

DEDICATION OF COMMUNITY ROOM AT THE ALTADENA SENIOR CENTER

The Altadena Senior Center, established in 1982, serves as a vital community hub for residents of Altadena, La Crescenta, East Pasadena unincorporated, and neighboring areas. The Center offers a welcoming environment where seniors from diverse socio-economic backgrounds come together to enjoy a broad range of services and social activities. These opportunities foster daily learning, skill development, community engagement, social connections, and healthy living for older adults in the community.

The Friends of the Altadena Senior Center was founded to further support these essential services and activities, playing a critical role in enriching the lives of all who benefit from the Center’s offerings. At the heart of this support was the late Ms. Marilyn Commodore, who served as President of The Friends of the Altadena Senior Center for over thirty years. Ms. Commodore embodied the highest ideals of service, dedicating countless hours and selfless contributions to enhance the lives of older adults in Altadena. Her unwavering commitment and exemplary leadership set a powerful example, leaving an indelible legacy that continues to inspire others to invest in the Center and the broader Altadena community.

In honor of Ms. Commodore’s extraordinary contributions, the Aging and Disabilities Department is recommending dedicating the Altadena Senior Center Community Room in her name. This tribute recognizes a remarkable leader and community hero whose legacy of compassion and service will be celebrated for generations.

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While the County is honored to make this dedication, it retains the discretion to rename, rededicate, or modify the designation of any room, space, or facility within the Altadena Senior Center. This includes the right to change the name or purpose of any area, even where previous agreements, dedications, or recognitions exist.

I THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the Aging and Disabilities Department (AD) to:

1. Formally designate the community room at the Altadena Senior Center as the "Marilyn Commodore Community Room;"
2. Install a commemorative name plaque; and,
3. Organize an official dedication ceremony to honor the occasion.

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