



Commission for the Prevention of Violence  
Against Women (CPVAW)  
Regular Meeting  
**AGENDA**  
**Wednesday, May 4, 2016 • 6:45 p.m.**  
Council Chambers, 809 Center Street/Santa Cruz

**Call to Order**

**Roll Call:** Voting Members: Chair Greenburg; Vice Chair Queen; Commissioners Fullum-Campbell, Guzman, Newman, Thurman, and Tobisch

Absent with Notification:

Other Members: Teen Representatives Risa Mykland

Staff: Santa Cruz Police Liaison Escalante; Scott Collins, Assistant to the City Manager and Acting CPVAW Staff

The Chair may announce and set time limits at the beginning of each agenda item.

**Presentation:** None

**Statements of Disqualification:** None

**Oral Communications** – A time for members of the public to speak to Commissioners about items not on the agenda. (3 minutes per speaker - No action may be taken.)

**Announcements** – (No action may be taken.)

- Announcements by Chair:
- Other Commission Member Announcements:
- Teen Representatives:
- Staff Announcements:
  - Thank you Letter from the Diversity Center
  - Women's & Girl's Self-Defense Classes
  - Safety Skills and Self-Defense Curriculum

**Approval of Minutes**

1. Minutes of March 2, 2016

RECOMMENDATION: Approve, by motion, the minutes from the regular meeting of March 2, 2016 as submitted.

**General Business**

1. Process for Timely Responses to Invitations, Funding Requests, and Other Issues

RECOMMENDATION: That CPVAW members review and amend the CPVAW Procedure for Timely Responses to Requests that includes responding timely to invitations, funding requests, conferences, and other items given the CPVAW meeting schedule, and, by motion take action as necessary.

2. Request for Funding to Purchase Coasters

RECOMMENDATION: That CPVAW members discuss purchasing coasters, and, by motion, approve funding in FY 2016 not to exceed \$1,000.

3. 9-1-1- Dispatcher Appreciation

RECOMMENDATION: That CPVAW members discuss designating a gift for the Santa Cruz Regional 9-1-1 Dispatch Center to show the CPVAW's appreciation for the dispatchers' work at being the first line of defense for women seeking help in domestic violence or sexual assault situations, and, by motion, approve the expenditure for the gift from the FY 2016 budget.

**Information Items** – (No action shall be taken on these items.) – None

**Committee Reports** – (No action shall be taken on these items.)

AD HOC COMMITTEES:

- Police Report Review (Greenburg, Tobisch, and Thurman)
- Engaging the Bystander (Queen, Tobisch, and new Commissioner)
- Homeless Women and Transgender Safety (Greenburg, Queen, and Fullum-Campbell)
- Sexual Assault Awareness Month (Thurman, Newman, and Fullum-Campbell)
- One Billion Rising (Thurman and Queen)
- Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month (Newman and Teen Representative)
- Domestic Violence Awareness Month (Newman, Queen, and Fullum-Campbell)
- Annual Report (Newman and Tobisch)

STANDING COMMITTEE

Police Committee: Next meeting: TBD

**Items Initiated by Members for Future Agendas**

**Adjournment**

The Commission for the Prevention of Violence Against Women will adjourn from the regular meeting of Wednesday, May 4, 2016 to the next *regularly* scheduled meeting on August 3, 2016 at 6:45 p.m. in the Santa Cruz City Council Chambers/809 Center Street/Santa Cruz, CA 95060.

**Appeals**

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