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REGULAR MEETING ORANGE COUNTY HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION

Thursday, March 14, 2024, 11:00 A.M.



PLACENTIA CITY HALL
401 E. Chapman Ave., Front Community Room
Placentia, CA 92870

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The Orange County Human Relations Commission welcomes you to this meeting. This agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. The Commission encourages your participation. If you wish to speak during Open Forum, please complete a Speaker Form and deposit it in the Speaker Form Return box located next to the Clerk. Except as otherwise provided by law, no action shall be taken on any item not appearing in the agenda. Speaker Forms are available in the meeting room. When addressing the Commission, please state your name for the record prior to providing your comments.

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11:00 A.M.

1. Call the Meeting to Order
2. Opening quote/reflection

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3. Monthly Summary of Commission Activities

OPEN FORUM

At this time members of the public may address the Commission on any matter within the jurisdiction of the Commission. The Commission or Chair may limit the length of time each individual may have to address the Commission.

HEARING/SPEAKER/PRESENTATION: (Item 4)

4. Chief of Polic for City of Placentia

ACTION ITEMS: (None)

DISCUSSION ITEMS: (None)

INFORMATION ITEMS: (Items 5 - 7)

5. Commission staff reports:
 - a. Clarification: Commission appointment authority
 - b. Listening Session opportunities
 - c. Engagement opportunity: Groundswell Shaping Tomorrow Series information
6. Update from OC Chiefs and Sheriff
7. OCSD Interfaith Council update

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM COMMISSIONERS

ADJOURNED

NEXT MEETING:

April 11, 2024 Regular Meeting, 11:00 A.M.



Orange County Human Relations Commission

Commissioners

Jennifer S. Wang, Chair
 Heather Chapman, Vice-Chair
 Ada Briceño
 Adeli Duron
 Jo-Anne Matsuba
 Lauren Johnson-Norris
 Chief Mike Kent
 Natalie Moser
 Rabbi Rick Steinberg
 Reina Obeid
 Rhonda Shader

DATE: March 14, 2024

LOCATION: City of Placentia – City Hall (Front Conference Room)
401 E. Chapman Ave. Placentia, CA 92870

TIME: 11:00 AM

AGENDA

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| 1. Call the Meeting to Order | Jennifer S. Wang |
| 2. Opening Quote/Reflection | Chief Michael Kent |
| 3. Overview of Monthly Summary of Commission Activities | Natalie Moser |

OPEN FORUM: *Members of the Public may address the Commission on human relations issues*

PRESENTATION

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| 4. Chief of Police for City of Placentia | Chief Brad Butts |
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ACTION ITEMS

None

DISCUSSION ITEMS

None

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

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| 5. Commission Staff Reports | Commission Staff |
| a. Clarification: Commission Appointment Authority | |
| b. Listening Session Opportunities | |
| c. Engagement Opportunity: Groundswell Shaping Tomorrow Series Info | |
| 6. Update from OC Chiefs & Sheriff | Chief Mike Kent |
| 7. OCSD Interfaith Council Update | Rabbi Rick Steinberg |
| 8. Announcements from Commissioners | All Commissioners |
| 9. Adjourn Commission Meeting | Jennifer Wang |

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MONTHLY SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES: February 2024

CONTRACT ACTIVITY	12/14/22-3/31/23	4/1/23-6/30/23	7/1/23-9/30/23	10/1/23-12/31/23	1/1/24-3/31/24	4/1/24-6/30/24	TOTAL	GOAL
A. Organize meetings for the Hate Crime Prevention Network group and lead hate prevention efforts.	3	2	3	1	1		10	6
B. Monitor and offer support when intergroup relations or bias related community conflicts, tension or crisis arise.	3	4	4	1	3		15	12
C. Follow-up on hate activity reports referred from 211-OC.	4	2	5	3	13		27	18
D. Offer listening sessions or restorative community dialogues process to promote respect and understanding to diverse communities and/or to address tension, conflict, or crisis when it arises (i.e., law enforcement, schools, religious institutions, nonprofits, etc.)	4	4	2	2	2		14	6
E. Service on advisory committees for local city police departments, as well as assist the Orange County Sheriff's Department, to convene a countywide interfaith Advisory Council	4	3	3	1	1		12	12
F. Deliver multilingual, multicultural, & diverse community-based hate prevention through community outreach, relationship building efforts, collaboration and network meetings, and attending diverse community/law enforcement events	18	6	47	51	54		176	150
G. Provide monthly comprehensive Hate Activity Database & Reporting data reports	3	3	3	3	2		14	18

Contract Activity Examples for this Month

- Staff attended and supported several community events including Vigil for Ne Benedict, LA Network Against Hate meeting, Countering Hate Summit, TRUST Network, Walk in My Shoes event, and Cypress High Social Justice tabling event.
- Staff conducted several presentation and workshops on the Hate Hurts Us All campaign at places like Pretend City, Asian American Senior Citizens Service Center, and the National Urban Fellows.
- Staff have consulted about offering listening sessions and dialogues with Women for American Values & Ethics (WAVE), CSU-Fullerton, OC Intelligence Assessment Center (OCIAC), and Hate Prevention Network members.
- Staff has sent out its first request for 2023 Hate Data to law enforcement, community organizations, K-12 districts, and higher ed institutions.



