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**NORTH HOLLYWOOD NORTHEAST
 NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL AGENDA**

Meeting Type:
 Special Joint Meeting of the
 North Hollywood Northeast
 Neighborhood Council
 and the
**Beautification & Public Safety
 Committee**

Date:
Wednesday, August 28, 2024
8:00 pm

Location:
Los Angeles Fire Station 89,
Community Room
7063 Laurel Canyon, L.A., CA 91605

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Regular Board Meetings
 the 3rd WEDNESDAY
 January through December @ 7PM

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 the Community Room at the back of
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This meeting is noticed as a Special Joint Meeting of the North Hollywood Northeast Neighborhood Council and the Beautification and Public Safety Committee, because there may be a majority of neighborhood council board members present in a number sufficient to take board action. Any action taken at this meeting will only be an action of the Beautification and Public Safety Committee members present and not an action of the North Hollywood Northeast Neighborhood Council as a body.

Item #	Topic	Responsible Person
1	Call Meeting to Order ~ Welcome – Review of Meeting Rules ~	Chair
2	Roll Call for Beautification & Public Safety Committee Members and Separate roll call for other Board members in attendance.	Chair
3	Comments by Government Officials (3 min each)	Various
4	Public Comments on Non-Agenda Items (3 min each)	Various
***	BEAUTIFICATION	***
	Community Improvement Projects (CIP)	
5	Discussion and Possible Action: Lankershim Slope Beautification Project (CIP) Update	Chair
6	Discussion and Possible Action: Art Boxes - Traffic Signal Control Box Murals (CIP) Update	Chair
7	Discussion and Possible Action: Other Possible areas to consider for a CIP	Various

Parks & Green Spaces		
8	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: Pedestrian Facilities Inventory and Condition Assessment Pilot Project (BOE) - Stakeholder Survey - Council File 21-1469-S1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=21-1469-S1 ● This survey is an opportunity to answer all the questions in a way to promote trees as opposed to hardscape as the desired street amenity and priority in pedestrian facilities (includes: sidewalks, curb ramps, crosswalks, pedestrian signals, bus stops, etc.) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Spanish translation is available via the language setting at the top of the survey. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The survey will remain open through mid-September. ○ https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Vo882q_5HkeutfPQzcSza7I3dv4ums9LrcLOZ0Yi-LpUNTNKSTIxSkI5RIIJM1RKOFQySjRGUFBBsy4u 	Chair
9	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: Griffith Observatory Coin-operated Telescopes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Concession Agreement expired. Staff will soon release a Request for Information (RFI) to discover industry-wide equipment options for payment methods within a public telescope since most citizens no longer carry coins. ● Concessionaire gave notice to RAP to cease operations citing declining sales, the lack of people carrying coins, and key maintenance staff retiring. ● Observatory staff considering options including purchasing the 18 telescopes and converting them to free-view telescopes. 	Chair
***	PUBLIC SAFETY	***
City Services		
10	<p>Council District Field Deputies (contacts below) occasionally attend if schedule allows. Please join us and bring your local concerns.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Discussion and Possible action: Promotion for more community use of the MyLA311 app/call-in for reporting to improve our communities quality of life, I suggest that the primary focuses of the reporting would be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 1) Graffiti - often associated with Gang Activity ○ 2) Illegal Dumping of Bulk Items - makes for unsanitary conditions ○ 3) Streetlights not working - affects public safety ○ 4) Potholes/sidewalk repair - claim form to possibly get reimbursed for damage caused by potholes available here ○ 5) Encampments - affects public safety and right-of-way https://myla311.lacity.org/ ● Discussion and possible action: other community-reported public safety issues. <p>Council District 2 (CD2): Arus Grigoryan arus.grigoryan@lacity.org Council District 6 (CD6): Rafael Gonzalez rafael.a.gonzalez@lacity.org Rebecca Gurrola rebecca.gurrola@lacity.org</p>	Chair
Sanitation		
11	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: LA Sanitation Freestanding Trash Cans</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Summary: The City of LA's Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN) added free standing trash bins with hinged tops to high traffic street corners through former Mayor Garciti's "Clean Streets LA" city-wide effort to clean our neighborhood from 2015-2019. ● However, these trash bins are not maintained well and there are not enough in our area, though other communities are getting more in 2024 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Example in CD1 "LASAN began the installation of 30 automated litter bins and 60 metal slatted bins last week, and the work is expected to be complete by mid-March. Trash pick for these bins will take place six days a week, from Monday through Saturday." <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● CleanStat 2018 report ● Consider drafting a letter to the Mayor's Office and/or LASAN and/or CD2 & CD6 	Vice-Chair Palluzzi

