

EAST HOLLYWOOD
NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
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This Executive Committee meets the second Wednesday of each month at 7:00pm.

# **CITY OF LOS ANGELES**

EAST HOLLYWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

# Special Joint Executive and Budget & Finance Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, July 13, 2022 7:00pm

Executive Chair: Andoni Elias Nava Executive Co-Chair: Christopher Martinez Executive Members: James Bennett, Jeff Zarrinnam, Jillian Schultz & Natalie Chyba

**Budget & Finance Chair:** James Bennett **Budget & Finance Co-Chair:** Jeff Zarrinnam



**ERIC GARCETTI - MAYOR** 

#### **GOVERNING BOARD OFFICERS**

Andoni Elias Nava - President Christopher Martinez - Vice President James Bennett - Treasurer Jeff Zarrinnam - Corresponding Treasurer Jillian Schultz - Corresponding Secretary Natalie Chyba - Recording Secretary

#### GOVERNING BOARD MEMBERS

Lucine Poturyan
Adi Bhairi
Colter Carlisle
Wendy Gomez
Doug Haines
Estalyn Marquis
Christopher Martinez
Chelsea Mottern
Skylar Summers
Stephanie Park

#### Via ZOOM

https://zoom.us/j/91539547845

Via Phone: (669) 900-6833 Meeting ID: 915 3954 7845

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IN CONFORMITY WITH THE SEPTEMBER 16, 2021 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY BILL 361 (RIVAS) AND DUE TO CONCERNS OVER COVID-19, THE EAST HOLLYWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED ENTIRELY WITH A CALL-IN OPTION OR INTERNET-BASED SERVICE OPTION.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Members of the public may submit public comment for any agenda item or on matters not appearing on this Agenda within the Council's jurisdiction either prior to the meeting or during the period allotted for public comment. Public comment may be submitted by [1] by clicking the 'raise hand' button via Zoom during the period allotted for public comment, or [2] by dialing \*9 (if joining the meeting via telephone) to 'raise hand' during the period allotted for public comment. Public comment for agenda items is limited to 1 minute, with a cumulative total of 3 minutes for multiple agenda items. General public comment shall be limited to a cumulative total of 2 minutes.

AB 361 Updates: Public comment cannot be required to be submitted in advance of the meeting, only real-time public comment is required. If there are any broadcasting interruptions that prevent the public from observing or hearing the meeting, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned. If members of the public are unable to provide public comment or be heard due to issues within the Neighborhood Council's control, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned.

### **Executive Committee**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items

- III. Roll Call
- IV. Action items
  - A. Consent Agenda
    - 1. Motion to approve Colter Carlisle as the Co-Chair of the Business Committee (Martinez)
  - B. **Discussion and possible action** regarding agenda items that have been submitted. (Schultz)
  - **C. Discussion** regarding use of EHNC funds in new fiscal year, with respect to NPGs and Outreach Budget in particular (Carlisle)
  - D. **Discussion and Possible action** approving the creation of the Immigrant Rights Committee in <u>Standing Rules</u>, connected to Bylaws, and the approval of its language: "Duties include, but are not limited to, in advocating for, connecting with, and sharing information on behalf of the immigrant communities of East Hollywood. The Immigrant Rights Representative shall be chair of the Immigrant Rights Committee upon the seating of each new board; unless otherwise agreed upon by the board. The Immigrant Rights Committee shall meet at least six (6) times per year." (Martinez)
  - E. **Discussion and Possible Action** approving language in the <u>Standing Rules</u> regarding the creation of an appointment process for the President, Vice President, and Executive Board members (Martinez)
- V. New/Old Business
  - A. Governing Board Minutes
  - B. Next Executive Board meeting
- VI. Adjournment

## **Budget & Finance Committee**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Action items
  - A. **Discussion and possible action** on <u>Admin Packet</u>. Define annual budget.
  - B. **Re-Approve** Utility Box Murals
    - 1. Approval of Roxy Blazey's utility box mural application for \$250 CIP
    - 2. Approval of <u>Tommy Bui's</u> utility box mural application for \$250 CIP
    - 3. Approval of <u>Vanessa Morrow</u>'s utility box mural application for \$250 CIP
    - 4. Approval of <u>Ricky Sencion's</u> utility box mural application for \$250 CIP
  - C. **Discussion and review** of <u>June MER.</u>
  - D. **Discussion and review** of May MER.
  - E. **Discussion and possible action** regarding NPG from The Laundry Truck LA for up to \$3540
  - F. **Discussion and possible action** regarding NPG from the Ukrainian Art Center for up to \$5000
  - G. **Discussion and possible action** regarding Produce Box new dates & <u>funding</u> for up to \$3,250

- 1. Dates: Aug 21, Sept 11, Sept 25, Oct 9, Oct 23, Nov 20, Dec 4, Dec 19 (2022)
- V. New/Old Business
  - A. Next Budget & Finance Meeting
- VI. Adjournment

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**COUNCIL PROCESS**: Everyone who lives, works, owns property, attends school, is a member of a faith organization or works in a non-profit organization that provides services within the boundaries of the East Hollywood Neighborhood Council is a "stakeholder." All stakeholders are members of the Council. Stakeholders elect a Governing Board to represent them. This Board is recognized as the decision-making entity by the City of Los Angeles and was elected on March 31, 2019. While the Board is an official decision-making entity, meetings are conducted as much as possible in a town hall format. Committees are open to anyone with an interest in East Hollywood. The East Hollywood Neighborhood Council depends on the active public participation of its diverse, dynamic and unique community for its success.

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