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## PROPOSED MINUTES ENCINO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING NOVEMBER 30, 2005

- 1. The meeting was called to order by Linda Goldstein at 7:00 p.m.
- 2. Minutes from October 26, 2005 meeting were not approved due to late submission
- 3. Report from City Officials
- 4. Report from Treasurer: Financial report through November, 2005
- 5. Presentation regarding Building plans for 5021 to 5041 Balboa Blvd. (33 units) made: Rene Michell, this is a great project, appropriately located and geared towards families. No intrusion on single family homes. We have various letters of recommendation, including one from the school Gerry Silver: Who endorsed letter from school? Bette Kaplan. Did Planning & Land Use do outreach? Yes.

Speaker Proponent: School Principal endorsed letter

Gerry Silver: Requests copy of letter from Principal of Elementary School

Speaker Opponent: Questions the exact location

Gerry Silver: Is there any opposition? Wants opportunity to present another view. Traffic will worsen on Ventura Blvd. Infrastructure not suitable to address additional demand on water and additional buildings. Need to oppose, bad location

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Speaker Proponent: Discusses merit of location

Gerry Silver: Would like to appeal ruling of the Chair because equal time was not given to opposition No opposition present

Motion to go to roll-call vote: Denied

Chair: Motion to approve amended proposition, motion to approve passes

6. Presentation: Renewal of temporary parking restrictions at Lanai Rd. School

Brian Gallagher: Discussion on preferential parking district to be discontinued or renewed. Would Like public comment on matter.

Speaker: Residents of Marbro Dr. request better parking and traffic conditions; the street is too narrow Mr. Moss: Resident accepts motion to vote on matter

Motion made by Richard Paley to make renewal restrictions temporary until permanent renewal qualify Motion passes unanimously

7. Committee Reports:

a. Finance: Community Projects

- 1. Lanai Road Elementary School, books and laminate film not to exceed \$2,000 opposed by Gerry Silver Motion passed
- 2. Encino Little League equipment purchase not to exceed \$1,000
  Speaker: System is run 100% by charitable donations system is running at a deficit and asks for help from the Council
  Gene: Has Brad Sherman been contacted?
  Speaker: Yes, his office has been contacted and they have been nice but we have never

received any monetary support. Gerry Silver: Supports little league equipment project Chair: Motion to amend equipment purchase not to exceed \$1,000 to \$2,000 Motion passes

- 3. Encino/Tarzana Library addition to collection \$2,500
  - Head Librarian Shala Chamana: We are hoping to replace children's DVD's and video Greg Martayan: Have you gone to anyone aside from the Council to get funds? Head Librarian Shala Chamana: Yes, we have gone to the Friends of the Library but Their budget does not cover the kinds of losses that we have had. Chair: Motion to pass financing of project

Motion passes

4. Caution Signs: Additional funds to order 100 more signs

Chair: We have been requested to purchase additional signs, motion to pass purchase Motion passes

- 7. b. Planning & Land Use re:
  - Telecommunications tower at 5160 Haskell on Caltrans property Committee Chair not present; motion to oppose is made by Joel Simon CD-5 Rep. Bonnie Kopp: application denied for environmental reasons Motion to refer back to planning committee is passed
  - 2. 4949 Balboa Blvd. (83 units)Chair: Item is not on this Agenda. Item will be heard at another time
  - Land Rover addition at 15800 Ventura Blvd. Chair: Spoke with representatives from Land Rover; they continue to address the needs of Homeowners and would like to come back in January
  - c. Bylaws addition to Standing Rules First reading Bylaws Changes Motion to accept standing rules made
  - d. Election- changes to Election Procedures
    - Discussion regarding replacement of members
    - Marsia Powers: Rules are too vague

Sherman Gamson: Chair should have the right to add people to a committee

- e. Public Safety: Margie Grossman briefly discusses Mobile Radar Unit
- f. Outreach:
  - Chair: Discussed plans to notify residents of upcoming Land Use meetings Speaker: We need more effort from council (residents)

Outreach requests that committee Chairs submit information to Marsia for Newsletter Request is made to post more signs, metal signs are asked to be returned to ENC office

- g. Other: Discussion verification documents needed for stakeholder; need to improve on verification process
- Gerry Silver: move that council adopts all recommendations unless someone is unhappy with the Language Motion passes
- 8. Not discussed
- 9. Election of Alternates: Discussion that application for alternates must be secretary Margie Grossman: requests that minutes be received before meetings Glenn Bailey: States that he is doing his best to get minutes out ASAP Chair: Makes motion to elect Neil Gitnick as Business Rep. 1 Alternate- passed
- 10. Not discussed
- 11. Discussed need for a meeting scheduled for January 10, 2006 to discuss only Land Use Issues Motion by Chair to adjourn

Meeting adjourned at approx. 10:00 p.m.

Minutes transcribed from CD discs donated by Gerry Silver, Home Owners of Encino