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DISTRICT 1 APPOINTMENT OF ONE MEMBER TO THE PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION – Adoption of a resolution appointing one member to the Parks & Recreation Commission.

I urge the City Council and Mayor Blackburn to grant more power to the Park & Rec-ers to give feedback regarding improvements that will elevate the Carlsbad Senior Center to the Age Friendly status that was granted the City of Carlsbad by the AARP designation as an age friendly senior center? Of course, that was back in the days of Jack Risley ---- who actually cared about seniors and doing the right thing for them in their last years! With the departure of Maggie Hammer and Mike Pacheco, maybe the Senior Center can again regain the honor of being a Senior Friendly Senior Center ---- a center that does not have to Ban a senior for Nine MONTHS for walking aggressively while 'seated' at a cafeteria table listening to music while an employee was loudly talking and smiling and laughing with an age appropriate young man with no tools or belts to fix the broken dryer! Who is overseeing the training and motivating the staff to serve the senior community so that they can earn the respect and trust of the seniors?

Isn't it time for the Council to ask/tell the City Manager Scott Chadwick to upgrade the Staff so that Seniors are not abused and banned by poorly trained and motivated Staff?

Respectfully Submitted,

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