



CITY OF LOS ANGELES
PICO UNION NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
Special General Board Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, April 9, 2025 - 5:30 PM



LAPD Olympic Division
Community Room
1130 South Vermont Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90006

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1. CALL TO ORDER

a. Welcome & Pledge of Allegiance

2. ROLL CALL

Board Members	Present	Absent
Jay Park, President		
Jovita Carrillo, Vice President		
Daniel Perez, Treasurer		
Aurora Corona, Secretary		
Hernan Molina		
Alejandra Delfin		
Andrea Castro		

Nery Larios		
Karena Godoy		
Carrie Surtees		
Lou Shapiro		
Hector Flores		
Total		

3. COMMUNITY/GOVERNMENT REPORTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. LAPD Senior Lead Officers
- b. City and other Governmental Agencies

4. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS/COMMENTARIOS GENERAL PÚBLICO

Comments from the public on non-agenda items within the board's subjects matter jurisdiction. Public comments are limited to two (2) minutes per speaker.

Los comentarios del público sobre temas no relacionados con el orden del día dentro de la jurisdicción de la junta materia. Los comentarios públicos están limitados a dos (2) minutos por persona.

5. COMMITTEE REPORTS/INFORMES DE LAS COMITÉS:

- a. Outreach Committee/Comité de Alcance - Chair, Jovita Carrillo
- b. Quality of Life and Safety Committee/Comité de Calidad de Vida y Seguridad-
Chair, Aurora Corona
 - 1. Saturday, April 12, 2025 - PUNC & Pandas Spring Community Cleanup
 - 2. Saturday, April 19, 2025 - Normandie Rec Easter Egg Hunt
 - 3. Monday to Wednesday, April 21-23 - LAFD 3-Day Appreciation Dinner in collaboration with Saint Sophia, Westlake, North, Echo Park, United Neighborhoods Neighborhood Councils.
 - 4. New Hampshire Mural Update
 - 5. Alvarado Terrace Park Dog Waste Station Update
- c. Transportation Committee/Comité de Transporte - Chair, Aurora Corona
[Vermont Transit Corridor Visual Simulation - YouTube](#)
- d. Zoning, Planning, and Land Use/Zonificación, planificación y uso de Tierra,
Chair Daniel Perez
- e. Youth Committee/Comité de Juventud - Vacant

6. Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Sustainability Alliance Report/Informe de la Alianza de Sostenibilidad del Consejo Vecinal de Los Ángeles - Aurora Corona

- Lawn to Habitat Project Report
 03-09-25 L2H
- April 26th - Earth Day Palms NC - 26 Native Trees will be planted!
 04-26-25 Native Tree Planting.jpg
- LA Rec and Parks - Parks Needs Assessment Meeting - Open to Mid-April,
[LA Park Needs Assessment –Survey - Department of Recreation and Parks](#)

7. Budget Representative Report/Informe del Representante del Presupuesto - Aurora Corona & Hernan Molina

[24-0600-S114 misc Full Council FY 24-25 Mid-Year FSR Presentation.pdf](#)

[NCBA White Paper Eliminate the Structural Deficit 2025.03.08](#)

8. CONSENT CALENDAR

- a. Discussion and possible action to approve the Monthly Expenditure Reports (MER) for the month of February 2025 and March 2025

Discusión y posibles acciones para aprobar el Informe Mensual de Egresos (MER) del mes de febrero de 2025 y el de marzo de 2025.

- b. Discussion and possible action to approve the Minutes of the March 11, 2025 Special Board Meeting.

Discusión y posible acción para aprobar los Minutos de la Reunión Especial de la Junta Directiva del 11 de marzo de 2025.

[03-11-2025 Meeting Minutes](#)

- c. Discussion and possible action to approve \$250.00 for a LaserJet Black Toner Cartridge for office printing material.

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A. Castro	N. Larios	K. Godoy	C. Surtees	L. Shapiro	H. Flores

9. PRESENTATIONS AND MOTIONS:

- a. Presentation by Magybet Mendez, CEO of IMMIGO followed by a request for a letter of support the following:
- To provide family-based immigration help and U.S. Citizenship classes.
 - To develop a Community Garden Space at the Union Avenue

Community Garden located at 1136 S Union Ave Los Angeles, CA 90015

Presentación por Magybet Mendez, CEO de IMMIGO, seguida de una solicitud de carta de apoyo para lo siguiente:

- i. Proporcionar ayuda de inmigración basada en la familia y clases de ciudadanía estadounidense.
- ii. Desarrollar un espacio de jardín comunitario en el Union Avenue Community Garden ubicado en 1136 S Union Ave Los Ángeles, CA 90015.