12	<p align="center">Discussion and Possible Action: Street Furniture including trash cans Request for Bus Shelter, Bench or Other Facilities</p> <p align="center">https://streetsla.lacity.org/request-bus-shelter-or-bench</p>	Chair
Crime & Safety		
13	<p>Discussion and Possible Action: <i>Unarmed Model of Crisis Response Pilot Program (UMCR)</i> Council File 20-0769-S7 ; Council File 20-0769-S6 ; Council File 22-0979</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>“CAO, in partnership with the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) and three non-profit service providers, Exodus Recovery, Inc., Alcott Center, and Penny Lane Centers, launched a pilot to divert non-emergency 9-1-1 calls for service to unarmed responders. This pilot, the UMCR, currently is operational in three Police Areas, Southeast, Wilshire, and Devonshire. Council File No. 20-0769-S6 provides a summary of the UMCR pilot and efforts taken ahead of its launch to ensure success. This report will provide further information on the pilot, its first month of service, preliminary findings, and recommendations for expansion. The UMCR Pilot will also inform the development of a multi-year transition plan and framework to create a citywide, 24/7 unarmed response program (Council File No. 22-0979). The CAO is closely monitoring the UMCR performance, challenges, and successes to provide future guidance on expanding this program in coordination with other, existing alternative response programs.”</i> ● June 2024 After Launch Report https://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2020/20-0769-s7_rpt_cao_6-05-24.pdf ● March 2024 Pre-Launch Report https://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2020/20-0769-S7_rpt_CAO_02-29-24.pdf ● May 2023 Proposal Report https://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2020/20-0769-S6_misc_5-17-23.pdf ● Public Safety Committee scheduled item for committee meeting on August 27, 2024. https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=20-0769-S7 https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=20-0769-S6 	Chair
14	<p align="center">Consideration and possible action: reports of local crime & safety issues. Depending on their schedule, LAPD Senior Lead Officers (contacts below) occasionally attend.</p> <p align="center">Foothill Community Division: https://www.lapdonline.org/lapd-contact/valley-bureau/foothill-community-police-station/</p> <p align="center">North Hollywood Community Division: https://www.lapdonline.org/lapd-contact/valley-bureau/north-hollywood-community-police-station/</p> <p align="center">Senior Lead Officers (SLOs) and their coverage area maps: https://lapdonlinestrgeacc.blob.core.usgovcloudapi.net/lapdonlinemedia/fthl-slo-map-jan-2023-.pdf 16A81 - Officer Cesar Contreras (818) 634-0854 36373@lapd.online</p> <p align="center">https://lapdonlinestrgeacc.blob.core.usgovcloudapi.net/lapdonlinemedia/BASIC-CAR-MAP_022223.pdf 15A3 Officer Gabriel Ahedo (818) 634-0949 33107@lapd.online 15A27 Officer Cesar Gonzalez (424) 552-0256 36888@lapd.online 15A33 Officer Jennifer DuVally (818) 634-0809 30991@lapd.online</p>	Chair
***	Concluding Statements	***
15	Committee Member Announcements	Various
16	Adjourn	Chair

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