



**AGENDA
SENIOR CITIZENS' COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF MORENO VALLEY**

**REGULAR MEETING
SEPTEMBER 21, 2026 - 3:00 P.M.**

**MORENO VALLEY SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER
25075 FIR AVENUE
MORENO VALLEY, CA 92553**

Hazel Lambert, Chairperson
Reta Butler, Vice Chairperson
Deborah Elkins, Commissioner
Martha Mieses, Commissioner
Pauline Moya, Commissioner
Robert Snyder, Commissioner
Tina Escano, Alternate Commissioner

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REGULAR MEETING**

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

C. ROLL CALL

D. MOTION TO EXCUSE ABSENCES

E. PUBLIC COMMENTS

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F. CONSENT CALENDAR

All items listed on the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine and non-controversial and may be approved by a single vote of the Commission. However, an item may, at the request of a Commissioner, be pulled from the Consent Calendar for separate discussion or a separate vote. Items pulled from the Consent Calendar shall be heard after the Commission takes action on the remaining items on the Consent Calendar.

F1. ADOPTION OF SENIOR CITIZENS' COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES OF JUNE 15, 2026.

G. ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT CALENDAR FOR SEPARATE DISCUSSION OR SEPARATE ACTION

H. ACTION ITEMS

- H1. SELECTION OF CHAIR & VICE CHAIR**
- H2. DISSOLVE 4TH OF JULY – PARADE ENTRY – AD HOC COMMITTEE**

I. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- I1. COMMISSION POLO & NAME TAG**
- I2. SECRET SANTA FOR A SENIOR**
- I3. CITIZENS' ACADEMY**

J. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA WITHIN THE SUBJECT MATTER JURISDICTION OF THE SENIOR CITIZENS' COMMISSION.

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K. ORAL REPORTS

- K1. 4th OF JULY – PARADE ENTRY – AD HOC COMMITTEE**
- K2. SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER REPORT**
- K3. DEPARTMENT REPORT**

L. CLOSING COMMENTS AND/OR REPORTS

- L1. PARKS AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT STAFF**
- L2. SENIOR CITIZENS' COMMISSIONERS**
- L3. NEXT SENIOR CITIZENS' COMMISSION MEETING: OCTOBER 19, 2026**

M. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

N. ADJOURNMENT

CERTIFICATION OF POSTING

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City of Moreno Valley
14177 Frederick Street
- **Moreno Valley Library**
25480 Alessandro Boulevard
- **Moreno Valley Senior/Community Center**
25075 Fir Avenue

Posted by: [Valerie Villalpando], [Senior Management Analyst]

Date: [September 17, 2026]



**CITY OF MORENO VALLEY
SENIOR CITIZENS' COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
JUNE 15, 2026**

A. CALL TO ORDER

The scheduled meeting of the City of Moreno Valley Senior Citizens' Commission was called to order at 3:02 p.m. at the Moreno Valley Senior Center, by Chairperson Lambert.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairperson Lambert.

C. ROLL CALL

Hazel Lambert, Chairperson	Present
Reta Butler, Vice Chairperson	Present
Deborah Elkins, Commissioner	Present
Martha Mieles, Commissioner	Present
Pauline Moya, Commissioner	Present
Robert Snyder, Commissioner	Present
Tina Escano, Alternate Commissioner	Absent

Council Liaison/Staff:
Ed Delgado, Council Member
Nikki Hendricks, Community Services Division Manager
Rudy Rodriguez, Parks & Community Services Supervisor
Kimberly Reeder, Senior Management Analyst, Recording Secretary

D. MOTION TO EXCUSE ABSENCES

NONE

E. PUBLIC COMMENT ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA

NONE

F. CONSENT CALENDAR

F1. ADOPTION OF SENIOR CITIZENS' COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES OF MAY 18, 2026.

RESULT: APPROVED
MOVED BY: SNYDER
SECOND BY: MIELES
YES: LAMBERT, BUTLER, ELKINS, MIELES, MOYA, SNYDER
NO: NONE
ABSTAIN: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
VACANCY: NONE

G. ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT CALENDAR FOR SEPARATE DISCUSSION OR SEPARATE ACTION

NONE

H. ACTION ITEMS

NONE

I. DISCUSSION ITEMS

NONE

J. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA

NONE

K. ORAL REPORTS

K1. 4TH OF JULY – PARADE ENTRY – AD HOC COMMITTEE

Commissioner Snyder shared that the Ad Hoc Committee has been meeting, the parade entry form and narrative have been submitted, and he will provide the vehicle. Staff Liaison Hendricks will provide banners for the vehicle.

Commissioner Moya shared that she reached out to more than 15 instructors and invited them to participate in the parade entry.

K2. SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER REPORT

K3. DEPARTMENT REPORT

L. CLOSING COMMENTS

Council Member Delgado thanked the Commission and staff for their time and work and wished everyone a safe and cool summer.

Staff Liaison Hendricks wished everyone a fun, safe, and cool summer. She hoped to see everyone at the 4th of July event and shared that she planned to visit the parade entry and take photos of the Commission.

Staff Liaison Rodriguez shared that the Senior Center would remain busy throughout the summer.

