



Los Angeles County

Workforce Development, Aging & Community Services – Human Relations Commission

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NETWORK AGAINST HATE CRIME

QUARTERLY MEETING
THURSDAY NOVEMBER 8, 2018
9:00 – 11:00 a.m.

BIENESTAR
5326 East Beverly Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90022
(Street Parking is Available)

Seeking Justice for Ramona Gardens Arson Victims



In 2017, the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Central District of California prosecuted the case of 8 members of the Mexican Mafia-backed Big Hazard street gang. The defendants were charged for a 2014 racially-motivated firebombing of residences of African American families in the Ramona Gardens Housing Project in Boyle Heights. Seven of the defendants pleaded guilty and the lead defendant remains awaiting trial. Mack Jenkins of the U.S. Attorney's Office will discuss the case.

2017 Hate Crime Report

Marshall Wong, principal author of the Commission's annual report on Hate Crime in Los Angeles County will discuss the 2017 report's key findings.

And: Rise Above Movement

On October 2, federal officials arrested four men from a Southern California-based white supremacist group alleging that they traveled to Charlottesville, Va. last year to incite a riot and attack counter-protesters at the Unite the Right rally. Anti-Defamation League's Senior Associate Director Regional Director Matt Friedman will discuss the Rise Above Movement (RAM) and its violent agenda.

Meetings are held in English. If interpretations in other languages or accommodations for persons with disabilities are needed, please contact the Commission at (213) 738-2788, at least 72 hours before the meeting.