



LAKE BALBOA NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

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Board Meeting Agenda

MAY 1, 2024

7:00 pm- meeting starts

Gault St School Auditorium

17000 Gault Street Lake Balboa CA



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1. **Call meeting to order WELCOME to our STAKEHOLDERS**

If you want to address the board on any item on the agenda tonight, please complete a speaker card located at the back of the auditorium and bring it to me. Likewise, if there is an item you want to bring to the board's attention, please complete a speaker card for PUBLIC COMMENT.

L.A. City Charter Sec 900. Purpose (Of Neighborhood Councils)

To promote more citizen participation in government and make government more responsive to local needs, a citywide system of neighborhood councils, and a Department of Neighborhood Empowerment is created. Neighborhood councils shall include representatives of the many diverse interests in communities and shall have an advisory role on issues of concern to the neighborhood.

Our Mission is to bring forward our concerns to our elected officials,

We are a department within the city of Los Angeles. We are required to follow city and state laws. The Brown Act does not allow us to discuss anything is NOT on tonight's agenda. There is an item called PUBLIC COMMENT where you can address items NOT on the agenda. The President has suggested time limits for each item so that the meeting will end around 915p. Time allocations are approximate and may be shortened or lengthened at the discretion of the President. The time keeper is: _____

2. **Pledge of Allegiance –**

3. **Roll Call**

4. Discussion and possible action to adopt the **May 1, 2024** agenda

5. Discussion and possible action regarding the approval of previous LBNC Meeting Minutes– Middleton

6. Announcements and Reports: **If present, PLEASE IDENTIFY YOURSELF and limit your comments to 2 minutes- Thank you**

- West Valley LAPD **Captain III Brian Wendling 26929@lapd.online** – 818-374-7640
Senior Lead Officer (SLO) - **Officer Mike Terrazas 818-374-7631 34499@lapd.online**

Also Representing LBNC Sgt Larry Martinez 31179@lapd.online
NON-Emergency 877-ASK- LAPD 877-275-5273

- LA Fire Department Battalion 10, Captain Matthew Conroy
- LA City Council District 6 (CD 6) **Imelda Padilla** 818-778-4999
 - Rosie.Avetisyan@lacity.org - Field Rep for Lake Balboa
 - Rebecca.Gurrola@lacity.org – Homelessness Director
 - Christopher.E.Hernandez@lacity.org - Homelessness Coordinator
 - Lamont.Cobb@lacity.org – Land Use
 - Alexandra.Leard@lacity.org – VNY Airport – Deputy Chief of Staff
- LA Mayor Karen Bass' office–213-400-0916 Michelle.Vergara@lacity.org
- LA City Attorney's Office – 213-978-8100 **Hydee Feldstein Soto**
- LA City Planning Liaison Ariel.Jones@lacity.org 213-820-4255
- LA Metro Ron Macias maciasr@metro.net
- LAUSD **Scott Schmerelson's** office (District 3) 818-654-3785 Deputy Director of School and Community Engagement Tammy.Ramirez@lausd.net 213-241-8333
- LA County Supervisor **Lindsey P. Horvath** office (District 3) 818-901-3831 District Director Mirna Ezquivel mezquivel@bos.lacounty.gov **HELP for HOMELESS** www.la-hop.org
- CA Assemblymember **Jesse Gabriel** 46th Assembly district [818-346-4521](tel:818-346-4521) Jack Trent-Dorfman Field Rep
- CA State Senator **Caroline Menjivar, (District 20)** sd20.senate.ca.gov 916-995-7020
- Kristi.Lopez@sen.ca.gov or Ravin.Thrift@sen.ca.gov
District Director 818-272-1182-cell
- CA State Senator **Henry Stern's** Office (District 27) - 818-876-3352 Susie.Herrera@sen.ca.gov
Field Rep
- US Representative **Tony Cardenas** (District 29) 818-221-3718 Gabriela.Agarie@mail.house.gov
- US Representative **Brad Sherman** – (District 30) - 818-501-9200 Mary.Chakerian@mail.house.gov
- Van Nuys Airport Citizen's Advisory Council (CAC) Alicia Avery and Doug Decker both residents of Lake Balboa VNYCAC@lawa.org.
- Department of Neighborhood Empowerment (DONE) Daniel.D.Johnson@lacity.org 818-374-9889

