

HISTORIC HIGHLAND PARK NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

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Historic Highland Park General Board Meeting Agenda

Thursday, May 4th, 2023 - 7:00pm

Highland Park Recreation Center

6150 Piedmont Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90042

For supporting documents visit:

<https://tinyurl.com/4mayHHPNC>

Si requiere servicios de traducción, favor de avisar al Concejo Vecinal 3 días de trabajo (72 horas) antes del evento. Por favor contacte por correo electrónico info@highlandparknc.com para avisar al Concejo Vecinal.

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 minutes per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board.

1. CALL TO ORDER

- a. Meeting Called to Order by Chair

2. ROLL CALL

- a. Call of the roll and certification of a quorum by Presiding Secretary

3. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Motion to approve agenda

4. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS - [submit here](#) or email info@highlandparknc.com

5. GOVERNMENT REPORTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS - Strong plea to only report if information cannot be emailed to the community. If the public has questions that were not answered, please follow up with the presenter via email so that the meeting may proceed as scheduled, if not all offices are in attendance, extend time (up to 2 minute each)

- a. LAFD
- b. LAPD
- c. LA Public Library
- d. LA City Council District Representatives (CD1 and CD14)
- e. Mayor's Office

- f. DONE
- g. LA Recs and Parks
- h. State
- i. Federal

6. MESSAGES AND REPORTS - If your update regards an agenda item, please consider leaving your update for the allotted time for the agenda item. All individuals providing reports are also highly encouraged to submit dates and information relevant to the public to the outreach team for inclusion in public communications. Any extended updates are to be requested before the general board meeting to the President.

- a. Committee Reports (2 min each)
 - i. Rules
 - ii. Finance
 - iii. Outreach
 - iv. Public Safety
 - v. Land Use
 - vi. Environmental
 - vii. Youth and Education
 - viii. Housing, Renters and Homelessness
 - ix. Arts
 - x. Elections Ad Hoc
 - xi. North East Community Plan Ad Hoc
 - xii. Neighborhood Purpose Grant Review Ad Hoc
- b. Liaison & Alliance Reports (2 min max each)
 - i. LANCC representative
- c. Budget Advocates Report

7. DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE MOTION: BAC for facility use of Recreation and Parks Facilities May, June, July up to \$600. (Samantha/Theresa)

- a. Highland Park Recreational Center After Hours Usage Fees
- b. Highland Park Adult Senior Center After Hours Usage Fees

8. DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE MOTION: HHPNC support for upcoming Congress of Neighborhoods up \$500.00 (Teresa Y. Hillery, Congress of Neighborhoods)

9. DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE MOTION: [Community Impact Statement \(CIS\)](#) regarding Dumping off the Historic Arroyo Seco Parkway (I-110) South exit at Bridewell

10. DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE MOTION: [Community Impact Statement \(CIS\)](#) in support of SB411 Open meetings: teleconferences: neighborhood councils.

11. POSSIBLE APPOINTMENT OF VACANT SEATS AND REMOVAL: (Appointment to the board is only for the remainder of the term, till the end of June 2023)

- a. 2 Director At-Large
- b. 1 Senior Seat

12. CONSENT CALENDAR APPROVAL:

- a. February and March [MER](#)
- b. March Meetings [Minutes](#)
- c. Approve payment of past due [invoice from Quikr Printer](#) for \$217.00
- d. Approve payment to [Joe Bravo Art](#) for bumper sticker art design \$75

13. NEW BUSINESS

14. ADJOURNMENT

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- Fire Station #12 located at 5921 North Figueroa Street, Los Angeles CA 90042
- <https://www.highlandparknc.com>
- You can also receive our agendas via email by subscribing to L.A. City's [Early Notification System \(ENS\)](#)

Notice to Paid Representatives -

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Public Access of Records -

In compliance with Government Code section 54957.5, non-exempt writings that are distributed to a majority or all of the board in advance of a meeting may be viewed at our website: www.highlandparknc.com or at the scheduled meeting. In addition, if you would like a copy of any record related to an item on the agenda, please email at: info@highlandparknc.com.

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