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**CityWatch Today**-Signs of the Neighborhood Councils ability to influence are all over the news.

The LADWP wants a rate increase and Councils are being fully considered in the process. A result of the NC/DWP MOU.

NCs will have a place at the NC Review Commission table. The NC Congress has a ticket now to the June Congress of Neighborhoods.

And, it appears the Mayor will, after all, involve councils in the selection process for the new DONE GM.

Reports and perspectives on all of these ... and more ... in this CityWatch.

I hope you find it useful.

--Editor

## Say What?

**"The Mayor wants  
1,000 more police.  
We need 1,000  
more inspectors  
in Los Angeles."**

--Jerry Piro  
Sun Valley



## WHY IS THE IMMIGRATION DEBATE A NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL ISSUE?



Because the issue affects LA's neighborhoods? Because of the LA City Charter (Article IX): *"Neighborhood Council membership will be open to everyone who lives, works or owns property in the area (stakeholders)?"* ▣

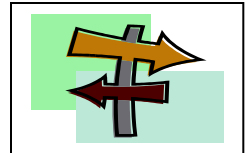
### Perspective

## For a Take-Charge Mayor, No One Seems to be In Charge of His Staff

*Reversals becoming commonplace*

By Ken Draper

**It's getting hard to follow this Mayor.** At least down here at street level. Without a compass. Let me explain.



The Department of Neighborhood Empowerment is in need of a general manager. *Greg Nelson resigned a few days ago, at least in part because of the frustration that results from the kind of confusing Mayor's office management that we are discussing.*

Neighborhood Councils were created by the Charter Reform folks to advise City Hall on matters that affect their lives and communities. That includes the Mayor. And, that includes matters like the selection of city department heads. After all, the Mayor sought out NC participation in the selection of the City's new Planning Director. And, one would think that of all the departments for which NC advice might be in order, it would be the DONE.

So, the public comments by ... and the reticence of ... the Mayor's staff to engage Neighborhood Councils in the DONE selection process has more than a few of the faithful baffled. That, along with the confusion over what the Mayor is saying and what the staff is doing.



The day after Nelson announced that he would step down, the Mayor publicly called for a "nationwide search" for a replacement. Days followed without word from staff on a search of any kind. NCs began to grumble.

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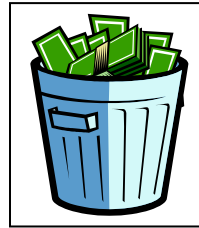
# CityWatch Op & Ed

## Talkin' Trash

### Paying For Trash Pick-Up Makes Sense

By Brady Westwater

The top goal of the Neighborhood Councils in any survey is – more police and less crime. And the Mayor's plan to have homeowners pay for their own personal trash pick-up to cover the cost of 1,000 new police officers is both fair and makes a lot more economic sense than the previously proposed half-cent sales tax increase.



First, when feasible, it is always right that anyone who receives services pays for those services rather than having other taxpayers subsidize them through higher taxes. Second, the argument that this unfairly taxes homeowners is completely false.

Apartment owners (and tenants through their rents) already pay 100% of their trash costs since the city does NOT pick-up their trash; they have to hire private trash haulers. Only homeowners – and duplex and triplex owners – get a free ride. The result is that apartment owners and tenants now subsidize those who live in single family homes, which is not right.

This user fee also does not raise the cost of doing business in LA or the cost of buying goods in the City or County of LA as would a sales tax increase; a tax increase that would drive away business from the city and hurt everyone in the long run. Additionally, since this is to pay for salaries that are constant – or rising – sales tax revenues are dangerous since those revenues can greatly vary. When a recession hits, there would be a sudden drop in sales tax revenues just when the city needs the money most, making it harder to pay for police.



But trash is like death, taxes and small-minded bureaucrats on the third floor who fear and try to sabotage Neighborhood Councils rather than trying to work with them. They will always be there and as inflation goes up, so will the cost of trash removal – and that will cover the increased costs of supporting the thousand extra police officers.

Another positive aspect of the Mayor's plan is that he will gradually phase in the fee and he has promised to put the funds raised into a 'lock-box' until enough new officers graduate to not just replace those who are retiring – but to add to the current number of authorized officers. But NCs need to be vigilant. This promise must be carried out and proper safeguards must be written into the ordinance.