7. **L.A.City Charter Sec. 910 Monitoring of City Services** *"Neighborhood councils shall monitor the delivery of City Services in their respective areas"*

- a. **Use MyLA311 to report potholes, dead trees, graffiti, homeless encampments etc**

8. **PUBLIC COMMENTS: PLEASE ADVISE THE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL IF YOU ARE A REGISTERED LOBBYIST. PLEASE ADVISE THE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL IF YOU ARE AN LBNC STAKEHOLDER.**

Comments from the Public on Non-Agenda items, Issues, Announcements and Complaints within the jurisdiction of the Lake Balboa NC. **You have up to 2 minutes per speaker.** The State of California's Brown Act **prevents the board from discussing** your comments, however we can ask clarifying questions. If there is a large group, you may be asked to select a spokesperson. You can also email your thoughts to LBNC President at: lindag@lakebalboanc.org.

L.A.City Charter Sec. 909. Annual City Budget Priorities.

Each neighborhood council may present to the Mayor and Council an annual list of priorities for the City budget. The Mayor shall inform certified neighborhood councils of the deadline for submission so that the input may be considered in a timely fashion. (see www.budgetadvocates.org for White Paper recommendations – read the summary and then go to the department(s) in which you are most interested)

9. **Budget Advocate – Region 3 - Updates**, (budgetadvocates.org) –Budget Representatives: Mihran Kalaydjian – Budget Advocate Glenn Bailey **BUDGET DAY 15JUN2024 Budget Advocates representative**
- a. LA City Budget is \$12.8 BILLION
 - i. Charter mandated budgets
 1. Library
 2. RaP-however, must pay own utilities etc
 3. Gas Tax Funds – Go to Streets/Sidewalks
 - ii. NOT INCLUDED in LA Budget is:
 1. LADWP
 2. Port of Los Angeles
 3. LAWA
 - b. For the Mayor’s Budget plan see [24-0600_misc_4-22-24.pdf\(lacity.org\)](#)

L.A.City Charter Sec. 907 Early Warning System “*establish procedures for receiving input from neighborhood councils prior to decision by the City Council, City Council Committees and boards and commissions.*”

10. Discussion and possible action regarding **the filling personnel positions at EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT Department** – Council File unknown at this time - Gravani
11. Discussion and possible action regarding **the resignation of Jim Stein effective 1 JUN 2024**. There will be an opening at that time for a Business Seat on LBNC Board. Selection of a second signer/card holder will be addressed during June meeting
12. Discussion and possible action regarding the **Mayor’s selection of Carmen Chang as General Manager of Department of Neighborhood Empowerment (DONE)**
Motion: I move that LBNC forward a letter to Mayor Bass and forward a Community Impact Statement for CF24-0465 regarding the appointment of Carmen Chang as General Manager of the Department of Neighborhood Councils to share our concerns regarding her political background and that there has not been outreach to Neighborhood Councils – Gravani
13. Discussion and possible action regarding the **appointment of Mirhan Kalaydjian as Homelessness liaison**
14. Committee UPDATES: Approximately 2 minutes for each report, unless a Motion is presented
 - 1) **Education**
 - i) Robotics Event
 - ii) LAUSD Candidate Forum
 - iii) Spelling Bee
 - iv) Chess Tournament
 - 2) **Emergency Preparedness**
 - i) EP Bins (Woodley Park & Stagg St School)
 - 3) **Health & Public Safety**
 - i) Discussion and possible action regarding **CF24-0390** – Street Racing/Takeovers
 - 4) **Land Use**
 - i) Town Hall proposed for Sept – which will include the new Community Plan, ED1, ETC
 - 5) **Outreach**
 - i) Discussion and possible action regarding SB411 – regarding zoom vs in person meetings
 - 6) **Rec and Park**
 - i) Discussion and possible action regarding the selection of RaP chair
 - 7) **VNY Airport**

