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WEST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

REVISED SPECIAL BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Wednesday, December 6, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m. de Toledo High School, 22622 Vanowen Street, West Hills 91307

This meeting of the West Hills Neighborhood Council will be conducted online via Zoom Webinar, telephonically and in person. All are invited to attend and participate.

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This meeting is open to the public. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Comments on matters not on the agenda will be heard during the Public Comment period. Those who wish to speak on an agenda item will be heard when the item is considered.

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Opening Business	7:00 P.M.	
Call to Order		Co-Chairs: Mrs. Charlene Rothstein
		Dr. Faye Barta
Roll Call – Establish Quorum		Secretary: Mr. Brad Vanderhoof
Pledge of Allegiance		Co-Chair: Dr. Faye Barta
Approve Meeting Minutes of October 5, 2023 and		Secretary: Mr. Brad Vanderhoof
November 2, 2023 and Special Meeting Minutes of		
November 30, 2023		
Senior Lead Officer Report		SLO Garza
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Treasurer's Report		Treasurer: Mrs. Carolyn Greenwood
Controller's Report		Controller: Mr. Saif Mogri
Comments From the Co-Chair(s)		Co-Chairs: Mrs. Charlene Rothstein
, ,		Dr. Faye Barta
Board Vacancy Announcements		Co-Chair: Mrs. Charlene Rothstein
Announcements		
Office of Assemblyman Jesse Gabriel		Mr. Jack Trent-Dorfman, Field Representative
Council District 12		Mr. Josh Yeager, Senior Legislative Deputy
Department of Neighborhood Empowerment		Ms. Prabhjot Chamber
Budget Advocates		Mr. Glenn Bailey
Public Comment		
Comments & statements from stakeholders or		Co-Chair: Dr. Faye Barta
interested parties on subjects NOT on this meeting's		
agenda.		
*The Council affords an opportunity to members of the		
public to address the Council on items of interest that are		
within the Council's jurisdiction. The Council is not		
permitted to take action on items that are not identified		
on the agenda. The Council reserves the right to limit		
speakers' time if necessary to provide an adequate		
opportunity for all to be heard.*		

Council Announcement	
Committee & Liaison Reports	
Old Business	
23-0076 – Discussion and possible action regarding WHNC Bylaws amendment to Bylaws Article 7 Committees And Their Duties (10 Minutes Max)	Mr. Brad Vanderhoof, Chair Bylaws Committee
23-0077 – Discussion and possible action regarding WHNC Bylaws amendment to Bylaws Article 13 Amendments (10 Minutes Max)	Mr. Brad Vanderhoof, Chair Bylaws Committee
23-0078 – Discussion and possible action regarding WHNC Bylaws amendment to Bylaws Article 5 Governing Board (10 Minutes Max)	Mr. Brad Vanderhoof, Chair Bylaws Committee
New Business	
23-0080 - Discussion and possible action regarding approval of the WHNC's September 2023 Monthly Expenditure Report (MER) (3 Minutes Max)	Mrs. Carolyn Greenwood, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Saif Mogri, Co-Chair Budget Committee
23-0081 - Discussion and possible action regarding approval of request for \$1,700.00 by the Communications Committee to purchase promotional items for outreach events (Pens and Bags) (5 Minutes Max)	Mrs. Carolyn Greenwood, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Saif Mogri, Co-Chair Budget Committee
23-0082 - Discussion and possible action to approve the Event Approval Form and budget in the amount of \$3,525.00 for the Special Events Committee's Senior's Valentine's Day Dinner Dance to be held at Chaminade College Preparatory, Bob Hope Center located at 7500 Chaminade Avenue, West Hills, on February 14, 2023. (10 Minutes Max)	Mrs. Carolyn Greenwood, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Saif Mogri, Co-Chair Budget Committee
23-0085 – Discussion and possible action to the WHNC Standing Rules on use of WHNC logo on correspondence (5 Minutes Max)	Mr. Brad Vanderhoof, Chair Bylaws Committee
23-0086 - Discussion and Possible Action, including submitting a Community Impact Statement regarding Council File 23-1113, Los Angeles Neighborhood Councils / Remote Meetings / SB 411 / Teleconferencing Provisions / Ralph M. Brown Act (Soto-Martinez - Hutt) (10 Minutes Max)	Mr. Brad Vanderhoof , Chair Communications & Outreach Committee
23-0087 - Discussion and Possible Action, including submitting a Community Impact Statement regarding Council File 23-1114,Los Angeles Neighborhood Councils/SB 411 / Teleconferencing / Remote Meetings/Brown Act Modification / California Government Code / COVID-19 Pandemic (Soto-Martinez-Hutt) (10 Minutes Max)	Mr. Brad Vanderhoof , Chair Communications & Outreach Committee

23-0088 - Discussion and possible action, including submitting a Community Impact Statement, regarding Board of Neighborhood Commissioners File No. 2021-1, Proposed Neighborhood Council Board Member Code of Conduct Policy (version September 17, 2023). (10 Minutes Max)	Ms. Clarice Chavira, Co-Chair Government Relations Committee Mrs. Joanne Yvanek-Garb, Co-Chair Government Relations Committee
23-0089 - Discussion and possible action of facts pertaining to Alejandro Phillips absences, leading to a possible announcement of a vacancy (5 Minutes Max)	Mr. Saif Mogri, Chair Ad Hoc Board Vacancy Committee
23-0090 - Discussion and possible action possible action on filling a vacant seat on the West Hills Neighborhood Council Board vacated by Kent Mariconda (10 Minutes Max)	Mr. Saif Mogri, Chair Ad Hoc Board Vacancy Committee
23-0091 - Discussion and possible action possible action on filling a vacant seat on the West Hills Neighborhood Council Board vacated by Ryan Taylor (10 Minutes Max)	Mr. Saif Mogri, Chair Ad Hoc Board Vacancy Committee
23-0092 – Discussion and possible action regarding the appointment of board member Ms. Miriam Schimmel to chair the WHNC Special Events Committee (5 Minutes Max)	Mrs. Charlene Rothstein, President
23-0093 – Discussion and possible action regarding the appointment of board member, Ms. Clarice Chavira to chair the WHNC Streets & Transportation Committee (5 Minutes Max)	Mrs. Charlene Rothstein, President
23-0094 - Discussion and possible action on submitting a Community Impact Statement ("CIS) on Council File 22-0392 Digital Off-Site Signs / Outdoor Advertising / Transportation Communication Network Program Structures / Los Angeles County Metropolitan	Mr. Saif Mogri, Chair Public Safety & Emergency Preparedness Committee

Adjournment

Transportation Authority (MTA) (10 Minutes Max)

<u>Public Input</u>: Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Board's jurisdiction will be heard during the General Public Comment period. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Board 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.

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