

EAST HOLLYWOOD
NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
CERTIFIED COUNCIL # 91
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This Governing Board meets the third

Monday of each month at 7:00pm.

## **CITY OF LOS ANGELES**

# EAST HOLLYWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

**Governing Board Agenda** 

Monday, December 18, 2023 7:00PM

Meeting Location
Hollywood Hotel
1160 N Vermont Ave
Los Angeles, CA 90029

## Location Information: PARKING AVAILABLE ON SITE

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EHNC meeting. Enter through the lobby and take
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## Via ZOOM

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Via Phone: (669) 900-6833 Meeting ID: 928 0565 8816

Executive Chair: Christopher Martinez
Executive Co-Chair: Colter Carlisle
Executive Members: James Bennett, Jeff
Zarrinnam, Jillian Schultz & Jack Symington



#### KAREN BASS - MAYOR

#### **GOVERNING BOARD OFFICERS**

Christopher Martinez - President Colter Carlisle - Vice President James Bennett - Treasurer Jeff Zarrinnam - Corresponding Treasurer Jillian Schultz - Corresponding Secretary Jack Symington - Recording Secretary

#### **GOVERNING BOARD MEMBERS**

Doug Haines Jennifer Lee Stephanie Park Mike Sadler Natalie Chyba

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**PUBLIC COMMENT:** 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 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, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board.

- Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items
- IV. Community Reports
  - A. CD 13 Report, Office of Councilmember Hugo Soto-Martinez
  - B. Neighborhood Prosecutor
  - C. Budget Advocate Report
  - D. LAPD Report
    - a. Senior Lead Officer Rampart Division Ryan Nguyen
    - b. Senior Lead Officer North East Division Antonio Hernandez
    - c. Senior Lead Officer Hollywood Division Annabelle Eubank (South of Sunset/West of Normandie)
    - d. Senior Lead Officer Hollywood Division Mika Gonzalez (North of Sunset/West of Normandie)
  - E. City of LA Report, Office of Mayor Karen Bass
  - F. CA Assembly District 52, Office of Assemblyperson Wendy Carillo (Arce)
  - G. LA County Supervisor Hilda Solis District 1, Guadalupe Camberos
  - H. Department of Neighborhood Empowerment, Joel Gonzalez
  - I. Los Angeles Public Library Cahuenga Library, Crystal Noe
  - J. CA State Senator District 24, Maria Elena Durazo
- V. Community Voices (2 min per item)
  - A. Thai CDC Update
  - B. East Hollywood Bid (Jeff Zarrinnam)
- VI. Action Items
  - **A. Discussion and possible action** regarding the appointment of Vicky Olson as the Public Health, Safety, and Sustainability Representative. (Martinez)
  - **B. Discussion and possible action** regarding the encampment near Fountain and Normandie (Martinez)
  - **C. Discussion and possible action** regarding sending a <u>letter</u> to CD13, Mayor's Office, and LADOT concerning the traffic fatalities on both <u>Fountain</u> and <u>Western Avenue</u> (Chyba)
  - D. Consent Agenda:
    - Motion approval of October 2023 Minutes and November 2023 minutes (Symington)
  - E. <u>Presentation</u> by Ashley Gonzales-Vielman from LAANE and Motion to support the Tourism Workers Rising motion (Council File: 14-1371-S13) introduced in April to amend the Los Angeles Living Wage Ordinance and the Los Angeles Hotel Worker Minimum Wage Ordinance through a <u>CIS</u> (<u>Pager</u> & <u>Tourism Impact Analysis</u>) (Martinez)
  - F. Discussion and Possible Action regarding progress on Bike in Movie at Barnsdall (Schultz)
  - G. **Discussion and Possible Action** <u>regarding changes to the Bylaws</u> for evaluation by DONE due March of 2024
    - a. Discussion and Possible Action on phrases, grammatical errors, and additions to the Bylaws (Martinez)
  - H. **Discussion and Possible Action** requiring the minimum threshold for quorum to reflect 50% plus 1 of sitting board members adding this to Bylaws Article V, Section 2: Quorum and striking, "Nine (9) members of the Board shall constitute a quorum" with the addition of moving this section of Quorum to Standing Rules (Martinez)
  - I. **Discussion and Possible Action** regarding adding and modifying Bylaws Article VIII Meetings, Section 1: Meeting Time and Place, "All Governing Board meetings shall be held within the Council boundaries at a location, date and time set by the Board. All Council committee meetings can be held within or outside of Council boundaries as determined by each individual committee" (Carlisle)

- VII. Budget and Finance Action Items:
  - A. Approval of the October 2023 MER and November MER
  - B. **Discussion and possible action** regarding the purchase of Zapier's Premium plan, an automation solution. Link: <a href="https://zapier.com/pricing">https://zapier.com/pricing</a> It is \$19.99/mo when purchased annually. That brings us to \$240/yr plus tax. Final Approval of up to \$250. (Sadler)
  - C. **Discussion and possible action** about adding <u>Budget Advocate</u> positions to the board (Carlisle)
    - 1. Appoint Colter Carlisle as a Budget Advocate member
  - D. Reapproval of the <u>Up to Us Campaign NPG</u> up to \$231
    - 1. Not sure we need this lol but I figured we should generate a BAC in case we do. It takes 30 secs.
  - E. **Discussion and possible action** regarding the <u>December 2023 NPG Batch</u>.
    - 1. Suggested figures for ask adjustments.
    - 2. Healing Urban Barrios (see Drive folder above) Up to \$5000
    - 3. Laundry Vouchers " " " " Up to \$1550
    - 4. Ronald McD House " " " Up to \$5,000
  - F. Reapproval of <u>Wendy Moore as Webmaster</u>
  - G. Payment of Webmaster Bills for \$2,015.60
  - H. Approval of the updated Admin Packet
    - 1. Have to indicate Chris as the new Alt. Signer so he can sign stuff.

### VIII. Committee Reports (1 min per item)

- A. Arts & Culture (Schultz)
- B. Budget & Finance (Bennett)
- C. Business (Zarrinnam)
- D. By Laws, Ethics & Standing Rules (Martinez)
  - a. Bylaws
  - b. Standing Rules (pdf version)
- E. Executive Committee (Martinez)
- F. Homelessness & Displacement Prevention (Sadler)
- G. Immigrant's Rights (Sadler)
- H. Outreach (Carlisle)
- I. Planning & Land Use Management (Park)
- J. Public Health, Safety & Sustainability (Chyba)
- K. Youth & Education (Bennett)
- L. Ad Hoc LACC Swap Meet / Street Vendors ()

## IX. Announcements

- A. Update on Produce Box Event on December 17
- B. Next Board Meeting on 01/22 and Executive Meeting Date 01/10
- C. Update on SB411 (Martinez)
- D. Update from President (Martinez)

#### X. 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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