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## Los Angeles County Human Relations Commission to Release Annual Hate Crimes Report

LOS ANGELES — On Wednesday, December 7th, the Los Angeles County Commission on Human Relations will release its Report on Hate Crime in Los Angeles County for the full calendar year 2021. The report provides analysis of the greatest collection of hate crime data for LA County, including that based on race/ethnicity, national origin, sexual orientation, religion, gender, and disability. The information is collected from more than 100 law enforcement agencies, school districts, and community-based organizations throughout the County.

Topics to be covered include hate crimes in which COVID-19 was mentioned; rising numbers of antiimmigrant slurs; disproportionate victimization of African Americans; high rates of violence against lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender individuals; continued victimization of the Jewish community; and hate crimes committed by gang members. The report also documents which regions of the County experienced the highest numbers and rates of hate crime. Speakers will also talk about what is happening to end hate crimes and incidents in our County, including the L.A. vs. Hate initiative. More information on L.A. vs. Hate may be found here.

WHEN: Wednesday, December 7, 2022 at 10:00 a.m.

WHO: Honorable Janice Hahn, Supervisor Fourth District and Chair of the

L.A. County Board of Supervisors

Honorable George Gascón,\* District Attorney of L.A. County

Karen Mack, Executive Director of LA Commons (a community nonprofit organization), a L.A. vs. Hate Partner

Chief Michel Moore, Los Angeles Police Department

Ilan Davidson, President, Los Angeles County Commission on Human Relations

Robin S. Toma,\* Executive Director, Los Angeles County Commission on Human Relations

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## WHERE: On Webex

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On Tuesday, December 6th, we will provide the media the link and password to join the virtual press conference.

Reporters are welcome to login to ask questions following the conversation.

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