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- b. Presentation by Rosalinda Hernandez and Maria Soberanis from Comunidad de National Health Foundation (NHF).

Presentación por Rosalinda Hernandez y Maria Soberanis de la Comunidad de la Fundación Nacional de Salud (NHF).

- c. Presentation by CicLAvia about Pico Union CicLAMini event on Sunday, May 18, 2025.

Presentación de CicLAvia sobre el evento CicLAMini en Pico Union el domingo 18 de mayo de 2025.

- d. Discussion and possible action to approve the submission of a support letter for the Koreatown Youth + Community Center (KYCC) in response to a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for graffiti removal and abatement services to the Office of Community and Beautification (OCB).

Discusión y posible acción para aprobar el envío de una carta de apoyo para el Koreatown Youth + Community Center (KYCC) en respuesta a una Solicitud de Calificaciones (RFQ) para servicios de eliminación y control de grafiti, dirigida a la Oficina de Comunidad y Embellecimiento (OCB).

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- e. Discussion to submit a Community Impact Statement (CIS) in support of Council File 25-0002-S13 to extend the authorization for Neighborhood Councils to conduct Zoom meetings until January 1, 2031.

[CF25-0002-S13](#)

Discusión para presentar una Declaración de Impacto Comunitario (CIS, por sus siglas en inglés) en apoyo al Expediente del Consejo 25-0002-S13 para extender la autorización a los Consejos Vecinales para realizar reuniones por Zoom hasta el 1 de enero de 2031.

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10. FINANCIALS

- a. Discussion and possible action to allocate up to \$200.00 for snacks and beverages and to approve tabling at the Pico Union CicLAmini event on Sunday, May 18th from 10AM to 3PM.

Discusión y posible acción para asignar hasta \$200.00 para refrigerios y bebidas y para aprobar la instalación de una mesa en el evento CicLAmini en Pico Union el domingo 18 de mayo de 2025, de 10:00 AM a 3:00 PM.

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- b. Discussion and possible action to approve \$130.00 to renew the Pico Union Neighborhood Canva Pro License for Fiscal Year 2025-2026.

Discusión y posible acción para aprobar \$130.00 para renovar la licencia de Canva del Vecindario de Pico Union para el Año Fiscal 2025-2026.

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- c. Discussion and possible action to approve up to \$1000.00 to sponsor the 2025 Congress of Neighborhoods event taking place at City Hall on Saturday, September 27, 2025.

Discusión y posible acción para aprobar hasta \$1000.00 para patrocinar el evento Congreso de Vecindarios 2025, que se llevará a cabo en el Ayuntamiento el sábado 27 de septiembre de 2025.

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- d. Discussion and possible action to approve up to \$2500.00 for 20 eco-friendly and bilingual "Get to Know Pico Union" street pole banners with the Pico Union Neighborhood Council logo and QR code.

Discusión y posible acción para aprobar hasta \$2500.00 para 20 pancartas ecológicas y bilingües de "Conoce a Pico Union" para postes de calle, con el logotipo del Consejo Vecinal de Pico Union y un código QR.

 PU Street Banner - Eng.png

 PU Street Banner-Span.png

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10. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS/

COMENTARIOS/ANUNCIOS DE LOS MIEMBROS DE LA JUNTA

- a. Comment on Member's own activities/brief announcements.

Comentarios sobre las propias actividades de las Miembros/breves anuncios.

- b. Brief response to statements made or questions posed by persons exercising their general public comment rights/ask staff questions for clarification.

Respuesta breve a las realizadas o preguntas planteadas las personas que ejercen su derecho comentarios públicos / solicitan aclaraciones al personal.

- c. Introduce new issues for consideration by the Pico Union Neighborhood Council at its next meeting and to place on the future agenda.

Presentar nuevos temas que el Consejo de Pico Union considere en su próxima reunión y los incluya en la agenda futura.

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