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## NOTICE AND AGENDA ENCINO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

# **GENERAL BOARD MEETING**

# Wednesday, January 24, 2024 @ 7 pm

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IN CONFORMITY WITH GOVERNOR NEWSOME SIGNING SB411 INTO LAW ON OCTOBER 9, 2023 AND IN COMFORMITY WITH THE LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL PASSING CF 23-1114, THE ENCINO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED ENTIRELY WITH A CALL-IN OPTION OR INTERNET-BASED SERVICE OPTION Public Comment: Public Comments on Non-Agenda Items is limited to TWO MINUTES (2) per speaker. Time may be adjusted at the Chair's discretion. Public wishing to speak on non-agenda items will fill out a speaker card and turn it in to the Secretary.

The amount of time for public comment on each agenda item is to be determined by the Chair at each meeting. Speakers shall limit their comments to matters relevant to the item on the agenda. The Chair may rule that the speaker is out of order if the comments are not germane to the item under consideration. If multiple requests for public comment are submitted on one agenda item, preference will be granted to members of the public who have not spoken previously during the meeting, either during general public comment or on another agenda item.

A member of the public wishing to speak on more than one agenda item at a single meeting shall limit his or her remarks to a total of one minute per item and five (5) minutes per meeting. Members of the public who want to speak on multiple agenda items for up to five (5) minutes at one time can choose to speak during the Multiple Agenda Items Comment period. When turning in the speaker card, indicate which items you wish to speak on. Otherwise comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered. Members of the public who choose to speak during the Multiple Agenda Items period will be given the opportunity to also speak during General Public Comment. Please be aware that time accumulates for any agenda items commented on.

Comments from the public on matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Board's jurisdiction will be heard during the General Public Comment period. No individual speaker will be allowed more than two (2) minutes during General Public Comment, unless the presiding officer of the Board decides differently.

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Joshua Sautter	Vacant	Toyia Jackson	Robert Wenger	Diane Rosen		
Area 1 Rep	Area 2 Rep	Area 3 Rep	Area 4 Rep	Area 5 Rep		
Laure Stevens	Andrew Zucker	Heather Michaels	Henry Eshelman	Alex Garay		
Area 6 Rep	Area 7 Rep	At-Large Rep	At-Large Rep	Apt/Condo Rep		
Victoria Miller	Kelvin Tolbert	Vacant	TBD	Laurie Kelson		
Business Rep	Business Rep	Education Rep	Encino Chamber Rep	EPOA Rep		
TBD HOME Rep	Glenn Bailey Park/Advocate Environment Rep	Matthew May PLU Rep	Samuel Apikyan Public Safety Rep	Anni Keusseyan Religious Rep		
Patricia Bates Volunteer Rep	Vacant Youth Rep					

### Encino Neighborhood Council Board Members

#### **Encino Neighborhood Council Alternates**

Dana Frances Caruso	<b>Vacant</b>	<b>Vacant</b>	Vacant	Vacant
Area 1 Alt	Area 2 Alt	Area 3 Alt	Area 4 Alt	Area 5 Alt
Roy Nwaisser	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	<b>Vacant</b>
Area 6 Alt	Area 7 Alt	At-Large Alt 1	At-Large Alt2	Apt/Condo Alt
<b>Daniel Kashani</b>	<b>Vacant</b>	<b>Vacant</b>	Vacant	Vacant
Business Alt 1	Business Alt 2	Education Alt	Encino Chamber Alt	EPOA Alt
TBD HOME Alt	Vacant Park/Advocate Environment Alt	Athena Novak PLU Alt	<b>Vacant</b> Public Safety Alt	<b>Vacant</b> Religious Alt
Vacant				

