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# CITY OF LOS ANGELES CUIDAD DE LOS ANGELES

## WESTLAKE NORTH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

### **AGENDA**

General Board Meeting Thursday, June 13, 2019 7:00 p.m.

CENTRAL CITY NEIGHBORHOOD PARTNERS
Conference Room
501 S. BIXEL STREET
LOS ANGELES, CA 90017



#### **BOARD MEMBERS**

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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. LAPD Senior Leads
  - 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 on participation and staffing of Outreach event at Westlake Fiesta De Verano Event at Hope and Peace Park on Saturday June 15, 2019.
- 5. Discussion and possible motion to approve the Anti-Abortion Boycott letter and submit to City Council and Mayor Garcetti. Letter calls for the City to institute an economic boycott of Alabama, Georgia and other states passing Anti-Abortion legislation.

- 6. Discuss and motion to approve the Meeting Minutes of the WNNC Special meeting of May 22, 2019.
- 7. Discussion and possible motion to appoint up to five board members as Community Impact Statement (CIS) filers.
- 8. Discussion and possible motion to approve a Community Impact Statement (CIS) on Council File 16-0243 requesting Los Angeles City Council and LADWP to ensure that new research that came out in the past years showing that a transition to 100% real, clean renewable energy is possible in LA by 2030, is added taken into account.
- 9. Discussion and possible motion to designate Westlake North NC board members for tabling dates at the Levitt Pavilion Summer Concert series. Selected dates are:
  - 6/23 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Sonidos Salvadoreños
  - 6/29 Independence Day Fiesta Featuring La Tumbadora with Berendo MS
  - 6/30 Band Camp
  - 7/07 Gusto Guatemalteco
  - 7/14 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Tamal Festival with Mariachi Divas
  - 7/27 La Diabla Featuring L.A. Bollywood with Discostan & Doctors & Engineers
  - 8/11 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Mundo Maya Celebration
  - 8/25 LA's Got Talent
  - 9/01 Wonder-Full in the Park: A Stevie Wonder Tribute Party
- 10. Discussion and update on the WSNC Community Engagement Forum to be facilitated by Gabriel Kahan, Sense.LA. 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. Secretary
  - d. Treasurer
  - e. Committees
    - 11.e.1. Outreach Committee
    - 11.e.2. Bylaws Committee
- 12. Board Member Comments
  - a. Introduce new issues or agenda items for consideration by the Board at its next meeting and request for items on future agenda.
- 13. Adjournment

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