Possibly an ad-hoc committee might be set-up by the NC Congress to research ways this ordinance might be written; then the Congress can pass that information on to individual Neighborhood Councils to consider taking action.



Lastly – there are those who say – including many NC leaders – and the Daily News – that runaway employee salaries, benefits and skyrocketing pension costs will eat up any new general fund revenue that is being raised - and then some. And they are correct. But solving that problem requires a long term solution and right now we need to make certain that the city is safe in the short term.

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## City Budget-What NCs Need to Know

# Mayor Leaves NC Funding Intact; Some Want to End Rollover & Unused Funds

By David Lowell

LA Mayor, Antonio Villaraigosa, raised the curtain 10 days ago on his record-breaking city budget for 2006-07. The City Council has taken over the process now. Budget Chair Bernard Parks has his sleeves rolled up on the marathon that is the review of city department budgets and projections.

Significant to Neighborhood Councils, the Mayor left the NC annual funding intact and maintained roughly the same budget for the Neighborhood Empowerment Department.



Sources inside City Hall, however, say that the Mayor's staff is looking for ways to eliminate the annual rollover of unused funds by Neighborhood Councils and to "redirect" the heavy balance (\$8 million-plus) that has accrued because NCs aren't spending all of their funding.

They also plan, we are told, to try to find ways to tighten the strings on what is permissible Neighborhood Council spending. Things like travel to the national NC Convention would be targeted.

Opportunities for NC input include the City Council Budget Committee hearings (scheduled through May 9); when budget gets before the City Council (around mid-May) or by providing input to individual City Council offices. ■

## Go-To Info

- Locate Mayor's Budget info: [www.lacity.org](http://www.lacity.org) (click on "Mayor's Budget 2006-07")
- Timelines: Out of Budget Committee (May 9); Out of City Council (May 20); Budget adoption (June, 2006)
- Budget Committee Hearings Schedule: April 27 – May 5 (9 – 5 on non-City Council meeting days; 1-5 on meeting days-Tues/Wed/Fri).

For list of departments scheduled and when: [www.lacity.org](http://www.lacity.org) (click on "Council Calendar" for agendas). **Department of Neighborhood is scheduled for Monday, May 1.**

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## **Mayor's Budget ... ... in 8 Lines or Less**

- Record budget: \$6.7 Billion
- Trash fees for Cops: \$7-\$18 trash fees to produce \$30 million to hire 1,000 police officers
- Traffic: \$16 million to synchronize traffic signals
- Gangs: \$2 million for gang prevention programs
- Cop car video: \$2.5 million for video cameras in police cars
- Streets: \$80 million for street resurfacing
- Sidewalks: \$1 million for sidewalk repair
- Libraries: \$3 million for books and more hours

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## Editor's Note

*CityWatch is in the midst of an extensive expansion program: additional office space, additional staff, equipment upgrade, state of the art website.*

*Over the next 30 days, our distribution deadlines will be a little fluid. If we miss our Monday morning deadline by a day or two, as you always have been, we know you will be patient.*

*Thank you,  
Editor*

## **912 Commission Ord Gets OK-A Report**

# **Neighborhood Councils Prevail. Will have Seven Reps on 912 Commission**

Staff Report



The City Council gave its blessing last week to the ordinance that will create the 912 Commission, soon to be called the Neighborhood Council Review Commission. With a little help from their City Council friends, NCs got what they wanted: a seat at the table.

Here are the highlights:

- ▶ The Commission will have 29 members, 15 appointed by the City Council (one each), seven of his own choosing by the Mayor and seven by the Mayor from a pool of nominees from Neighborhood Councils. NC picks must get to the Mayor by June 19.
- ▶ The Commission has a year to get their work done. Could extend it for 90 days if needed.
- ▶ The Commission has to make "every effort" to hold meetings in different neighborhoods (planning areas) in the city during the evening or on weekends. The meetings will be televised on Channel 35.

