AGENDA

Special General Board Meeting

MacArthur Park
Community Room, 2nd Fl
2230 W 6th Street
Los Angeles, CA 90057

Thursday, August 1, 2019
6:30 pm

The City’s Neighborhood Council system enables civic participation for all Angelenos and serves as a voice for improving government responsiveness to local communities and their needs. We are an advisory body to the City of Los Angeles, comprised of volunteer stakeholders who are devoted to the mission of improving our communities and bringing government closer to us.

1. Call to Order and Commission roll call (1 minute)

2. Community /Government Reports & Announcements:
   a. LA City Council District Representative
   b. Public Safety
   c. Government Departments/Agencies, including Dept. of Neighborhood Empowerment.
   d. Community Organizations

3. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items:
   Comments from the public on non-agenda items within the Board’s jurisdiction. Each speaker will be allowed two (2) minutes.

4. Discussion and possible motion to approve the Monthly Expenditure Report (MERs) for the month of June 2019.

5. Discussion and possible motion to approve the Minutes of the June 27, 2019 Regular Meeting of the Westlake South Neighborhood Council.

6. Discussion and possible motion to approve the Community Impact Statement (CIS) on Council File (CF) 16-0243 related to 100% clean, renewable energy transition for LA by 2030.
7. Discussion and possible motion to appoint up to 5 Community Impact Statement Filers for the Westlake South Neighborhood Council.

8. Discuss and possibly motion to appoint board members as WSNC budget representative to facilitate budget discussion with budget advocates and LA City council.

9. Discussion and possible motion to select a date and approve upto $750.00 for a WSNC Board Retreat / Training to be facilitated by the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment. Training to includes
   a. Agenda
   b. Brown Act
   c. Data
   d. CIS
   e. Email Etiquette
   f. Other

10. Discussion and possible motion to select a date and approve up to $1,200 for the WSNC Community Engagement Forum to be facilitated by Gabriel Kahan, Sense.LA. Possible coordination and collaboration with WNCC on this community engagement forum. Forum is based on the leading-edge MIT methodology which helps to create new thinking and increase community participation at Neighborhood Council meetings.

11. Board & Committee Reports: (15 minutes)
   a. President
   b. Vice President
   c. Treasurer

12. Board Member Comments / Comentarios de los miembros del Consejo
   a. Introduce new issues or agenda items for consideration by the Board at its next meeting and request for items on future agenda.

13. Adjourn
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