



Peace and Justice Commission

PEACE & JUSTICE COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA

Monday, December 6, 2010

7:00 p.m.

North Berkeley Senior Center, 1901 Hearst Avenue, Berkeley, CA

The Peace & Justice Commission may take action related to any subject listed on the Agenda.

SECTION A. PRELIMINARY MATTERS

1. Roll Call
2. Announcements
3. Comments from the Public (*subject to time limits applicable to all speakers as necessary*)
4. Establishing the 2011 Calendar Year Meeting Schedule

SECTION B. REPORTS AND OTHER COMMISSION BUSINESS

5. Nuclear Free Berkeley Act Subcommittee (Commission Maran)
 - a) Subcommittee recommendation to approve a requested waiver of the NFBA involving a Transportation Grant and resultant contract with UC Berkeley
 - b) Update on recent Library Board action on approval of contract with vendor to replace 3M
6. Ad-Hoc Subcommittee Report on Oppressive States (Commissioner Lippman)
7. Ad-Hoc Education Subcommittee Report: Further discussion and possible action on additional Community Forums on local peace and justice issues (Commissioner Nicely)
8. Sweat-Free Berkeley Subcommittee: Report and Update (Commissioner Bohn)
9. UN Reports Subcommittee (Commissioner Bohn)

SECTION C. ACTION ITEMS

10. "Breaking the Prison Cycle/Restorative Justice Initiative"—Action Items:
(Commissioner Bohn)
 - a) Recommendation to the Berkeley City Council and Berkeley Unified School District Board, consistent with the Vision 20/20 Initiative, to support and adopt the "Lifelines to Healing" Initiative, including:
 - i) The "Cease Fire Initiative;"
 - ii) The "Alive and Free Prescription Training;" and
 - iii) The "Opportunity Creation" Initiative
 - b) Recommendation to the Berkeley City Council to support a prohibition on gang injunctions
11. Resolution to Ask Governor Schwarzenegger to Release Human Trafficking Victim Sara Kruzan with Time Served (Commissioner Meola)

12. Resolution to Assist in the Safe Resettlement of Cleared Guantanamo Detainees (Commissioner Maran)
13. Recommendation relating to Berkeley Unified School District “Teen Dating Violence Policy” (Commissioner Kenin)
14. Resolution Requesting the Berkeley Public Schools Observe January 30th as Fred Korematsu Day of Civil Liberties and the Constitution (Commissioner Nicely)
15. Child Soldiers (Commissioner Meola)

SECTION D. COMMUNICATIONS & BACKGROUND INFORMATION

SECTION E: ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting of the Peace & Justice Commission is tentatively scheduled for **Monday, January 10, 2011 @ 7pm** (with a deadline of **Wednesday, December 29, 2010 @ 12 noon** for Commissioners to submit written agenda items and materials for the January Agenda packet).

All proposed Commission items should be submitted by the above-referenced deadline both to the Secretary and Commission Chair. Dates are subject to change, please contact the Commission Secretary by email at ebrenman@ci.berkeley.ca.us to confirm receipt of submitted items.

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