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Sustainability Committee Meeting
November 25, 2024
Meeting starts at 7:00 PM

4024 Radford Avenue, MPR-7 Studio City, CA 91604 (818) 655-5400

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Committee Members: Adele Slaughter (Boardmember & Chair), Teri Austin (Stakeholder), Aaron Justis (Boardmember), Tony Knight (Stakeholder), Heather Lee (Boardmember), Jesse Sanford (Stakeholder), Susan Schalbe (Stakeholder), Mimi Rhee (Boardmember/Youth Seat), Chip Meehan (Boardmember & President, ex-officio)

- 1. Call to Order & Roll Call (1 min)
 - a. <u>Announcement only:</u> A reminder to those attending, during public comment you may hear colorful language that some might find offensive. The SCNC has no ability to control or regulate the content of speech that is protected under the 1st Amendment.
 - b. <u>Announcement only:</u> Please remember we are guests of Radford Studios. It is important that we remain courteous and respectful to all Radford staff we may encounter during our time on the lot. We need to respect and comply with all regulations on the lot
- 2. Announcements by Government Representatives or guests (5 min.)
- 3. Public comment within the committees jurisdiction on items not on agenda items (1 minute per speaker)

- 4. Response(s) to Public Comments by Committee Members. (5 min)
- 5. Discussion and possible Motion to write a CIS to be added to the Los Angeles Wildlife Ordinance Council File: 14-0518 and/or a letter to the PLUM Committee of the LA City Council.

Update to Los Angeles Wildlife Ordinance <u>Council File: 14-0518</u> City Attorney Hydee Feldstein-Soto wrote the Code for the Wildlife Ordinance and as if 11/08/24 the Code appears on the Council File. The PLUM Committee has to adopt the written code based on what was passed as the Wildlife Ordinance at City Council a year ago. Apparently, there are some realtors who apparently want to maximize property buildouts and are lobbying to block the ordinance.

According to the city attorney, if the ordinance passes on its own, it will be considered by the state as downzoning, which would put the city in "Builder's Remedy" with the state -- allowing developers carte blanche. Feldstein-Soto is planning to pair the passage of the Wildlife Ordinance with the DTLA Community Plan, which upzones enough property that taken together with the Wildlife Ordinance there would be no downzoning. The two must pass City Council on the same agenda, and we must support Maqueece Harris-Dawson as Council President to agendize these motions accordingly.

Motion: The Studio City Neighborhood Council supports the ordinance amending Sections 12.03, 12.04, 12.32, 13.00, 13.21, 13.22 and 16.05 of Chapter 1 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) in order to create a "WLD" Wildlife Supplemental Use District that establishes regulations to maintain and protect existing wildlife, connectivity and ecosystems and to provide additional benefits including climate resilience, resource management, and public health.

This Motion is to be filed on Council file 14-0518 and sent to PLUM (Blumenfield, Yaroslavsky, Lee, Hutt, deLeon and Maqueece Harris-Dawson). Also it must be attached to the DTLA Community Plan, which has passed PLUM.

Once approved, the ordinance will have an effective date at least 30 days after the approval date. Studio City supported the Wildlife Ordinance in 2014. It was passed by LA City Council in 2016.

- 6. Discussion and possible motion of a Sustainability event. Presented by Heather Lee
- 7. Update On Ventura Cahuenga Specific Plan which requires alternating Mexican Fan Palms and Pistache trees.
 - a. the Studio City Neighborhood Council (SCNC), in association with the Studio City Business Improvement District (BID) would like to plant three Catalina Cherries in the parkway below the existing hillside planting commissioned and maintained by SCNC, BID, and Studio City Beautification (SCBA)
 - b. Diana Nicole has been working with the developer of the Elder Care Project at Ventura and Colfax to plant Sycamore's with silva cells which will prevent the roots from being shallow and upending the sidewalks. Apparently they are willing but not sure that the city will allow it due to the Streetscape plan. Asking CD 4 if we can get exceptions from UFD to plant Sycamore Trees along Ventura.
- 8. Reports:
 - a. Sustainability Alliance—Susan Schalbe
 - b. CFAC—Adele Slaughter
 - c. Other committee reports

Adjournment

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The SCNC meetings are held on an active studio lot. Due to security issues, (just like Los Angeles City Hall), all Stakeholders are required to show a valid Driver's License if you are driving a vehicle onto the lot or a valid Driver's License or government issued Identification Card if you are walking onto the lot. An adult must accompany minors (17 years old and younger). For any security questions or concerns, please contact Radford Studio Center Security Office at 818-655-5085.