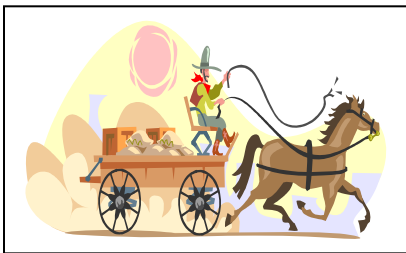
The process to be used by Neighborhood Councils to select their required 14 commission member recommendations was left up to NCs to work out. ■

## **The Successful 912 Journey-Analysis**

# **A Rough 912 Commission Ride for NCs with Bushwhackers Behind Every Rock**

By Brady Westwater

When a stage driver left Deadwood to cross the Black Hills with a strong box, he faced the same obstacles the Neighborhood Councils did in the creation of the 912 Commission to evaluate the NC system; bushwhackers behind – and under – every rock at City Hall, trying to ambush them and steal their rights from them. Here's the back story.



The City Charter says the review commission is to be selected by the Mayor and the City Council – period. But once NC leaders pointed out that the commission has to examine, among other

things, how well the City Council and the Mayor works with the NC's – it was clear that having only two of those three groups appoint members, would destroy the commission's credibility.

So some NC leaders got together and pitched a plan where 15 members were selected by the city council, seven by the Mayor - and seven selected by the NC's - one from each planning district.

The Mayor's staff, though, wanted the NC's to appoint... no one. The CLA's office at first agreed, but later proposed a plan 'B' in which each of the 88 Neighborhood Councils would appoint one person to a pool and the Mayor would then appoint one person of his choosing from each of the seven planning areas.

**See Page 10. "Rough 912 Ride"**

## **NC Review Commission**

### **Sec. 2. Appointment Process**

The neighborhood councils located in each of the seven Area Planning Commission areas shall collectively (for each area) submit to the Mayor by June 19, 2006, at 5:00 p.m., at least two nominations for membership on this commission. The seven Area Planning Commission boundaries are defined in the LAMC Sec 11.5.2. Neighborhood councils may rank their recommendations if they choose. Neighborhood Councils may nominate their representatives to the commission at the congress of Neighborhoods on June 17, 2006. If the neighborhood councils choose to do so, the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment will provide all necessary accommodations to facilitate the selection process at the Congress of Neighborhoods.

The Mayor will appoint 14 members, seven of whom must be from the pool of nominations submitted by the neighborhood councils. These seven must represent each Area Planning Commission area.

If for any reason, neighborhood councils in any given Area Planning Commission area should fail to agree on at least two nominees, each neighborhood council within that Area Planning Commission area may submit its own nominations to the Mayor. As long as at least two nominees are submitted to the Mayor, the Mayor shall appoint one member from the Area Planning Commission area's pool of nominees. ■

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**DWP Rate Increase: NC Advice Countdown****Meter Running on NC Advice to DWP on Rate Hikes; First Hearing Draws 35 NCs**

By Sara Epstein

As most of LA knows by now, the Department of Water and Power has asked for approval of a proposed 3.9 and 3.5 percent water rate increase over two years. And, as most Neighborhood Councils know, because of the landmark Memorandum of Understanding NCs and the DWP share, requests for rate changes trigger notification responsibilities. A 90-day window for NCs to consider, take action and provide input to DWP, and others, on the increase among them. Midway through next week, NCs will be one third of the way through that 90-day window.



Thirty-five Neighborhood Council representatives participated in the first of the presentations last Saturday. Barrington-Wellesley, hired by the City to conduct the required independent audit, and LADWP management, headed by GM Ron Deaton, explained their findings and positions, answered questions and listened to input over a marathon five hour session.

It was the first of a number of opportunities for NCs and stakeholders to participate in the process. The City Council Energy Committee will hold hearings in mid-May and the LADWP will take their show on the road to neighborhoods around the city. *Check the DWP website for a schedule: [www.ladwp.com](http://www.ladwp.com).*

**The DWP Story:** DWP wants a 3.9 and 3.5 percent water rate increases for 2006-06 and 2007-08 respectively. Reasons: The need for water quality and infrastructure improvements and the costs of Owens Valley Dust Mitigation Program.

