

ITEM NO. (5) PRESENTATION BY KEITH CASTRO REGARDING THE COMMUNITY'S COOPERATION WITH THE NON-RESPONSE FOLLOW UP FOR THE CENSUS

This item was heard after Item No. 5 at 6:54 P.M.

Keith Castro, Partnership Specialist, U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau, 841 Apollo Street, Ste. 150, El Segundo, California 90245, provided a presentation regarding the non-response follow up for Census 2010.

(Council Member Ruiz-Raber exited and reentered the meeting at 6:59 P.M.)

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

This is the appropriate time for members of the general public to address the Council/Agency on items not on the posted Agenda but are items of interest that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Council/Agency. Any person wishing to speak at this time is requested to complete a Speaker Form, available on the podium or by the Public Agenda Binder in the Council Chamber. **ORAL COMMENTS WILL BE LIMITED TO THREE (3) MINUTES PER SPEAKER. Under the provisions of the Brown Act, no action can be taken on these items, and there can be no dialogue or discussion of the items with the Council/Agency other than to place it on the Agenda for a future meeting if appropriate.**

This item was heard after Council Item No. 17 at 7:03 P.M.

Larry Grant, 1823 Denwall Drive, Carson, California 90746, expressed his appreciation to the City of Carson, City Council, City Manager Groomes, and City Clerk Kawagoe for their expressions of sympathy in memory of his late wife Nancy Grant.

Reverend Dr. Michael J. Fisher, Greater Zion Church Family, 20241 Galway Avenue, Carson, California 90746, referred to victims of violence and extended a public invitation to visit the Greater Zion Church Family on June 6, 2010, at 3:00 P.M. and reflect on the lives that were ended so short.

Wilma Wilson, 19306 Harlan Avenue, Carson, California 90746, Member of the Mills Park Juneteenth Committee, referred to the diversity of Carson and the decision of the committee to go forward with the June 19 event at Mills Park and requested in-kind donations and extended a public invitation to attend the event. Whereupon, Mayor/Chairman Dear stated that he was interested in supporting the Juneteenth Committee and requested that the item be discussed at the budget workshop on May 26, with Council/Agency Member Davis-Holmes concurring and reporting that she had requested the item to be placed on the agenda.

Nathaniel "Nate" Riddick, 2723 Monroe Street, Carson, California 90810, requested that the City Council reconsider the Memorial Day event to honor the many men and women who made the supreme sacrifice for the country. Whereupon, Mayor/Chairman Dear reported that the Memorial Day Committee of Carson had accepted his offer to observe Memorial Day at Lincoln Memorial Cemetery at 9:00 A.M., on Monday, May 24, 2010.