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AVNC Board of Governors NOTICE OF SPECIAL TELECONFERENCE MEETING

(This meeting may be recorded.)

Sunday, January 19, 2025 – 6:30pm PT

PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE THIS AGENDA UNTIL AFTER THE MEETING HAS TAKEN PLACE.

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PUBLIC INPUT AT NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETINGS Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Board's jurisdiction will be heard during the General Public Comment period. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Board is prevented from acting on a matter that you bring to its attention during the General Public Comment period; however, the issue raised by a member of the public may become the subject of a future Board meeting. Public comment is limited to two (2) minutes per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board.

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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AGENDA

1. **Call to Order, Roll Call, Code of Civility (6:30PM)**
 - a. Meeting Called to Order
 - b. Call of the roll and certification of a quorum
 - c. Code of Civility is announced
2. **Public comments** for items not on the agenda (max 2 min each)
3. **Committee Reports**
 - a. **Elections Committee:** Reminder of upcoming election & deadlines
4. **Business:**
 - A. **Discussion & Possible Action:** Tree Lighting Event & How We Can Create Better coordination with the event team in the future
 - B. **Discussion & Possible Action:** Add an events liaison between the board & event runners
 - C. **Discussion & Possible Action:** Process to issue timely statements to the public
 - D. **Discussion & Possible Action:** CD13/Hugo Soto-Martinez regarding non-participation in the 2024 event.

VIRTUAL MEETING TELECONFERENCING NUMBER FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

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 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.

This Atwater Village Neighborhood Council committee meeting will be conducted entirely with a call-in option or internet-based service option.

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be provided upon request. To ensure availability of services, please make your request at least 3 business days (72 hours) prior to the meeting by contacting the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment by calling (213) 978-1551 or email: NCsupport@lacity.org

SB 411 Updates:

If a Neighborhood Council has a quorum of board members in a physical location, board members who wish to join the meeting via teleconferencing must adhere to AB 2449 rules and regulations. If a Neighborhood Council does not have a quorum of board members in a physical location, they must adhere to SB 411 rules and regulations.

In the event of a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting to members of the public using the call-in option or internet-based service option, or in the event of a disruption within the eligible legislative body's control that prevents members of the public from offering public comments using the call-in option or internet-based service option, the eligible legislative body shall take no further action on items appearing on the meeting agenda until public access to the meeting via the call-in option or internet-based service option is restored. Actions taken on agenda items during a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting may be challenged pursuant to Section 54960.1.

The eligible legislative body shall not require public comments to be submitted in advance of the meeting and shall provide an opportunity for the public to address the legislative body and offer comments in real time.

Notwithstanding Section 54953.3, an individual desiring to provide public comment through the use of an internet website, or other online platform, not under the control of the eligible legislative body, that requires registration to log in to a teleconference may be required to register as required by the third-party internet website or online platform to participate.

(i) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed public comment period for each agenda item shall not close the public comment period for the agenda item, or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph , to provide public comment until that timed public comment period has elapsed.

(ii) An eligible legislative body that does not provide a timed public comment period, but takes public comment separately on each agenda item, shall allow a reasonable amount of time per agenda item to allow public members the opportunity to provide public comment, including time for members of the public to register pursuant to subparagraph (D), or otherwise be recognized for the purpose of providing public comment.

(iii) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed general public comment period that does not correspond to a specific agenda item shall not close the public comment period or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph (D), until the timed general public comment period has elapsed.

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Public Access of Records -

In compliance with Government Code section 54957 at our website: www.AtwaterVillage.org or at the scheduled meeting. In addition, if you would like a copy of any record related to an item on the agenda, please contact Secretary@atwatervillage.org, or 323-230-3406.

Reconsideration and Grievance Process -

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