

Special Needs Advisory Board Minutes

Town of Miami Lakes

Meeting Date: January 8, 2025

Chair: Vivian Levy

Location: Town Hall Conference Room

Secretary: Francisco Tollinche

Liaison: Isabela Creighton

1. **Call to Order:** 5:45 PM

2. **Roll Call:** Vivian Levy, Chair – absent

Jesenia Orellana, Vice Chair - present

Francisco Tollinche, Member - present

Madelin Santana, Member - present

Clarimar Zeledon, Member - present

Julie Padron -absent

Others present: Officer Amador (Miami Lakes Police Department), Pam Perez (Clinical outreach for Cultivate. Just Visiting), Jaquie Sanchez and her son Allen came to visit and participate.

3. **Order of Business** (Deferrals/Additions/Deletions):

Madelin made a motion to nominate Francisco for interim secretary. Jesenia 2nd, motion passes

Madelin made a motion to move the following to the next meeting in February. Jesenia 2nd, motion passes:

Old Business

6A Elections

6B Community Report

6C Finances

New Business

7B Car wrap

7C Movie Events

7D Hope 4 Autism

Madelin made a motion to move 6D Karate Dojo to new business. Jesenia 2nd, motion passes.

4. Public Comments:

A. Officer Amador talked about the registry and mentioned that we are up to 17 registers so far. He recommended we change the website, propaganda, flyers and printed materials to change and / or add the new verbiage of the new Miami Dade Sherifs Office.

B. Kimberly Trelles came to help and participate. Helping and giving back to Autism parent meetup on January 26, 2025 6-9pm at The Trelles Cottage 8140 NW 155 St.

C. Sensei Francisco talked about the benefit of offering the karate class 2 times a week and its advantages. Also talked about a karate tournament and Isabela finding out about the availability of The Spot in the evenings. The karate tournament is The Kobuschi Competition on February 15 at Hialeah High.

5. Approval of Minutes: Jesenia made a motion to approve the the old minutes. Madelin 2nd, motion was approved.

6. Old Business:

- The Grahams Email: Isabela said that The Grahams are concerned about placing the registry stickers on their apartment doors and that they would be onboard if the residents didn't have to place the sticker on their doors.
- Madelin made a motion to cancel the SNSP workshop acheduled for January 23, 2025 at 6pm due to lack of registries. Jesenia 2nd, motion passes.

7. Announcements:

No announcements

8. Adjournment:

A. Madelin made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:37PM Jesenia second, meeting adjourned.