All Stakeholders are required to park in (or walk into) the studios' Sater parking structure at 4200 Radford Avenue. There are a limited number of accessible parking spaces in front of the meeting room and while there is no direct path of travel to the meeting room via a sidewalk, the studio and SCNC want to assure that Stakeholders with disabilities are able to access the meeting without difficulty. Stakeholders with disabilities who have a valid DMV placard, use a wheelchair, walker or cane, and/or those who have difficulties walking distances should contact Radford Studio Center Security Office at 818-655-5085 to request shuttle assistance at least 24 hours prior to the meeting in order for the studio to arrange services for the meeting.

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- 2. http://www.studiocitync.org

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Public comment must be made by the stakeholder themselves in person or on the ZOOM link during the meeting. No written communication will be read by a representative.

AB 411 specifics regarding hybrid/online meetings

IN CONFORMITY WITH THE OCTOBER 6, 2023 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA SENATE BILL 411 (PORTANTINO) AND LA CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL ON NOVEMBER 1, 2023, THE STUDIO CITY NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED VIRTUALLY. Every person wishing to address the Committee must dial 669-444-9171, and enter 898 684 8286 and then press # to join the meeting. When prompted by the presiding officer, to provide public input at the Neighborhood Council meeting the public will be requested to dial *9 or use the Raise Hand option, to address the Committee on any agenda item before the Committee takes an action on an item. Comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered. Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Committee's jurisdiction will be heard during the General Public Comment period. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Committee 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 2 minutes per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board. SB 411 Updates: In the event of a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting to members of the public using the call-in option or internet-based service option, or in the event of a disruption within the eligible legislative body's control that prevents members of the public from offering public comments using the call-in option or internet-based service option, the eligible legislative body shall take no further action on items appearing on the meeting agenda until public access to

the meeting via the call-in option or internet-based service option is restored. Actions taken on agenda items during a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting may be challenged pursuant to Section 54960.1. (C) The eligible legislative body shall not require public comments to be submitted in advance of the meeting and shall provide an opportunity for the public to address the legislative body and offer comments in real time. (D) Notwithstanding Section 54953.3, an individual desiring to provide public comment through the use of an internet website, or other online platform, not under the control of the eligible legislative body, that requires registration to log in to a teleconference may be required to register as required by the third-party internet website or online platform to participate. (E) (i) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed public comment period for each agenda item shall not close the public comment period for the agenda item, or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph (D), to provide public comment until that timed public comment period has elapsed. (ii) An eligible legislative body that does not provide a timed public to register pursuant to subparagraph (D), or otherwise be recognized for the purpose of providing public comment. (iii) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed general public comment period that does not correspond to a specific agenda item shall not close the public comment period or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph (D), until the timed general public comment period has elapsed.

Radford Studio Center Audience Shows & Events Policies

To attend an audience, show, event, or public meeting at Radford Studio Center, the following items are required:

- Valid Government issued Driver's license if you are driving a vehicle onto the lot.
- Valid Government issued Identification card if you are walking onto the lot. A Military ID and Passport ID will suffice.
- An adult must accompany minors (17 years old and younger). Student ID cards are preferred for those who have them.

The following items are prohibited on your person while attending an audience show, event, or public meeting on Radford Studio Center property:

- Knives
- Mace/pepper Spray
- Sharp Objects
- Firearms
- Alcoholic beverages
- Drugs (including marijuana for medicinal purposes)

All guests are subject to security screening and search. Guests will be required to pass through a metal detector or screened using a hand-held metal detector.

- Once the audience member has emptied their pockets and turned over any prohibited items, the audience member will be instructed to proceed through the metal detector or screened using a hand-held metal detector.
- Should the audience member activate the metal detector, the person will be asked to step to the side and will be scanned (entire body length front and backside) by the Security Officer with the hand-held metal detector.
- The audience member will not be allowed into the Studio until the Security Officer is satisfied that the individual has nothing on his/her person that constitutes a danger to others.
- Should the guest refuse to be screened, they are subject to being denied access to Radford Studio Center property.
- NO FIREARMS OF ANY KIND ARE ALLOWED INSIDE THE STUDIO. Security Officers who detect that a guest is in possession of a firearm should notify the Security Supervisor and P.O. IMMEDIATELY.
- Off-duty Law Enforcement in possession of a firearm will be instructed to either return the weapon to their vehicle or turn it over to Security where it will be kept, UNLOADED, in a SAFE, located in the security manager's office.
- Any props or toys that resemble weapons in any way are to be denied or confiscated. This includes props / accompanying costumes.

Each guest/audience member will be required to submit a form of identification which will be tagged with an item that is confiscated and held with security. Guests and audience members will be instructed to pick up their confiscated items at the first (1st) level of the Sater parking structure near the elevators at the completion of the event. No personal pets are allowed at any time on the Studio lot.

If, at any time, an audience member or guest, wanders away from their event or meeting space, into an unauthorized area, that person is subject to immediate dismissal from the lot.

For any questions or concerns, please contact Security. Security office phone number, (818) 655-5085.