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Agenda
West L.A Neighborhood Council Office-In WLA Municipal Building
1645 Corinth Avenue
West L.A., CA 90025

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1. Call to Order
2. Public Comment items NOT on the agenda
3. Approval of Minutes Meetings dated April and May 2015
4. Presentations:
   4.1 DWP Report- (Watanabe)
   4.2 Public Work Report (Kato)
   4.3 The WLASNC moves to recommend that the City Council add the below marijuana pesticide guidelines issued by the the State of California to LA"s H&S code: http://blog.sfgate.com/smellthetruth/2015/04/08/marijuana-pesticide-guidelines-issued-by-state-of-california/
   4.4 Motion to ask CM Bonin to oppose AB 1373 Re Outdoor signage downtown (4)
   4.5 Motion to ask CM Bonin to oppose MP35 in its current state. (1)
   4.6 Motion to ask CM Bonin to oppose AB 57 taking away cities right to regulate cell towers (2)
   4.7 Motion to ask CM Bonin to oppose AB744 limiting local government authority in sb1818 cases involving parking issues (3)
   4.8 Motion to request that sidewalk vending hearings be held in all geographic areas per CF 13-1493 (6)
   4.9 Motion to support LAANC motion requesting the city council to not support the current proposal regarding short term rentals, and demand hearings citywide on the issue CF 14-1635 (5)
   4.10 Motion to request the Mayor and City Council declare homelessness and lack of housing as a State of Emergency in Los Angeles. (7)
   4.11 Motion to request CM Bonin to introduce an ordinance requiring developers to dedicate 25% of all housing projects as low affordable housing.
   4.12 WLASNC recommends to CM Bonin that land use and planning-related recommendations shall be disclosed in all City determinations in a "standing" section of City Staff Reports and City Determinations called "Neighborhood Council/Community Council recommendations." Along with those recommendations, an explanation is to be provided by the City decision maker if the NC /CC recommendations are NOT accepted.
5. Representatives of City/State/Federal offices and departments
6. Public Safety-Officer Kirk Report
7. Public Safety Committee report: (Jack Fujimoto)
8. Outreach committee (Report Greg)
9. By Laws Committee (Donovan)
10. Finance and Budget Report (Zana)
10.1 Review and approve outstanding monthly funding reports
10.2 Review and amend annual budget categories as needed
11. PLUM Committee Project Presentation, Reports and/or PLUM Action re Projects:
12. Board Comments (5 Minutes)
13. Adjourn

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1. MOBILITY PLAN 2035 STATEMENT OF OVERRIDING CONSIDERATIONS:
The WRAC recommends a vote of ‘no confidence’ in the City of Los Angeles Mobility Plan 2035 [Case Number: ENV 2013-0911-EIR and CPC-2013-0910-GPA-SP-CA-MS; State Clearinghouse No. 2013041012] because of its failure to resolve and mitigate critical issues per the Statement of Overriding Considerations, including but not limited to emergency response time, insufficient infrastructure, and broader significant negative impacts on public health, safety and welfare.

2. MOTION TO OPPOSE AB 57 LIMITING LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORITY OVER CELL TOWERS: The WRAC recommends the City of Los Angeles oppose AB 57 and requests Councilmembers Mike Bonin and Paul Koretz introduce a resolution opposing AB 57.

3. MOTION TO OPPOSE AB 744: LIMITING LOCAL GOVERNMENT AUTHORITY OVER PARKING FOR SB 1818 DENSITY BONUS PROJECTS: The WRAC recommends the City of Los Angeles oppose AB 744 and requests Councilmembers Mike Bonin and Paul Koretz introduce a resolution opposing AB 744.

4. MOTION TO OPPOSE AB 1373 EXEMPTING 40 SQUARE BLOCKS OF DOWNTOWN LA FROM THE CALIFORNIA OUTDOOR ADVERTISING ACT: The WRAC recommends the City of Los Angeles oppose AB 1373 and requests Councilmembers Mike Bonin and Paul Koretz introduce a resolution opposing AB 1373.

5. Motion LANCC 060615-2

The Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Coalition (XXXXXX Neighborhood Council) supports legislation to eliminate or structure short-term rentals through public hearings and the Neighborhood Council system. This process would allow a properly drafted and enforceable citywide ordinance. We also support that all Hosts not only capture the Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT), but also the City’s Department of Finance coordinate an effort to track BTRCs to the TOT. CF14-1635 S2. Send to Councilmembers and CIS.

6. Motion LANCC 060615-4

The Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Coalition (XXXXXX Neighborhood Council) requests that the City Council instruct the Economic Development Committee to expand the four community hearings to all geographical areas and to include the ninety-six Neighborhood Councils in the process and planning because sidewalk vending (CF 14-1493) is a citywide issue. The Los Angeles Neighborhood Council
Coalition (XXXXXX Neighborhood Council) requests that the June 11, 2015 community meeting be rescheduled to a different night. Our alliance, coalition member VANC holds their monthly meetings on the same night and a majority of the Neighborhood Councils will not be able to attend. Send to City Council CIS CF 13-1493.

7. The Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Coalition (XXXXXX Neighborhood Council) requests that the Mayor and City Council declare a state of emergency on homelessness in the City of Los Angeles and open a Council File to examine and develop a viable five year plan to systematically reduce homelessness in the City of Los Angeles. The current City resources available to meet the demands to reduce the homeless population do not exist and need the participation of the County, State, and Federal governments. The amount of people living on the street has increased 12% over the last two years and a veteran’s commission report states that almost 50% of the homeless veterans in Los Angeles will still be on the streets after the Mayor's deadline of December 31, 2015. Send to the Mayor and City Council. No CIS available.