



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COUNCIL

July 15, 2021
3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

As authorized by Governor Newsom's Executive Order N-29-20, dated March 17, 2020, the meeting will be held via teleconferencing with members of the Commission attending from separate remote locations. The meeting will be held and live cast from the following location where members of the public shall have the right to observe and offer public comment:

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AGENDA

Chair: Supervisor Carole Groom
Co-Chair: Elisa Kuhl
Staff: Tanya Beat, Staff Liaison
 Christina Falla, Legislative Aide, Supervisor Groom's Office
 Monali Sheth, Deputy County Counsel, County Counsel's Office

Call to Order		1 min.	Supervisor Groom
Introductions		5 min	Supervisor Groom
Opportunity for Public Comment			Supervisor Groom
Adoption/Approval of Agenda	<i>Action</i>	1 min.	Supervisor Groom
Approval of April 2021 Minutes	<i>Action</i>	1 min	Supervisor Groom
Introduction of Karen Ferguson, PhD, Executive Director of CORA	<i>Report Out</i>	10 min.	Karen Ferguson, PhD
Engagement in Committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Domestic Violence Awareness Committee</i> • <i>Legal Process Committee</i> 	<i>Report Out</i>	10 min	Elisa Kuhl and Tanya Beat
Policy & Legislation Committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Discussion and Action</i> 	<i>Action</i>	5 min	Elisa Kuhl and Tanya Beat
Lethality Assessment	<i>Presentation</i>	10 min	Elisa Kuhl
Committee Reports <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. <i>Domestic Violence Awareness Committee</i> b. <i>Legal Process Committee</i> 	<i>Summary Report Out</i>	20 min	a. Lori Smiley-Klingler b. Elisa Kuhl, Charles Cavallino
Announcements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. October 28 - DV Council Meeting 		5 min	All

<p>b. Barbara Hammerman Award Nomination Information</p> <p>c. <i>Other</i></p>			
Adjournment	<i>Action</i>	1 min.	Supervisor Groom

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- A. Videoconference with Computer Audio – see Option 1 below**
- B. Videoconference with Phone Call Audio – see Option 2 below**
- C. Calling in from iPhone or Telephone/Landline – see Option 3 below**

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