**Auditor Recommendations** 1) Authorize the increases; 2) Consider implementing a change in rate design that will eliminate test bill subsidy; 3) Reduce the need for future Water Services' revenue increases. ▣

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And to Villaraigosa's credit – he does realize we need to make Los Angeles more business friendly to prevent the city from losing any more high paying jobs than it already does each year. And his opposition to new taxes and his responsible actions with the city's Engineer's Union shows he understands the city needs to live within its current income as does those of us who live in the real world. And the Mayor's unexpected, but welcome, fiscal restraint is still another reason to support him on this issue. *(Brady Westwater is a writer and sometime contributor to CityWatch.)* ▣

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## We've Got Mail



### Mayor Wants More Cops; We Need More Inspectors

I was at a community meeting on April 11th. and was reflecting on how many violations of law there was in Sun Valley, such as 18 wheelers using our streets for a parking lot when their is a lot for them, or illegal signs (with their names and phone numbers on them ) are all over the community, etc. etc.

Planning's reply was that We (the 2<sup>nd</sup>. Most populated city in the United States of America ) had only 6 inspectors for the city! 6!!

The Mayor wants 1,000 more police. We need 1,000 more inspectors in Los Angeles!

Then the city would look as nice as some of the smaller cities and with that come pride and less crime.

Come on people, let's get some enforcement here.

--Jerry Piro  
Sun Valley



### LANCC is Just More City Bloat

While I have certain issues with DONE, I do not support the LANCC. The NCs were established as a conduit for communities to work through their elected City Councilmembers to bring about positive local changes. LANCC will ultimately subvert this role. LANCC will be nothing but another layer of politics in a city already bloated with politics and take the focus off of the local NCs. Both the Congress and LANCC should be eliminated.

I do support ad hoc and informal dialog among adjacent NCs where neighborhood issues overlap.

--Paul Hatfield, Treasurer  
NC Valley Village

The views expressed above are my own and do not necessarily reflect any held by other members of NC Valley Village.



### Trash Talk from Historic Highland Pk

This is to inform you that on April 20, 2006 the Historic Highland Park Neighborhood Council (HHPNC) voted to adamantly and vigorously oppose the Mayor's proposed trash collection hike of 100% (from \$11 to \$22), especially after an 83% hike in two stages last year (first from \$6 per month to \$10 and then to \$11). This is not a proper way to tax and to raise funding for police,

See next column

## Valley Alliance of Neighborhood Councils

Presents a Planning Seminar  
"Shaping the Future of our Communities  
— One Project at a Time"

Thursday, May 11, 2006 — 5:30p.m. to 9:00p.m.

CBS Studios — Carla's Cafe

4024 Radford, Studio City

(Ventura Blvd., just east of Laurel Canyon, enter 1st gate on Radford)

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"A Planning Vision for Los Angeles"

OVERVIEW —

**Mark Winogron**, former Interim LA Planning Director

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- The "Specific Plan"- the Holy Grail?
- Developing a Community Design Overlay
  - Mixed Use/ RAS Development
  - Subdivision - Small lot
- Conditional Use Permits and Zone Variances

### From previous column

and in fact is far and away more than is needed to put 1,000 new police on the streets. It is an attempt to get completely discretionary funds for the City. LAPD can't event fill its current training slots at the academy and increased funding is not going to improve that situation. The last property tax increase proposal to increase police also failed.

### Nixing DWP Rate Hike Too

The HHPNC will consider the DWP rate increase at its next meeting, and it is anticipated (from comments already bandied about in our community) that this measure will also be opposed. From a practical point of view, the DWP is funding shortfalls in City revenue with its "transfers" to the tune of about \$100 million per year and then has the temerity to ask for additional rate hikes in order to be able to "afford" water system improvements and other increased costs.

We all need to urge the City to use some business sense in planning its revenues rather than seeking long-term assistance from City rate payers with these "hidden taxes."

The HHPNC will be filing a Community Impact Statement this week on the trash collection proposal.

