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CITY OF LOS ANGELES

LA-32 NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

General Board Meeting

Wednesday, October 1, 2025 6:00 PM

El Sereno Senior Citizens Center

48418 Klamath Place

Los Angeles, CA 90032

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AGENDA

Opening Remarks

1. Call to Order. Roll call. Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Community / Government Reports and Announcements: Limited to 3 minutes per speaker.

a. LA City Council District 14 Representative

b. LAPD Senior Lead and LAFD

c. Government Departments/Agencies/DONE

d. Community Organizations

e. LAUSD Representative

3. Reports from Committee Chairs and Treasurer: Limited to 2 minutes per speaker.

(a) Executive Committee - Ernesto Rubio

(b) Sports and Recreation Committee - Vacant

(c) Land Use and Development Committee - Charles Ferreira

(d) Beautification Committee - Astra Price (includes presentation of Garden of the Month award)

(e) Arts and Cultural Committee - Ester Petschar

(f) Civic Engagement Committee - Charlene McDonald

(g) Public Safety Committee - Frances Burgoin

(h) Budget and Finance Committee - Frances Burgoin

(i) Bylaws Committee - Charles Ferreira

(j) Education Committee - Ernesto Rubio

4. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda items: Comments from the public on non-agenda items must be within the Board's jurisdiction. Each speaker will be allowed **one (1) minute**.

OLD BUSINESS

5. Discussion and possible motion to fill the vacant South Region Director seat. This position is open to all stakeholders. Stakeholders are encouraged to self-nominate for this position.

6. Discussion and possible motion to fill the vacant West Region seat. This position is open to all stakeholders. Stakeholders are encouraged to self-nominate for this position.

7. Discussion and possible motion to appoint an alternate signer. This position is open to seated directors.

8. Discussion and possible motion to fill any vacancies on standing committees. Currently, there are vacancies that can be filled by stakeholders. Stakeholders are encouraged to self-nominate for these positions.

9. Discussion and possible motion to create and transmit a Community Impact Statement (CIS) opposing Council File (CF) 15-0989 S47, which would exempt self-described “Olympics related” projects from “planning or zoning regulations that could delay or impede rapid development”. The Board has previously voted its opposition to this Council File. A draft CIS has been submitted and may be found at www.la32nc.com in the Documents section.

NEW BUSINESS

10. Discussion and possible motion to approve the Monthly Expense Report for the month of August 2025. Supporting documents may be found at www.clerk.lacity.org.

11. Discussion and possible motion to approve minutes for the August 20, 2025 Executive Committee meeting, the September 3 2025 General board meeting and the September 2025 Beautification Committee.. Supporting documents may be found at www.la32nc.com in the Documents section.

12. Discussion and possible motion to approve this month’s Garden of the Month award winner..

13. Discussion and possible motion to select a date for a Board Retreat. The dates of November 15 and November 22 have been suggested. This Special Meeting is open to the public, and is required of all Directors..

14. Discussion and possible motion to appoint a Homelessness Liaison. This position is open to seated Directors.

15. Discussion and possible motion to grant community activist Hugo Garcia 5 minutes to present information about Save Elephant Hill efforts, and perhaps, other community efforts.

16. Discussion and possible motion to approve a Neighborhood Purpose Grant (NPG) submitted by Beautify LA, in the amount of \$4,900. Supporting documents may be found at www.la32nc.com in the Documents section.

17. Motion to adjourn.