



Peace and Justice Commission

PEACE & JUSTICE COMMISSION AGENDA

North Berkeley Senior Center
1901 Hearst Avenue
Berkeley, CA

Monday
November 7, 2005
7:00 PM

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SECTION A. PRELIMINARY MATTERS

1. Roll Call
2. Announcements
3. Comments from the Public
4. Approval of Minutes from the Regular Meeting of October 17, 2005.

SECTION B. ACTION ITEMS

New Business

5. Discussion on the United States' involvement in Haiti, and formulation of a recommendation to the City Council (*from Commissioners sorgen and Bohn*).
6. Hurricanes Katrina and Rita -- Justice issues uncovered by the hurricane, including (but not limited to): government actions before and after the storm hit; social disparities and other conditions make apparent in the aftermath; Berkeley's involvement in the rescue and recovery efforts; and resettlement of Gulf Coast residents in our city: Discussion and formulation of recommendations to City Council (*from Commissioner Freedkin*).

SECTION C. INFORMATION ITEMS

7. Commissioner Introductions.
8. The next meeting of the Peace and Justice Commission is scheduled for Monday, December 5, 2005 with a deadline of Wednesday, November 23, 2005 for submission of agenda items and materials for the November agenda packet. Dates are subject to change, please contact the Commission Secretary to confirm.

SECTION D. ADJOURNMENT