**Dr. Richard Dyke**  
First Vice President  
HHPNC



# CITYWATCH SuperPlanner

**WEEK OF MAY 1, 2006**



**City Council**  
May 2, 3, 5 (10 a.m.)  
City Hall (Council Chamber)

## **BONC**

May 2 (6:30 p.m.)  
John Muir Middle School  
5929 S Vermont Ave  
♦ *Vermont Harbor decertification application*

## **LANCC Senate**

May 6 (10 a.m.)  
DWP Building (Portland Rm)  
Hope & First Streets

## **LA's Annual Day of Service**

May 7  
♦ *Anticipating 25,000 turnout*

## **Budget & Finance-Special**

May 1-5 (Check Council Calendar for times)  
City Hall (Rm 340)  
♦ *Special meetings dealing with 2006-07 City budget*

## **FUTURES**

### **NC Review Commission PROPOSED TIMELINE**

<u>Action</u>	<u>Latest Date</u>
Ord Signed by Mayor	This week
Ord Effective Date	May 29, '06

### **NC Deadline for Nominations June 19, '06**

**Griffith Pk Master Plan Wk Group**  
May 1 (6:30p)  
Park Ranger Station Community Rm  
4730 Crystal Springs Dr

**DWP Solar Incentive Workshop**  
May 2 (12 n)  
DWP Bldg (Rm 1555 H)  
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### **Clean Money Town Hall**

May 9 (6:30 p.m.)  
Colfax Elementary School  
11724 Addison St  
North Hollywood  
♦ *Bill Boyarsky, Susan Lerner, Patt Morrison-Panelists*

### **Valley Alliance Planning Forum**

May 11 (5:30-9 p.m.)  
CBS Studios –Carla's Café  
4024 Radford  
Studio City

### **So Central NC Beautification Block Party**

May 13 (10:30 – 12 n)  
38<sup>th</sup> & Broadway  
Los Angeles

### **LANI 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Community Forum**

May 18 (8 a.m. – 2 p.m.)  
USC Davidson Conf Center  
Info: [www.lani.org](http://www.lani.org)

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## Perspective-From Page 1

A week ago, a spokesperson told the Daily News that the Mayor is not planning to consult NCs in the DONE chief selection. "It's important," Darryl Ryan told reporter Kerry Cavanaugh, "that the mayor, as chief executive of the city, make these independent decisions."

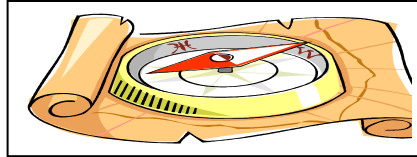


Councilwoman Janice Hahn, in the meantime, produced a motion calling for a public hearing to get NCs into the DONE GM selection process. She said, in effect, how can Neighborhood Councils not be involved in advising on the very person to be charged with their empowerment.

### NCs Will have a Role

Following this? Now, a day later, back comes Kerry Cavanaugh ... industrious Daily News reporter that she is ... with yet another spokesperson, saying that the Mayor will now consult NCs before he picks a new DONE GM. "He's made a decision," Joe Ramallo told Kavanaugh, "that he's going through a formal search process ... (and Neighborhood Councils) will certainly have a role and their voice will be heard." Say what?

Wondering what this Mayor thinks about Neighborhood Councils? It would appear that it depends on what day it is. Here is yet another reversal and it's beginning to feel a lot like a trend.



You will recall that the NC Congress (LANCC) was told by then GM, Greg Nelson, that they could and would participate in the June 17 Congress of Neighborhoods. Exit Nelson. The Mayor's office reverses Nelson and decides the NC Congress cannot participate. Then, rethinks that position and allows them space but no mention on the program or in the pre-registration information. NCs complain. Some threaten a boycott. Mayor's people make another reversal and say OK to full participation.

### Mayor Supports Organic

Last September, Mayor Villaraigosa told a gathering of Neighborhood Councils that he believed the process for selecting members of the 912 Commission should be "organic," meaning that NCs should be involved. However, the plan offered to the E & N Committee by Deputy Frank, in February of this year, was absent any mention of Neighborhood Councils in the selection process. Another reversal by the Mayor and/or his staff.

There's more. In October of last year, a Neighborhood Council Taskforce began a collaborative effort, with the DONE and the Mayor's office, to create an NC Emergency Preparedness Network. GM Nelson asked former BONC Commissioner, Pat Herrera Duran, to head up the project.

