



Encino Neighborhood Council (A Certified Neighborhood Council) **Officers** 

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SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA Wednesday, September 3, 2008 Encino Womens Club 4924 Paso Robles Avenue. Encino 7:00 P.M.

## **NOTE CHANGE IN MEETING LOCATION**

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO WISH TO SPEAK ARE REQUESTED TO FILL OUT A SPEAKER CARD AND PROVIDE IT TO THE COUNCIL. MOTION, DISCUSSION AND VOTE MAY BE TAKEN ON ALL ITEMS ON THE AGENDA.

- 1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Determination of a Quorum
- 2. Consideration of application for Special Event Permit and proposed closure of Ventura Boulevard between Balboa Boulevard and Hayvenhurst Avenue on Saturday, September 20, 2008 between the hours of 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and request for waiver of estimated \$15,000 in fees and salary costs to be absorbed by the City.
  - A. Report from Council District 5
  - B. Presentation by Applicant for Special Event Permit
  - C. Public Comment on this Agenda Item [Speaker Card required]
  - D. Board Discussion [The Council may consider action including recommendations to the City Council.
- 3. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items [Speaker Card Required]
- 4. Board Comment

The Encino Neighborhood Council (ENC) is a certified Neighborhood Council of the City of Los Angeles which advises City and other governmental officials on issues affecting the community of Encino. The ENC is made up of elected persons who live, work or otherwise are involved in the community of Encino. The ENC also makes appropriations of City funds for community projects and needs. The ENC meetings are usually on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month at the Encino Community Center, 4935 Balboa Blvd at 7:00pm. Further info at <u>www.encinocouncil.org</u>

**PUBLIC INPUT AT ENC MEETINGS** - An opportunity for the public to address the Council on agenda items will be provided before or during consideration of the item. Members of the public who wish to speak on any item are requested to complete a speaker card for each item they wish to address, and present the completed card(s) to the Sergeant-At-Arms. Speaker cards are available at the back of the meeting room. The Council will also provide an opportunity for the public to speak on any non-agenda items during "Public Comment". The Council may not take any action or discuss matters addressed in "Public Comments". However, the Council President may refer such matters to the appropriate Council Committees for further consideration.

Public comments are limited to 2 minutes per speaker unless otherwise extended by the Council President or Council. **ENC COUNCIL DISCUSSION AND TIME LIMITS** – ENC Councilmembers requesting to speak will be recognized by the President in the order requested. For any item, the Chairperson of the Committee, or the maker of the original motion shall have up to five (5) minutes to discuss the item. Councilmembers may speak up to two (2) minutes each on the matter unless extended by the President or Council. After all members desiring to speak on a question have had an opportunity to be heard once, the time for each Member desiring to speak again shall be limited to a maximum of one (1) minute unless extended by the President or Council. A motion calling the "previous question" may be introduced by any member during a Council debate. If adopted, this motion will terminate debate on a matter and the matter will then be submitted for a vote.

**VOTING AND DISPOSITION OF ITEMS** - Most motions require a majority vote of the Councilmembers present and voting will be by hand vote unless otherwise decided by the Council. Unless requested for further consideration by an ENC Councilmember, any item which has been forwarded to the Council by a unanimous committee vote shall be approved as a "Consent Item" without further discussion.

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