than the approved height and the project was subsequently approved as-built due to the expense involved in correcting the error. She stated that she did not appreciate the threat made by the applicant at the Planning Commission hearing to plant trees to block her view if the project was not approved.

Councilmember Numark asked about safeguards to ensure that projects are constructed at the approved height. Planning Manager Lodan advised that a project's height must be certified prior to the installation of the roof and if it exceeds the approved height, the applicant must either reconstruct the roof or seek relief from the Planning Commission via approval of a Modification.

Councilmember Numark reported that he visited the subject property and the appellants' properties and observed some blockage of ocean views between houses and trees from Ms. Johnson's home and asked about her perception of the view blockage.

Ms. Johnson maintained that the project would greatly obstruct the view from the area of the house where she spends most of her time and urged the Council to enforce the Hillside Ordinance and protect her view.

At Mayor Scotto's request, Planning Manager Lodan provided clarification regarding staff's recommendation at the April 15 Planning Commission hearing that the roof pitch be modified. He explained that staff recommended changing the roof pitch from 3.75:12 to 3:12, which would reduce the overall height of the project approximately 1'5", however, Planning Commissioners did not observe significant view impacts and felt the height reduction was unnecessary.

Councilmember Sutherland reported that he viewed the silhouette from the top of the hill in Mr. Thomas's backyard, which is approximately two feet lower in elevation than Ms. Johnson's property, and he observed that only a small portion of the ocean view was obstructed between two homes and estimated the view loss to be only about 5%.

Returning to the podium, Mr. Thomas stated that he believed Councilmember Sutherland's assessment of Ms. Johnson's view loss was accurate and requested that the Council approve the project as proposed.

Mayor Scotto asked if he had discussed the possibility of changing the roof pitch with his architect. Mr. Thomas responded that he had not and expressed concerns that lowering the pitch would affect the vaulted ceilings and reduce storage space in the attic.

Councilmember Furey questioned whether Mr. Thomas would agree to reduce the roof pitch in accordance with staff's recommendation to gain the Council's approval of the project.

Mr. Thomas stated that he would agree to do so, but he did not believe it was the appropriate solution.

Councilmember Brewer related his understanding that the appellants would be satisfied with an 8-inch height reduction and indicated that he could approve the project as submitted because he did not observe a great impact on views.

Responding to questions from the Council regarding the home at 406 Via Mesa Grande that was built one foot taller than the approved height, Planning Manager Lodan explained that the error was discovered during the construction process and the project was shut down until the matter was considered by the Planning Commission and a Modification was approved. He noted that neighbors within a 500-foot radius were notified of the hearing and no one appealed the decision.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Barnett moved to close the public hearing. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rhilinger and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

Councilmember Rhilinger stated that she did not observe the view loss at Ms. Johnson's home to be 20%, however, she did not believe the project was designed to cause the least intrusion and favored requiring the roof pitch to be modified in accordance with staff's recommendation. She expressed confidence that City inspectors would make sure that the home is constructed at the approved height.

Mayor Scotto indicated that he also favored requiring the roof pitch to be lowered because it would improve the view for the neighbors to the rear without significantly changing the project.

**MOTION:** Councilmember Furey moved to deny the appeal and approve the project, adding a condition that the roof pitch shall be reduced to 3:12. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rhilinger and passed by unanimous roll call vote.

Deputy City Attorney Sullivan advised that Resolutions reflecting the Council's action would be brought back for approval at a later date.

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The City Council reconvened as the Redevelopment Agency from 10:30 p.m. to 10:31 p.m.

**17. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS #2**

**17A.** Councilmember Brewer announced that residents may dispose of household hazardous waste and e-waste at American Honda, 1919 Torrance Boulevard, on Saturday, June 6, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**17B.** Councilmember Brewer invited the public to attend the City Yard Open House on Saturday, June 6, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at 20500 Madrona Avenue.

**17C.** Councilmember Brewer requested that staff explore the possibility of allowing the public to park in employee parking on the west side of City Hall after 6:00 p.m. in order to provide additional parking for Council and Commission meetings.

**17D.** Councilmember Furey encouraged attendance at City of Torrance Day at Dodger Stadium on Sunday, June 7.

**17E.** Councilmember Numark noted that the City's proposed operating budget for FY 2009-2011, which will be discussed at next week's Council meeting, is available on the City's website.

**17F.** Councilmember Numark announced that the City will be hosting a blood drive on Tuesday, June 9, from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the Ken Miller auditorium and appointments can be scheduled at [www.givelife.org](http://www.givelife.org).

**17G.** Councilmember Numark noted that "Oodles of Noodles" will be held in the Torino Plaza of the Cultural Arts Center on Sunday, June 7, and that the South Bay Ballet will be performing in the Armstrong Theatre later that afternoon.