Volunteer Alt

1. Call to Order. Start recording. Roll call. determination of quorum.

#### Reports from Public Officials/Departments/Community Agencies, not limited to:

- 2. LAPD, Senior Lead Officer Walia, 34024@lapd.online (818) 374-7634 Councilmember Nithya Raman: Ricky Angel, <u>ricky.angel@lacity.org</u> Department of Neighborhood Empowerment: Dina Andrews <u>Dina.Andrews@lacity.org</u> Budget Advocates: Glenn Bailey
- 3. **Multiple Agenda Items Comment.** Comments by members of the public who wish to speak on multiple agenda items shall be allowed to speak for up to one minute per item up to a total of five (5) minutes per meeting. Members of the public who choose to speak during the Multiple Agenda Items period will be given the opportunity to also speak during General Public Comments. This comment period includes comment on all numbered agenda items including public officials' reports.
- 4. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items Public comments on non-agenda items within the ENC's subject matter jurisdiction is limited to TWO MINUTES (2) per speaker. Time may be adjusted at the Chair's discretion.
- 5. Consideration of any applications received for open positions: Application Received, LeeVante Haywood
- 6. Seating of Alternates: The chair will appoint eligible Alternates with affirmation of the board. Discussion and Possible Action. Per the ENC Bylaws (Article V, Section 1D.1): "If at any Board meeting, a Representative who is absent either (a) has no designated Alternate or (b) has an Alternate who is also absent, then the president or presiding officer may, with the approval of a majority of the members entitled to vote at the meeting, designate an existing Alternate for any other Representative to serve and vote during the meeting in place of the absent Representative. In such an instance, the seat of any absent Representative temporarily becomes an At-Large Seat. The appointed Alternate must be in good standing with all required training to be eligible."

#### 7. Officer's Report:

- A. President's Report –
- B. Vice-President's Report -
- C. Treasurer's Report
  - 1. Motion to approve the **DECEMBER 2023 MER**
- D. Secretary's Report
  - 1. Motion to approve the December 2023 Special Board Meeting Minutes
- E. Sergeant-at-Arms Report

#### 8. <u>NEW BUSINESS - FUNDING</u>:

- Outreach Committee:
  - A. Motion to use up to \$1000 total for boosted Facebook/instagram selected posts to increase stakeholder engagement. FacebookBoostAllocation: Passed 4-0.
  - B. Motion to upgrade constant contact to allow for multiple users, increasing the current year budget for emailing to \$1200 and reducing the allocation to NPGs by the \$600 increase. Passed: 4-0.

#### - Executive Committee:

C. Grateful Hearts Event – The ENC is able to participate in the Grateful Hearts event, on April 6, 2024 at Warner Center Park. The event will support first responders such as our local LAPD and LAFD. The cost to table is \$500, the invoice may be viewed here: INVOICE. MOTION: The ENC's Executive Committee recommends that the board support approving \$500 to table at the Grateful Hearts Event on April 6, 2024 at Warner Center Park, 5800 Topanga Canyon Blvd., Woodland Hills, CA 91367. Passed: 5 (Y), 0 (N), 0 (A)

#### 9. NEW BUSINESS:

**Bylaws Committee:** 

A. Bylaws Revision: Review Bylaws updates in progress, including new Board Structure. Discussion – no action will be taken, this is an update only.

10. Board Member comment on non-agenda items.

#### 11. Adjournment

Available ENC Representative Positions:

• Open Board positions in the Encino Neighborhood Council. Open Positions Include: Area 2 Alt (1), Area 3 Alt (1), Area 4 Alt (1), Area 5 Alt., Area 7 Alt., Apartment/Condo Alt (1), Business Rep Alt (1), Education Rep (1), Education Alt (1), Public Safety Rep Alt (1), Religious Alt (1), Volunteer Alt (1), Youth Rep (1), Youth Rep Alt (1).

Next meeting: Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 7pm – Location TBD

Announcements: Please see the Encino NC <u>website</u> for announcements of other events and to join our mailing list. Following are Planning and Land Use Projects/Pending Cases:

- ZA-2020-179-CU ENV-2020-180-CE at 4954 North Encino Avenue 91316 CUP Hearing to convert a single family home into a place of worship January 30, 2024, 9AM, to join the meeting: <a href="https://planning-lacity-org.zoom.us/j/85441259557">https://planning-lacity-org.zoom.us/j/85441259557</a>
  Meeting ID: 854 4125 9557 Passcode: 070136
  Or Call: (669) 900-9128 or (213) 338-8477 When prompted, enter the Meeting ID of: 854 4125 9557#
- LA City Council voted on an independent redistricting commission! Put this on your radar, the ENC was extremely active regarding the redistricting process and will more than likely have this item in an upcoming committee meeting
- Proposed Developments on Ventura Blvd Next PLU Committee Meeting: Feb 13, 2024

The Encino Neighborhood Council (ENC), is a Certified Neighborhood Council of the City of Los Angeles which ADVISES City, other Governmental Officials' and the Community on issues or concerns that are affecting the community of ENCINO. The ENC is made up of volunteers who are ELECTED by the community 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 as requested and approved by various committees and the general board.

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