### Minutes Summary

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<td><strong>Presentation:</strong> Equity in Health Care and Marin Community Clinics: Breaking Down Barriers to Care and Bridging the Divide</td>
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<td><strong>Speaker:</strong> Florencia Parada and Dr. Melanie Thompson</td>
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<td><strong>Call to Order:</strong> The meeting was called to order at 4:20 p.m. by Chair Etemovic.</td>
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| **Approval of the Agenda:**  
  - Commissioner Vreeland Long made a motion to approve the agenda.  
  - The motion was seconded by Commissioner López.  
  - Motion Carried 6-0. | |
| **Approval of the Minutes:**  
  - Commissioner Nuessle made a motion to approve the April 18, 2022 minutes (no quorum at May | |
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- The motion was seconded by Commissioner Vreeland Long.
- Motion Carried 6-0.

**Open Time for Public Comment:**

**Chairs Report (Etemovic):**
- This is her last meeting. She thanked the committee and the commission for allowing her to serve.

**Vice-Chair Report (Vreeland Long):**
- Participated in Advocacy Days for the Alzheimer’s Association.
- Talked with the Elder Care Specialists organization and learned about care managers. They could give a presentation in July.
- Will be attending a listening session to learn what regular attendees of the Margaret Todd Senior Center programs think about them.
- Wildfire Mitigation matching grants have increased allowing for higher reimbursements for work around homes. June 15 is deadline to apply.
- Candidate forums for District 1 and 5 supervisors in Marin County are coming up on April 27, 6:30 p.m. and April 28, 4:00 p.m.

**Committee Objectives 22/23:**
- Food equity and nutritional food advocacy as it relates to older adults is one focus.
- Other suggestions are:
  - Becoming involved with Marin Food Policy Council
  - Creating a partnership with Marin Community Clinics
  - Having more communication with the Buck Institute

**Announcements:**
None

**New Business:**
Diana López noted leadership of this committee is leaving at the end of June, so committee members should think about what they want their role to be moving forward.
Action items:
- Commissioners Vreeland Long, Notowich and Etemovic will follow up with Marin Food Policy Council.
- Commissioner Etemovic will follow up with Commissioner Fred Silverman about digital programs.
- Commissioner Nuessle will follow up with Florencia Parada after their June presentation to learn how the committee can advocate for nutrition in the Canal neighborhood.

Adjourned:
- Commissioner López a motion to adjourn.
- Seconded by Commissioner Notowich.
- Motion carried 5-0.
- The meeting adjourned at 4:47 p.m.

Next Meeting: May 16, 2022