- i) Discussion and possible action regarding **CF23-1339** which requires at least 1 representative from CD6 (2,3,4,5,12)
 - (1) Suzanne Gutierrez
 - (2) Sue Stein
 - (3) Athena Novak

8) Sepulveda Basin Wildlife Areas Steering Committee

- i) Jim Stein representative, Danica Middleton is the Alternate

15. President's UPDATE

1) REMINDER, all board members' training MUST BE CURRENT no later than 3JUN2024 per LA CITY ORDINANCE 187803 and CF20-0990

- i) Ethics
- ii) Funding
- iii) Anti-Bias (ABLE) (once, renewal not required)
- iv) Gender Expression and Gender Identify (once, renewal not required)
- v) Code of Conduct (new, all board members & voting stakeholders on committees MUST read and sign)

BUDGET DEADLINES:

- 20MAY2024 – Final date for EVENT request**
- 01JUN2024 - Final date for CHECK payment request**
- 20JUN2024 - Final date for BANK CARD payment**

- 16. BUDGET:** Discussion and possible action regarding the **March 2024 MER** (Monthly Expense Report) Schwering
- 17. BUDGET:** Discussion and possible action regarding **amendment of FY2023-24 BUDGET** Schwering
- 18. FUNDING:** Discussion and possible action regarding the **expenditure of Outreach Items (to be determined) and budget to be determined - Schwering**
- 19. FUNDING:** Discussion and possible action regarding the **expenditure of up to \$8,500 for Jesse Owens plaque**

CONSENT Agenda: The following items 20-22 can be approved in one on action, unless a board member needs further clarification:

- 20. FUNDING:** Discussion and possible action regarding the **reimbursement of \$80.16 for LBNC Board Member Brown for meeting refreshments**
- 21. FUNDING:** Discussion and possible action regarding the **reimbursement of \$105.78 for LBNC Board Member Preissel for refreshments at 14APR2024 Off-Leash Dog Park Event**
- 22. FUNDING:** Discussion and possible action regarding the **reimbursement of \$175.20 for LBNC Board Member Schwering for banners at 14APR2024 Off-Lease Dog Park event**
- 23. REMINDER:** Stakeholders can voice their own personal opinions on Council Files by forwarding **PUBLIC COMMENTS. See last two pages of this agenda for instructions.**
- 24. THANK YOU LBNC Board Members & Neighborhood Watch Block Captains for all YOU do behind the scenes for our community.**
- 25. Adjourn Meeting**

FYI **STATE LEGISLATION**

- a. CF23-0002-S121 – City Supports legislation and/or administrative action which would ensure that some homeowners can obtain adequate homeowner’s insurance
- b. CF23-0002-S123 – City Supports SB1509 the Negligent Operator Treatment (NOT) in California Act, driving 26 + mph would count as a two-point violation
- c. CF23-0002-S119 – City Supports SB1170

**Next Regular Meeting IN PERSON of the
Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council
Wednesday June 5, 2024 at Gault St School Auditorium**

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.P.O. Box 7720, Lake Balboa, CA 91409 -- Voicemail (818) 779-9026

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ELECTED UNPAID VOLUNTEERS
Working to keep our community the best it can be.



Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council – COMMITTEES

Budget Committee – Ad hoc TBA Chair lindas@lakebalboanc.org **Committee:** Executive Officers

BUDGET Representatives – Mihran@lakebalboanc.org – budgetadvocates.org -

Emergency Preparedness – meeting 2nd Saturday of the Month 9a at FlyAway* **Chair-**
lindas@lakebalboanc.org **Committee** Brown, Hazra, Jerosimich, Tomlinson

Lake Balboa Amateur Radio Check-in – Every Sunday 9am – Simplex 145.570 For information on Ham/FRS/GMRS/WALKIE-TALKIE Radios and classes contact Dan Tomlinson (NR6V) at 818-776-0474 or DTomlinson@socal.rr.com & **FRSGMRS/Walkie-Talkie Check-in** - Every Sunday 10am channel 5 - easy way to communicate after a disaster

Education: meeting 4th Tuesday of the month at FlyAway Chair mihran@lakebalboanc.org
Committee: Hazra, Frost, Gutierrez, Middleton

Health & Public Safety – meeting 3rd Wednesday of the month 700pm at FlyAway* Chair –
jamesb@lakebalboanc.org Co-Chair Hazra **Committee:** Jerosimich, K.Swartz

Land Use – 3rd Tuesday of the Month 7pm at FlyAway* –Chair—lindag@lakebalboanc.org
Committee Fynn, Hazra, Goode, Jerosimich, Kalaykjian, Knoll, Middleton, Schatz, Stein, B.Swartz.