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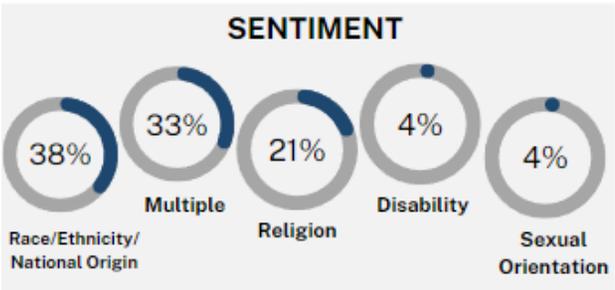
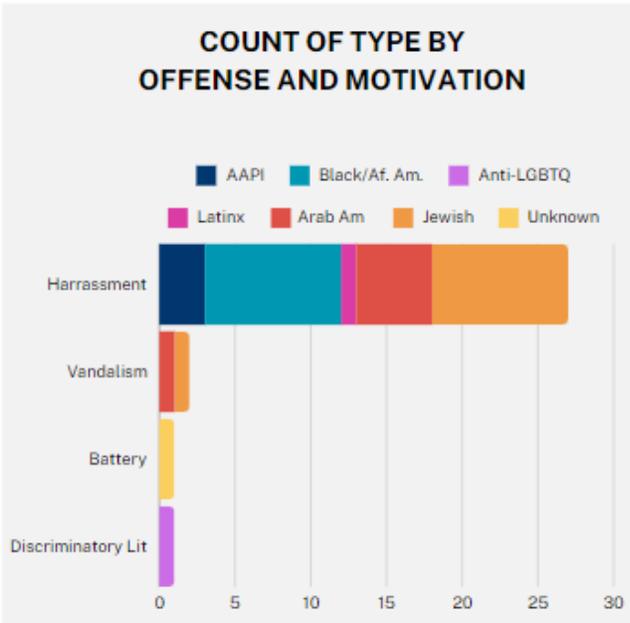
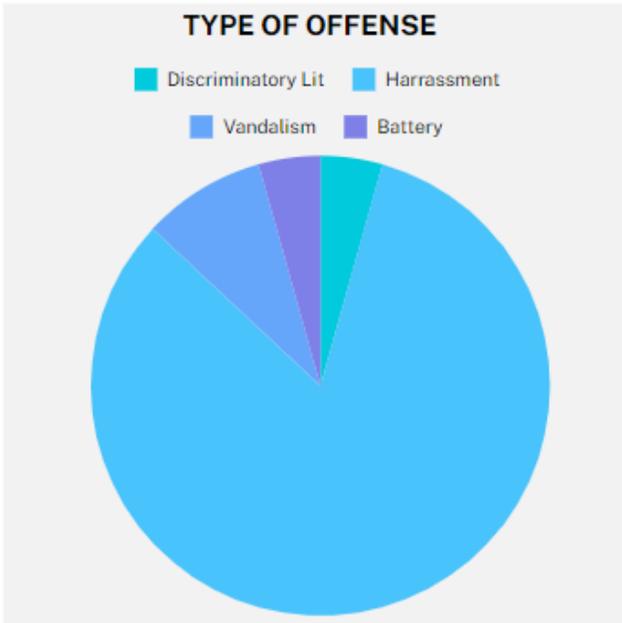
Hate-Motivated Activities in Orange County

February 2024



 **24 Total Hate-Motivated Activities Reported**

 • 211-OC - Community members
• Direct calls to Groundswell office
• Huntington Beach PD



Source: OC Human Relations Commission

IMPACTED COMMUNITY LISTENING SESSIONS

If your community has been affected by the humanitarian crisis, we are here to offer our support.



Virtual & in-person sessions



Time: 2 hour min per session

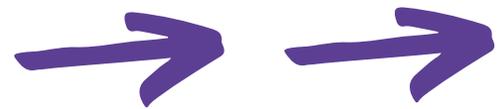


Groundswell is offering free Listening Sessions to ALL impacted community members. We convene people to share your experiences and build connections as we come together to create both a brave and a safe space for communities to share, grieve and process the impact of the humanitarian crisis in the Middle-East is having on our community in Orange County. We want to hear from parents, students, clergy, leaders and more.

For more information, please email Maureen Dadabhoy:



maureen@wearegroundswell.org



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