Recording Secretary Reeder wished everyone a great summer and reminded everyone to wear sunscreen.

Commissioner Snyder shared that three seats remained available in his vehicle for the 4th of July Parade entry and that he hoped to attend the Grill & Chill Barbecue. He also inquired about Alternate Commissioner Escano's meeting attendance and whether outreach had been made to her.

Commissioner Miele wished everyone a great summer and hoped to see everyone at the 4th of July Parade. She also shared that she is participating in the City's Citizens Academy and had the opportunity to serve as Mayor during a mock City Council meeting.

Chairperson Lambert wished everyone a happy, safe, and cool summer and thanked the Commission and staff for their work.

Vice Chairperson Butler reiterated wishes for a good summer and expressed interest in a Senior Center outdoor picnic.

Commissioner Elkins thanked the Commission and staff for their work and said she would miss everyone over the summer.

Commissioner Moya inquired about the anticipated completion of the Senior Center expansion, supported the idea of a senior picnic, and wished everyone a fun and cool summer with a reminder to wear sunscreen.

M. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

NONE

N. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 4:02 p.m. by Chairperson Lambert. Next meeting is scheduled for September 21, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. at the Moreno Valley Senior Center.

Submitted by:

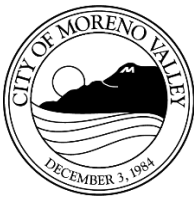
Rudy Rodriguez
Community Services
Supervisor

Recorded by:

Kimberly Reeder
Recording Secretary

Approved by:

Hazel Lambert
Chairperson



Report to Senior Citizens Commission

TO: Senior Citizens Commission

FROM: Rudy Rodriguez, Community Services Supervisor

AGENDA DATE: September 21, 2026

TITLE: **SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION REPORT**

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Staff recommend that the Senior Citizens Commission receive and file this program update.

SUMMARY

- Senior Center attendance August 2026: 4,751, averaging 226 per day. July, 4,892, June, 4,781.
- Senior Center membership end of August 2026: 6,239
- Meals delivered in August 2026: 2,800 meals to 400 seniors, averaging 100 seniors per week.
- Hot lunches served August 2026: 3,177, averaging 151 per day. July 2,947, June 2,665.
- FSA continues to distribute take-home meals on weekends for seniors.
- Feeding America distributed (257) food boxes of non-perishable food on September 10, 248 boxes on August 13 & 253 boxes on July 9. Senior Center continues to lead the I.E. in the number of boxes distributed to seniors.
- The Senior Center expansion project has resumed. Updates will be shared as available.
- The Center will operate as a cooling center when temperatures go above 97 degrees.
- The Center's banquet room continues to average two banquet rentals a month, two church rentals every Sunday, and two classroom rentals weekly.
- Healthcare agencies continue to be on-site, answering any healthcare questions.
- Friends continue to provide free shuttle service to seniors for all medical and grocery needs as well as free coffee.
- Haircuts continue to be full at the senior center every Tuesday. Appointment required.
- Translation headsets are available for all meetings if needed. Lead time request must be 72 hours.
- CPR classes have resumed, and the signup sheet is available at the front counter.
- Be sure to check out more details on all our events, programs, and resources with our...
 - Moreno Valley Senior Center Soaring Guide, the latest is available in the flyer display in the hallway.
 - Moreno Valley Soaring, available at the front counter.
 - Ads on our monitor in the lobby continue to be updated. QR code available.

Recent Programs & Events

- Med-Options Healthcare: Senior Center lobby every Tuesday, 12:00 - 1:00 pm.
- Haircuts: Available every other Tuesday of the month 8:00 am - 12:30 pm.

- Notary: Available every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm.
- July:
 - July 9 - Feeding America, 253 boxes distributed.
 - July 14 - Senior Center Townhall Meeting, 45 seniors in attendance.
- August:
 - August 7 - Senior Center Rummage Sale, 19 tables were on hand available for merchandise.
 - August 13 - Feeding America, 248 boxes distributed.
 - August 14 - Senior Center Health Fair, 15 health care agencies attended.
 - August 27 - Senior Center Casino Royale event, Seniors enjoyed light snacks & refreshments along with 5 gaming tables.
- September:
 - September 1 - Casino Trip - 56 seniors went on a chartered bus to Fantasy Springs Casino.
 - September 7 - Senior Center was closed in observance of the holiday.
 - September 8 - Senior Center Townhall Meeting, 47 seniors in attendance.
 - September 10 - Feeding America, 257 boxes distributed.

Upcoming Programs & Events

- Med-Options Healthcare: Senior Center lobby every Tuesday, 12:00 pm. - 1:00 pm.
- Haircuts: Available every other Tuesday of the month, 8:00 am - 12:30 pm.
 - An appointment is needed.
- Notary; Available every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm.
 - No appointment is needed.
- September:
 - September 21 - Senior Citizens Commission Meeting, 3:00 pm.
 - September 24 - International Day Event, 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
- October
 - October 8 - Feeding America - 9:00 am. - 11:00 am. This non-perishable Drive-Thru Food Distribution will take place at the Conference & Recreation Center. Gates open at 8:00 am.
 - October 19 – Senior Citizens Commission Meeting, 3:00 pm.
 - October 29 – Halloween Bash Event, 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm.