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AVNC Board of Governors NOTICE OF TELECONFERENCE MEETING

(This meeting may be recorded.)

Thursday, September 12, 2024 – 7:00pm PT

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The Neighborhood Council system enables meaningful civic participation for all Angelenos and serves as a voice for improving government responsiveness to local communities and their needs. We are an advisory body to the City of Los Angeles, comprised of stakeholder volunteers who are devoted to the mission of improving our communities.



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1. **Call to Order, Roll Call, Code of Civility (7:00P)**
 - a. Meeting Called to Order
 - b. Call of the roll and certification of a quorum
 - c. Code of Civility is announced
2. **Government Representatives' Updates:** State, County, City, DONE, LAPD/FD (max 5 min each)
3. **Public comments** for items not on the agenda (max 2 min each)
4. **Presentations**
 - a. Luz Rabelo and Max Pop regarding North Atwater East Bank Riverway Project (10 minutes)
 - b. Lisa Hart from the Neighborhood Council Sustainability Alliance re: home electrification (8 minutes)
5. **Special Orders**
 - a. Filling Vacancies
 - i. Filling 2 seats that have converted to at-large seats
 1. Daniel Leon
 2. Laura Cowan
6. **Committee Reports**
 - a. **River**
 - i. Living Wall update: Jim will provide
 - ii. FoLAR LA River Cleanup: October 5th North Atwater Park (AVNC booth invite shared with Events Committee)
 - iii. Update: Meet up with Army Corp LA River, Project Manager Julio Ramos
 - iv. Update: Los Angeles County Drainage Area Disposition Study
 - b. **Education**
 - i. Voted to push Educ Fair II until 2025 Oct as two members are out of town first two weeks of October.
 - ii. Want to strategize and work on promotion and marketing of AVNC events - what is possible and how can we also help promote picnic series
 - iii. How can we let folks know about free Go Pass and Metro Pass for youth and advertise throughout our events series.
 - c. **Events**
 - i. Picnic updates / reminders
 - ii. AVNC swag - hat price research and assistance needed
7. **Business:**



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- A. **Discussion and possible action:** Approve up to \$3,900 to help Glenfeliz Elementary to construct a learning garden for preschool children. (Education)
- B. **Discussion and possible action:** Approve amendment to AVNC Bylaws that updates Article XIV Section 2 (Training) to outline specific training requirements and number of days that board members have to complete training. (Kushner)
- C. **Discussion and possible action:** Discuss potential participation and plan for 34th Annual Great LA River CleanUp (Outreach)
- D. **Approval of Meeting Minutes** from the August Board of Governors Meeting (Executive Committee)
- E. **Discussion and possible action:** Approval of the June 2024 Monthly Expense Report (MER) (Budget & Finance)
- F. **Discussion and possible action:** Approval of the July 2024 Monthly Expense Report (MER) (Budget & Finance)
- G. **Discussion and possible action:** Approval of the August 2024 Monthly Expense Report (MER) (Budget & Finance)
- H. **Discussion and possible action:** Approve and amend Fiscal year 2024-2025 budget (Budget & Finance)

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In conformity with the November 1, 2023, enactment of California Senate Bill SB 411 (Portantino) On October 8, 2023 Governor Gavin Newsom signed SB 411 into law, which modifies the Brown Act to authorize eligible legislative bodies, including Los Angeles Neighborhood Councils, to use teleconferencing for their meetings. November 9, 2023 (date adopted), The AVNC Board at a Brown Act noticed public meeting was held by this NC with a quorum of 14 board members present and that by a vote of 13 yes, 0 no, and 1 ineligible adopted the following resolution: Whereas, this resolution is the official statement adopted by this Neighborhood Council. The Atwater Village NC satisfies the $\frac{2}{3}$ board requirement of SB 411 and approves meeting virtually for board and/or committee meetings because using teleconferencing will allow for increased community participation, as well as allow for more time to discuss important issues, as well as help protect the health and safety of our board members and stakeholders.



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