

EDUCATION AND PREVENTION COMMITTEE

Meeting Summary – April 13, 2022

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Cruz Baca, Tony Bell, Joseph Essavi, Jack Hadjinian, Jeremiah Hart, Lou La Monte, Tonya McKenzie, Sharona R. Nazarian, Mark Ryan, Monica Sanchez, Johng Ho Song, Jerry G. Velasco and, Wendie Warwick

GUEST REGISTER: Jewel Forbes

MATERIALS DISTRIBUTED: Education and Prevention Committee April 2022 Agenda;
Education and Prevention Committee March 2022 Minutes – Draft

Topic	Discussion/Finding	Recommendations, Action, Follow-up
1. Welcome and Introductions	Education and Prevention Committee Chair Cruz Baca, County of Los Angeles, to the Commission on Alcohol and Other Drugs (CAOD) Education and Prevention Committee convened the meeting at 12:33 p.m.	
2. Approval of Minutes	<p>Quorum now present.</p> <p>Commission Chair Cruz Baca asked for a motion to accept the minutes for the April 2022 meeting.</p>	<p>Chair Cruz Baca entertained a motion which was moved to approve by Com. Lou La Monte seconded by Com. Mark Ryan Motion was carried with 1 abstention by Comm. Tonya Mckenzie.</p>
3. Discussion	<p>Jewel Forbes, Project Director II of Community Health and Safe Schools for Los Angeles County Office of Education discussed the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LACOE Program • Statistics for students served • School Districts within Los Angeles County • LACOE Community Health and Safe Schools • LACOE Wellness Program • Student Substance Use During the Pandemic • Schools and Educators roles • Whole School Approach • Data Review • Partnership 	
4. Comments from Commissioners on Items of Interest	No comments.	

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5. Public Comments (Comments from the Public on Items of Interest within the Commission's Subject Matter Jurisdiction)	No public comments.	
6. Adjourn to the next meeting of the Commission	Meeting was adjourned at 1:03 p.m.	

Next meeting: May 11, 2022

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