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**AGENDA**  
**April 5, 2024**  
**Regular Meeting**

**12:00 PM**

Pursuant to Government Code Section 54954.2 the San Diego County Commission on the Status of Women & Girls will conduct a meeting at the above date and time for the purpose of transacting or discussing business as identified on this agenda.

**LOCATION AND REMOTE  
BROADCAST**

The meeting will take place at the County Administration Center: 1600 Pacific Highway, Room 402A, San Diego, CA 92101 and is open to the public.

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There is 3-hour free parking is available in the underground parking garage located on Ash Street (south side of the building). Be sure to park in a public parking space to avoid citation.

**HOW TO PROVIDE LIVE PUBLIC COMMENT**

Individuals who wish to address the Commission and provide live public comment may do so at the designated time for public comment during the during the meeting at the location above or by using Microsoft Teams videoconference or call-in option listed above to access the meeting.

Those interested in speaking are encouraged, but are not required, to submit a request to speak prior to the start of the meeting by sending an email to [CWSG@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:CWSG@sdcounty.ca.gov) with your name, email address, and the agenda item you wish to speak on or if you want to comment on item(s) not on the agenda. You may also submit your request by calling (619) 531-5137.

### **DISABLED ACCESS TO MEETING**

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### **WRITINGS DISTRIBUTED TO THE COMMITTEE**

Pursuant to Government Code 54957.5, written materials distributed to the Commission in connection with this agenda less than 72 hours before the meeting will be available to the public at the Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors at the County Administration Center, 1600 Pacific Highway, Room 402, San Diego CA 92101. Please submit requests to the coordinator at: [CWSG@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:CWSG@sdcounty.ca.gov) or (619) 531-5137.

#### **Welcome – Call to Order**

1. Commissioner Roll Call
2. Approve Minutes for February 10, 2024, Special Know Your Rights Special Meeting
3. Approve Minutes for March 1, 2024, Regular Meeting
4. Public Comment (Opportunity for members of the public to speak to the Commission on any subject matter within the Commission’s jurisdiction that is not an item on today’s agenda. Follow the instructions above on “How to Provide Public Comment” if you wish to be heard during this public comment period.)

#### **Business**

5. Presentation on the UN's Commission on the Status of Women – Vice Chair Amy Nantkes and Vice Chair Kristine Custodio Suero
6. Reconsider the Special Meeting scheduled for April 28, 2024
7. Committee Reports:
  - Civic Engagement: Vice Chair, Kristine Custodio Suero (oral)
  - Policy: Vice Chair, Amy Nantkes (oral)
  - Governance: Vice Chair, Vernita Gutierrez (oral)
  - Executive: Chair, Melinda Vásquez (oral)

## 8. Initiative Updates and Liaison Reports

- CEDAW Advisor: Chair Emeritus, Parisa Ijadi-Maghsoodi
- Women’s Hall of Fame: Chair, Melinda Vásquez
- Association of California Commissions for Women (ACCW):

## 9. Commissioner Announcements (Information item)

### Information

- 2024 CSWG Meetings: May 3, June 7, July 5, August 2, September 6, October 4, November 1, December 6
- 2024 WHOF: April 13, 2024, Joan B. Kroc Theatre from 10:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. Register using [this link](#).
- Lunch with the League: April 24, 11:30am – 2pm, at Tom Ham’s Lighthouse restaurant. Register using [this link](#)

### Adjourn

## 10. There be no further business, this meeting is closed at \_\_\_\_\_PM.

**NOTE:** The Commission on the Status of Women and Girls jurisdiction is established by action of the Board of Supervisors as follows: The Board of Supervisors of the County of San Diego declares that it is the policy of the County to take action to identify needs and problems of women in the County that are affected by public policy decisions; and furthermore, to eliminate the practice of discrimination and prejudice on the basis of sex within the County. In order to promote this policy and to provide an open forum for discussion and action, there is hereby established a San Diego County Commission on the Status of Women in the Chief Administrative Office. County Code of Administrative Ordinances, Section 85.

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