



SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

HUMAN SERVICES COMMISSION

SMI TRAINING ROOM

330 Olympic Drive, Santa Monica, CA 90401

Wednesday, January 22, 2025

3:00 PM

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special meeting of the Human Services Commission will be held at 3:00 PM, on Wednesday, January 22, 2025, at the SMI Training Room (330 Olympic Drive, Santa Monica, CA 90401) for the purpose of only conducting the following business:

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WAYS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT - If you are interested in providing public comment, there are several ways to participate:

(1) Written public comment: In lieu of oral public comment, the public is encouraged to submit written public comment on agenda items via email to hhs@santamonica.gov. Written public comment submitted before 12:00 pm on the day of the meeting will be available for online viewing. Please note the agenda item number in the subject line of your written comments.

(2) Oral public comment. Additionally, oral public comment on agenda items can be given in person during the meeting. Oral public comments have a 2-minute time limit per speaker, with a maximum of 6 minutes per meeting. Under some circumstances the Human Services Commission may limit this time further.

Call to Order

Roll Call

Please note that Agenda Items may be reordered during the meeting at the discretion of the body.

1. **Public Input (Non-Agenda Items):** Public input is permitted only on items not on the agenda that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the body. State law prohibits the body from taking any action on items not listed on the agenda, including issues raised under this agenda item.
2. **[Public Input](#) (Agenda Items Under SPECIAL AGENDA ITEMS and CONSENT CALENDAR Only)**
3. **Special Agenda Items**
 - a. Presentation from Housing and Human Services staff and [Capstone Solutions Consulting Group](#) on the City's Behavioral Health Strategy on Adult Crisis Services and Youth Behavioral Health Programming. Followed by discussion and possible action on the commission's recommendation to City Council.
 - b. Update to the community on the development of SaMo Bridge, a diversion program led by the City Attorney's Office in partnership with the Santa Monica Police Department, that serves homeless adults with justice system involvement by connecting them with housing, mental health and substance use disorder treatment services. Followed by public Q&A. Followed by discussion and possible action ([Attachment](#))
5. **Consent Calendar**
 - a. [October 9, 2024 Minutes](#)
6. **Public Input On Remaining Agenda Items**
13. **Human Services Commission Member Discussion Items**
 - a. Discussion/reports from existing ad hoc committees and possible action on their recommendations



- b. Discussion and possible action on setting Human Services Commission goals and priorities for 2025

Adjournment

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- Treat everyone courteously
- Listen to others respectfully
- Give open-minded consideration to all viewpoints
- Focus on the issues and avoid personalizing debate
- Embrace respectful disagreement and dissent as democratic rights, inherent components of an inclusive public process, and tools for forging sound decisions
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