### Supposed to be Equal Collaborators

The NC Taskforce was assured from the early going, by both the Department and the Mayor's office, that it was an equal-participation project. That there were no preconceived programs in place and that all parties would have a voice in the final plan. When it became clear in March that the Neighborhood Council representative's vision didn't track well with the Mayor's representative's vision, the plug was essentially pulled on the collaboration. Yet another reversal.

There can no longer be any doubt that either the LA Mayor, or his staff, are working to restrict the power and influence of LA's Neighborhood Councils. And, in some cases, with a vengeance.

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## Legal Tips

### Whose Fence is it Anyway?

**Q:** No one knows who built the fence between my home and my neighbor's, or when. We both thought it was our boundary.

Recently, he hired an engineer who said the fence is a foot inside his property line. My neighbor insists I move it back a foot. That will force me to dig up my roses. Can he force me to do that after all these years?

**A:** He can probably force you to move the fence, if you accept his survey. Before hiring a contractor, consider obtaining your own survey. Not all engineers reach the same conclusions.

If you eventually do move the fence, perhaps you can induce your neighbor to share the cost. It would be a neighborly thing to do.

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**Persepctive-From Page 8**

It is becoming disturbingly clear what Deputy Mayor Larry Frank meant by "significant" when he said that Neighborhood Councils would have "a significant role" in the Mayor's plan. Significant, it would seem, as messengers for the Mayor's projects and agenda. Not significant, it would seem, as empowered, independent voices for LA's neighborhoods, mandated by Charter to monitor the delivery of city services and to hold the city's elected officials accountable.

There are those who believe that the effort to control the influence of Neighborhood Councils is the work of a controlling, protective and obsessed staff. That the Mayor is involved in the big-picture stuff and many times is unaware of decisions his lieutenants are making. Which, they say, explains the growing reversal reputation.

There are others who say this Mayor is a take-charge guy and is totally cognizant of everything going on in his political world.

One thing is certain, where Neighborhood Councils are concerned, it's time for the Mayor to take charge. To be clear and to come clean on where he stands on grassroots empowerment and NC independence. *Even if his vision doesn't track with that of the NC folks.* Put a stop to the Reversal Roller Coaster. It's not only detrimental to a relationship with these Councils who want to support and respect him ... it simply the right thing to do. ■

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*This program is available to eligible LADWP residential customers. Program services are provided by local nonprofit community based organizations. Call the LADWP Toilet Exchange Program's direct line at (800) 203-7380 or go online at [www.ladwp.com](http://www.ladwp.com) and click on Rebates and Programs.*

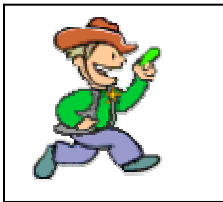

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## Rough 912 Ride-From Page 4

In the meantime, the Board of Neighborhood Commissioners submitted a unusually phrased letter that said its goal was to prevent any one group or person from having control of the commission – and then proposed that the Mayor appoint 100% of the commission.

Luckily, a number of allies on the City Council agreed that NC's needed to have significant input on commission selection. They agreed that NCs should be able, at the least, to select a pool of candidates, from which the Mayor would make some of his appointments.



Alex Padilla first proposed a plan in which the City Council's President and President Pro Tem, and the Mayor, would appoint commission members who would then join the seven selected by the NC's. That was the majority plan that came out of the Education and Neighborhood's committee. Janice Hahn then introduced her minority plan in which each City Councilperson had one appointment, the Mayor had seven and seven were to be selected by the NC's. A plan that was proposed by some councils early on and, of course, was ultimately adopted.

So what happens now?

### NCs Have Until June 19

Sometime before the June 19 deadline, Neighborhood Councils will have to determine a process and come up with at least two nominees per planning area for the Mayor to choose from. Suggested steps: a) review the Ordinance Appointments Process (See box this page); b) communicate with the NCs in your planning area to discuss process; c) get a recommendation action started in your own Council by appointing someone to shepard the process, coordinate with other councils, be aware of the deadlines and assure that your recommendations get to the pool. You may also want to review the Recommended Member Criteria in the ordinance.

Whatever process or system you participate in, this is your opportunity to make sure Neighborhood Council interests are represented and reflected on the NC Review Commission. And, the clock is running. *(Brady Westwater is a writer and sometime contributor to CityWatch.)* ■

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