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**EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS CENTRAL AREA NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL**

**Virtual Transportation & Public Works Committee Meeting Agenda**

**Monday April 20th, 2026, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM**

**Zoom Meeting Online or By Telephone**

**<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/3312682647>**

**Meeting ID: 331 268 2647 | Passcode: ajQY5h**

**By Phone: 646.931.3860 | 3312682647# | 821207#**

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IN CONFORMITY WITH THE JANUARY 1, 2026 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA SENATE BILL 707 (DURAZO) AND LA CITY COUNCIL FILE 23-1114, THE Empowerment Congress Central T&WP Committee NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED VIRTUALLY.

Every person wishing to address the Board must dial (**By Phone: 646.931.3860 | 3312682647# | 821207#**), and enter **3312682647# then 821207#**) to join the meeting. When prompted by the presiding officer, to provide public input at the Neighborhood Council meeting the public will be requested to dial \*9 or use the Raise Hand option, to address the Board on any agenda item before the Board takes an action on an item. Comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered.

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.

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. **California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(3).**

The 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. **California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(4).**

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. **California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(5),**

A 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 paragraph (5), to provide public comment until that timed public comment period has elapsed.

**California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(6)(A),**

A 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 paragraph (5), or otherwise be recognized for the purpose of providing public comment.

**California Government Code Section 54953.8(b)(6)(B).**

**I. Call To Order & ROLL CALL:**

- a. The Transportation & Public Works Committee is a standing committee of the Empowerment Congress Central Area Neighborhood Development Council (ECCANDC) and are **advisory in nature to the board**. Any decisions made at this meeting **are not considered board actions** and shall go back only **as recommendations** to the ECCANDC board for a final vote at a regular or special board meeting.

**II. Welcome & General Announcements**

- a. T&PW Committee will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at 6:30pm virtually
- b. EC Central NC Regular Board meeting occurs every 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at 6pm in-person and via zoom

**III. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:**

- a. 2 minutes per speaker

**IV. Special Guest Presentations**

- a. Western Our Way (15 min)

**V. Los Angeles County METRO**

- a. Metro Board Composition Community Input
- b. Metro LIFE Program
- c. Metro Student Go Pass Program

**VI. ADJOURNMENT**

**Next Committee Meeting: Monday May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 6:30pm (PST)**

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