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## PORTER RANCH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

### BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, February 8, 2023 @ 6:15pm

**ZOOM MEETING ONLINE OR BY TELEPHONE**

Tel: (888) 475-4499 (669) 900-6833 Conference ID: 94783511596# TO JOIN THE MEETING

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IN CONFORMITY WITH THE SEPTEMBER 16, 2021 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY BILL 361 (RIVAS) AND DUE TO CONCERNS OVER COVID-19, THE PORTER RANCH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED ENTIRELY WITH A CALL-IN OPTION OR INTERNET-BASED SERVICE OPTION.

Just like a physical meeting, this online and telephone PRNC meeting is open to the public. Any person who wishes to attend the meeting can do so using a computer, tablet, internet-enabled smartphone, or a standard telephone, and no special program, software, or App. is required. Any person attending the meeting will be afforded the opportunity to provide comment and address the Board on every item on the Agenda, and to make public comment on any matter not on the agenda but within the purview of the Board.

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- You may also join the meeting video via the web and audio via the telephone.

Instructions on how to provide public comment during the meeting will be given to listeners by the presiding officer at the start of the meeting. However, here is a brief synopsis: All meeting attendees will be automatically “muted” when they join the meeting. Attendees may address the Board in one of two situations: 1) comment on an agenda item, or 2) provide general public comment.

**Comment on an Agenda Item** – After each Agenda item is read out loud and before a Board vote is taken on that item, if any, the presiding officer will ask if any member of the public wishes to address the Board regarding the agenda item being considered. At that time, the meeting attendees can electronically “raise their hand” to speak. This is done as follows:

- If you are attending the meeting using a telephone only, or if you are attending the meeting via a computer/tablet but still using a telephone for audio, you can “raise your hand” by **dialing \*9** on your phone. That will prompt the presiding officer that you wish to speak.
- If you are attending the meeting using a computer or tablet only, and thus using the computer/tablet built-in microphone, then you “raise your hand” by using the “raise hand” function in ZOOM, and the presiding officer will see that you wish to speak.



After giving attendees time to “raise their hands”, the presiding officer will go down the list of those who raised their hand, turn on their audio one at a time and ask her/him to go ahead and provide comment within a specified period of time. When the speaker’s time expires, the presiding officer will let the speaker know that her/his time has expired, thank her/him for the comment, and turn OFF the audio for that speaker. This process will continue until all attendees who “raised their hand” spoke. At that time, the Board will discuss the motion and take a vote if they so choose.

**General Public Comment** – As noted in the meeting Agenda, there is an item dedicated to Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda, but within the purview of the Board. When the item comes up during the course of the meeting, the presiding officer will ask if any member of the public wishes to address the Board regarding any issue that is NOT on the agenda but is within the domain of the Board’s actions and capabilities. At that time, the meeting attendees can electronically “raise their hand” to speak using the same procedure described above. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Board is prevented from discussing or acting on a matter that is brought 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 at his or her discretion.

AB 361 Updates: Public comment cannot be required to be submitted in advance of the meeting, only real-time public comment is required.

If there are any broadcasting interruptions that prevent the public from observing or hearing the meeting, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned.

If members of the public are unable to provide public comment or be heard due to issues within the Neighborhood Council’s control, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned.

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- 1- Meeting call to order – **President Khanlian**
- 2- Welcome, Discussion of the meeting logistic – **President Khanlian**
- 3- Roll Call and determination of quorum – **Secretary Demirtshian**
- 4- Pledge of Allegiance
- 5- President's Comments and Updates – **President Khanlian**
  
- 6- Updates from representatives of **Elected Officials, City Departments and City Attorney**
- 7- Updates from LAPD Devonshire Senior Lead officers
- 8- Updates from Chatsworth - Porter Ranch Chamber of Commerce – **Jheri**
- 9- Public comments on items NOT on the Agenda and within the Purview of the Board – **2 Minutes per person**
- 10- Updates from Castlebay Elementary regarding their robotics program
  
- 11- Treasurer's Report – **Treasurer Hector**
- 12- Motion to approve January 2022 MER – **Attachment A - Treasurer Hector**
- 13- Discussion and Motion to approve up to \$1000 for 2023 elections advertising – **President Khanlian**
- 14- Motion to approve PRNC meetings to take place at the Vineyards Porter Ranch Community Room starting March 1, 2023 at a cost of \$150 cleaning fee per meeting. If approved, the application process will start. The meeting room can hold up to 200 people – **President Khanlian**
- 15- Discussion and possible action regarding in person or hybrid meetings – PRNC will be following all city guidelines that are possible to do within our capabilities. We need to plan regardless if we are meeting only in person or hybrid. We need to identify who can take charge of meeting room set up, ordering food, printing and other necessity tasks for in person / hybrid meetings including laptop setup, camera set up and anything else required by the city that is possible to do within our NC capabilities– **President Khanlian**
- 16- Motion to approve up to \$30 to change the locks on the PRNC storage unit to have a clean start to in person meetings – **President Khanlian**
- 17- Motion to approve up to \$40 to buy a new SD card for the PRNC camcorder in prep for in person meetings – **President Gabriel**
- 18- Discussion and motion to approve letter to Councilmember John Lee and Mayor Karen Bass requesting an increase in NC Funding – **Treasurer Hector – Attachment C**
  
- 19- Motion to approve January 11 2023 Meeting Draft Minutes – **Secretary Demirtshian – Attachment B**
- 20- Updates re Community Air Monitoring – **Don Gamiles – Argos – 5 minutes**
- 21- Updates by Budget Advocates / reps – **5 minutes**
- 22- Updates from Board Members and Committees
- 23- Next meeting will be on March 8, 2023
- 24- Meeting Adjournment – **President Khanlian**

**Notes: 1. Time allocations for agenda items are approximate and may be changed at the discretion of the Board President.**

**2. Consent Calendar Items are voted on as a single Board vote without Board discussion. However, any Board member or a Stakeholder may request that an item on the Consent Calendar be pulled from the Calendar to be discussed and voted on separately. Prior to voting on the Consent Calendar, the Board President will ask if any Board member or Stakeholder wishes to remove an item from the Calendar to be placed on the Agenda for discussion and a separate vote. After any items are identified and removed, the Board will proceed with voting on the remaining Consent Calendar items without Board discussion. The items pulled from the Calendar will then be discussed and voted on individually thereafter.**

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