

Minutes of Meeting Newcomer's Collaborative

Mission: *embrace, empower, connect with self and others, and to provide resources to everyone who is new to east region.*

Date: Tuesday June 13th, 2017

Time: 10:30 am to 12:00 pm

Location: 389. N Magnolia Ave. El Cajon, CA 92020
HHS/CWS East Region - Building 367

Minutes taken by: May Hasan

Attendees:

#	Name	Agency
1	Estela De Los Rios	CSA- SDCOUNTY – NC Chair
2	May Hasan	San Diego Youth Services – NC Co-chair
3	George Ibarra	CSA
4	Sara Ramos	Public Consulting Group
5	Carol lewis	ECC
6	Jesus Pacheco	EJE Academies
7	Mary Gentry Roberts	YMCA
8	Dalia Alzendi	Bridge
9	Erik Dececchi	DCSS – SDCOUNTY
10	May Alkhalaf	Bright Nation
11	Sarah Tominna	Grossmont Adult School
12	Dilkhwaz Ahmed	License To Freedom
13	Maysar Chalagh	SYHC/CMSS
14	Afrah Abdulkader	Vista Hill-CALWORK
15	Oras AlSaffar	CASA
16	Sherry Naum	Home-Start, Inc
17	Shammran Rayes	CWS – SDCOUNTY
18	Nancy Bathke	SD Habitat for Humanity

Minutes of the meeting:

1- Networking, welcoming and introduction

Members of the meeting introduced themselves.

2- Presentation on Affordable Housing – Section 8 by County of San Diego

Presentation conducted.

3- Updates on the Refugee World Day (WRD)

The WRD task force's representative couldn't attend this meeting, however update was provided via email to the NC co-chair who briefed the members as follows:

- Banner with newcomers' collaborative logos is finalized.
- Members can either table on their own or with the collaborative table.
- PCG liaison the transportation of those interested to participate in the event from the east region.

4- Committees' Meeting for the social event in November 2017

The logistic and planning committee met twice so far however not many members attended. Volunteers from EJE academy attended these meetings. Next meeting is to take place in August.

The date for the social event was suggested by members to be either 4th or 18th of November; final decision on date depends on site availability. The event is to be called 'Multicultural Celebration Day'.

5- Announcement