



# COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES COMMISSION FOR PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES

12860 Crossroads Parkway South, City of Industry, CA 91746 - (562) 908-8669  
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## PSS COMMISSION MEETING

Thursday, July 20, 2023



**Location #1: Exposition Park District**

3833 S. Vermont Avenue, 3rd Floor Conference Room B  
Los Angeles, CA 90037

**Location #2: Manhattan Beach Library**

1320 Highland Avenue Room B  
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

**Location #3: ElHessen Home Office**

9433 Ives Street  
Bellflower, CA 90706

**10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

Commissioners ElHessen & Pearson are attending under traditional teleconference rules at alternative meeting locations.

**Agenda Posted: July 13, 2023**

**THE PUBLIC MAY ATTEND VIRTUALLY, CALL-IN or in PERSON.**

**VIRTUAL ACCESS THROUGH MICROSOFT TEAMS**

MEETING ID: 267 014 516 538

PASSCODE: vgmHBU

CALL IN (AUDIO ONLY): 1 (323) 776-6996

PHONE CONFERENCE ID: 857 640 647#

The opportunity for members of the public to provide comments to the Commission will be recognized – virtually, call-in, email and in-person under item 3.0.

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Commission for Public Social Services  
12860 Crossroads Parkway South, Room 117  
City of Industry, CA 91746  
Attn: La France Toliver, Executive Director

Written public comment should be submitted no later than 5:00 p.m. the day before the scheduled meeting. Please include the Agenda Item and meeting date in your correspondence. Correspondence received shall become part of the official record.

**"To Enrich Lives Through Effective and Caring Service"**

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**COMMISSION STAFF**

**Executive Director**  
LA FRANCE TOLIVER  
**Commission Secretary**  
TINA PHAN

**ITEM #**    **DESCRIPTION**

**1.0**            **CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL / ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM**

**2.0**            **REVIEW AND APPROVE JUNE 18, 2023, MEETING MINUTES**

[June 15, 2023 Meeting Minutes.pdf](#)

**3.0**            **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Adele Andrade Stadler, Chairperson (3 mins per person or as directed by the Chair.)

- Non-Agenda Items: In-person / Virtual / Call In
- Agenda Items: In-person / Virtual / Call In

[07.20.23 Request to Address the Commission.pdf](#)

**4.0**            **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Jackie Contreras, Ph.D., Director

**5.0**            **CONTINUED BUSINESS**

**Presentation:** Aging and Disabilities Department  
Laura Trejo, Ph.D., Director

**Presentation:** Personal Assistance Services Council (PASC)  
Greg Thompson, Executive Director

**Presentation:** Bureau of Special Operations, DPSS  
Nick Ippolito, Assistant Director

**6.0**            **CHAIR'S REPORT**

**7.0**            **ADJOURNMENT**

The Month of August is Dark.    **Next Meeting:** September 21, 2023

**Other Document Links:**

Virtual Meeting Instructions: [VIRTUAL MEETING LOGIN INSTRUCTIONS 01.19.pdf](#)

Legislative Report June 2023:

DPSS At a Glance Report - June 2023:

**Supporting Documentation:** Supporting documentation is available at the Commission for Public Social Services Office, 12860 Crossroads Parkway South Room 117, City of Industry, CA 91746, (562) 908-8669 and may be available on the Commission page: <https://dpss.lacounty.gov/en/about/pss.html>

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