Outreach – Meeting 4th Monday of the month 7pm at FlyAway* - ronnie@lakebalboanc.org
Committee: Cortez, Goode, Hazra, Knoll, Preissel, Middleton

Rec and Park - Meeting 1st Tue of the month 7pm at Valley Relics Museum - chair
JimStein@lakebalboanc.org **Committee:** Hazra, Middleton, Knoll

VNY Airport – Meeting 3rd Saturday of the month 11am at FlyAway Chair
jared@lakebalboanc.org Co-Chair Jerosimich, **Committee:** Schmidt, Hazra, Middleton, Sweet, Hamilton, Novak, Batta

Sepulveda Basin Wildlife Areas Steering Committee – Jim Stein – Alternate Danica Middleton Meets 4th Tuesday of odd numbered months at Balboa Sports Complex 630pm
zoom.us/j/98376926906

Community Police Advisory Board - CPAB – 630pm – 2nd Wednesday of month at West Valley Police Department – 19020 Vanowen St, Reseda CA 91335

Van Nuys Airport - Citizens Advisory Commission - CAC - 7pm 1st Tuesday of month Van Nuys City Council Location varies, check agenda send specific questions to: vnycac@lawa.org

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Council File: 13-1493

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09/22/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by Studio City Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
09/05/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by Greater Echo Park Elysian Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
08/29/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by Van Nuys Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
08/24/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by Los Feliz Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
07/31/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by NoHo Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
07/29/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by Historic Highland Park Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
07/24/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by Harbor Gateway North Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
05/13/2014	Economic Development Committee continued item to/for 90 days pending additional report from Chief Legislative Analyst.	[PDF]
05/13/2014	Chief Legislative Analyst document(s) referred to Economic Development Committee; Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee.	[PDF]
05/13/2014	Document(s) submitted by Chief Legislative Analyst, as follows:	[PDF]
Chief Legislative Analyst report 14-05-0361, dated May 13, 2014, relative to various recommendations relating to the City's Street Vending Policy.		
05/09/2014	Economic Development Committee scheduled item for committee meeting on May 13, 2014.	[PDF]
05/08/2014	Community Impact Statement submitted by Arroyo Seco Neighborhood Council.	[PDF]
11/06/2013	City Clerk transmitted Council File to Economic Development Committee.	[PDF]
11/06/2013	Motion referred to Economic Development Committee; Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee.	[PDF]

Online Documents (Doc)

Title	Date
Final Ordinance No. 186763	09/16/2020
Proof of Publication	09/16/2020
Mayor Concurrence/Council Action	09/16/2020
Communication(s) from Public	09/01/2020

Council Vote Information (14 Votes)

Meeting Date:	09/08/2020	
Meeting Type:	Regular	
Vote Action:	Adopted	
Vote Given:	(14 - 0 - 1)	
Member Name	CD	Vote
BOB BLUMENFIELD	3	YES
MIKE BONIN	11	YES
JOE BUSCAINO	15	YES
GILBERT A. CEDILLO	1	YES
MARQUEECE HARRIS-DAWSON	8	YES
PAUL KORETZ	5	YES
PAUL KREKORIAN	2	YES
JOHN LEE	12	YES
NURY MARTINEZ	6	YES
MITCH O'FARRELL	13	YES
CURREN		
MONICA		
DAVID		
VACANT VACANT	14	ABSENT
HFRB WESS	10	YES

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11-1141-S2	On-Site Shopping Cart Containment System / Phase II	08/01/2018
08-2070	ABANDONED SHOPPING CART	05/14/2010
06-1786	ABANDONED SHOPPING CARTS / COUNCIL DISTRICT SIX	12/16/2009

