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**Special Board Meeting Agenda**

**Tuesday, May 6, 2025**

**7:00pm**

Zoom Meeting Online:

Webinar ID: **820 9072 1161**

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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.

**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.

## **I. CALL TO ORDER AND BOARD ROLL CALL**

## **II. GOVERNMENT REPORTS**

- a. Public Safety
- b. City Council Representative
- c. Mayor's Office
- d. Government Departments/Agencies
- e. Department of Neighborhood Empowerment, Lorenzo Briceno

**III. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT** - Comments from the public on non-agenda items within the Board's subject matter jurisdiction. Each speaker will be allowed 2 minute(s).

## **IV. ADMINISTRATIVE**

- a. **Funding & Action Item: Discussion & Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval of meeting minutes for the month of January 2024, February 2024, March 2024, April 2024, May 2024, June 2024, July 2024, August 2024, September 2024, October 2024, November 2024, December 2024, January 2025, February 2025, and March 2025.
- b. **Funding & Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval a Neighborhood Purpose Grant in the amount of \$5,000 to All Peoples Community Center to purchase equipment and conduct stakeholder outreach for the community music festival taking place on May 16, 2026, within the Central Alameda Neighborhood Council area, promoting cultural celebration, civic engagement, and community unity through music and the arts.
- c. **Funding & Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval to participation in All Peoples Community Center's biweekly food distributions, held every other Friday, and allocate up to \$2,000 for administrative fees and outreach materials to increase member engagement and promote awareness of Neighborhood Council programs and services
- d. **Funding & Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval of a Neighborhood Purpose Grant in the amount of \$4,750 to Beautify LA to support public space enhancements, community workshops, and outreach efforts including direct assistance for individuals experiencing homelessness through food, hygiene kits, and connection to essential services.
- e. **Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval that the Central Alameda Neighborhood Council support and participate in CicLAvia, Historic South Central meets Watts on Sunday, June 22, 2025, by hosting a community booth along the 6.4-mile open streets route. We further move to promote the event, notify stakeholders of street closures from 7am to 6pm, and engage residents in this free, family-friendly celebration of active transportation and community connection.
- f. **Council File 25-0600: Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval to submit a letter to the Department of Recreation and Parks urging that the current needs assessment reflect community priorities, including equitable open space access, transparency in funding use, land use contracts, and contract opportunities for local organizations. The letter should also call for regular public reporting from park advisory boards to local Neighborhood Councils and stakeholders, and increased access for community groups to utilize park facilities and co-create programming.

- g. Council File 25-0314: Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval to support Council File 25-0314 to create a five-person advisory group on the City's finances and budget, and strongly recommend that a Neighborhood Council Budget Advocate be appointed as one of the five members. Budget Advocates have a 14-year track record of providing informed recommendations, and their inclusion would ensure community representation and fiscal accountability.
- h. Funding Action Item:** Discussion and possible approval to purchase a wireless PA system for up to \$700.00 for community events, and outreach.

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- [www.EmpowerLA.org/CANC](http://www.EmpowerLA.org/CANC)
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<https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=23-0628>

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