



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, January 18, 2024

Location #1: Exposition Park District
3833 S. Vermont Avenue, 3rd Floor Conference Room B
Los Angeles, CA 90037

Location #2: ElHessen Home Office
9433 Ives Street
Bellflower, CA 90706

Location #3: Porter Ranch Library
11371 Tampa Ave
Porter Ranch, CA 91326

Location #4: Andrade-Stadler Home Office
2956 West Shorb Street
Alhambra, CA 91803

Location #5: Manhattan Library
1320 Highland Avenue Room B
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

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ADELE ANDRADE-STADLER

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Executive Director
LA FRANCE TOLIVER
Commission Secretary
VACANT

Commissioners ElHessen, Kalaydjian, Pearson and Andrade-Stadler are attending under traditional teleconference rules at alternative meeting locations.

Agenda Posted: January 11, 2024

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

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MEETING ID: **235 645 879 978**

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Written public comment can be submitted by e-mail to PSS_Commission@dpss.lacounty.gov or mail to:

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. Correspondence received shall become part of the official record

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ITEM # **DESCRIPTION**

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

2.0 **REVIEW AND APPROVE NOVEMBER 16, 2023, MEETING MINUTES**

[November 16, 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

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

4.0 **DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Jackie Contreras, Ph.D., Director

5.0 **NEW BUSINESS**

GOAL 5: Evaluate Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants (CAPI) and Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA) Programs to improve performance and administrative supportive services for immigrants.

- Presentation: Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants (CAPI)
Regina Adkins-Williams, Human Services Administrator III
GR Program Section
- Presentation: Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA) Program
Noemi Castro, Human Services Administrator III
CalWORKs Program Section
- Presentation: Medi-Cal Expansion
Jose Martinez, Human Services Administrator II In-Charge
Medi-Cal Program Section

6.0 **CHAIR'S REPORT**

Adopt a Family Update

7.0 **ADJOURNMENT**

Next Meeting: Thursday, February 15, 2024

Other Document Links:

- Virtual Meeting Instructions: [VIRTUAL MEETING LOGIN INSTRUCTIONS 1.18.24.pdf](#)
- DPSS At a Glance Report - November 2023: [..\..\2024 PSS Commission Meetings\January\DPSS At-A-Glance November2023.pdf](#)
- Legislative Report: [..\..\2024 PSS Commission Meetings\January\DPSS Legislative Report January 2024.pdf](#)

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