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NOTICE AND AGENDA ENCINO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING

Monday April 14, 2025 @7:00 PM

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IN CONFORMITY WITH THE OCTOBER 6, 2023 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA SENATE BILL 411 (PORTANTINO) AND LA CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL ON NOVEMBER 1, 2023, THE ENCINO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED VIRTUALLY.

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 calling in, please press *9 on your phone to raise your hand to speak. For those that are using the Zoom Webinar please use the raise your hand feature to speak. Public comment on agenda items will be heard when the item is up for discussion. Public comment on agenda items is limited to 1 minutes per agenda item. Comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered. Time may be adjusted at the Chair's discretion.

Voting Committee Members: *Roy Nwaiser (Chair), *Robert Wenger, *Kelvin Tolbert, *Josh Sautter, *Diane Rosen, Varant Majarian

Alternate Voting Committee Members: N/A

***Indicates ENC Board Member or Alternate; no more than five (5) ENC Board Members and/or Alternates may be seated at one time during any ENC Committee Meeting**

1. Call to Order / Roll call / Determination of quorum.

In attendance: Roy Nwaisser (Chair), Robert Wenger, Kelvin Tolbert, Josh Sautter, Varant Majarian

2. Comments from chair

3. Reports from Public Officials/Departments/Community Agencies

4. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items

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5. Home Security Event Recap –

Thank you to everyone who came!

Great turnout!

Roy was asked to give the talk for two other groups and possibly an ENC encore.

6. Public Safety Issues Report Card

Roy was out of town for a good chunk of this month so don't have much to evaluate officials on. Other members didn't have feedback evaluations.

7. Legislative Considerations

- A. **Council File: 25-0002-S11** - Regulate the purchase and sale of nonferrous metals by junk dealers and recyclers. Specifically copper, brass, and other metals which are often stolen from street lights, tombstones, fire hydrants, and transit rail lines.

MOTION: ENC Public Safety Committee recommends the Encino NC submit a CIS supporting Council File 25-0002-S11 which regulates the purchase and sale of nonferrous metals by junk dealers and recyclers. This will improve safety of citizens and reduce maintenance costs to the City.

VOTE: Passes 5-0 (Roy/Josh)

- B. **Council File: 25-0002-S27** - Authorize incarcerated firefighters to request recall and resentencing, in recognition of their contributions to public safety and supporting their rehabilitation.

MOTION: ENC Public Safety Committee recommends the Encino NC submit a CIS supporting Council File 25-0002-S27 which creates a pathway for incarcerated firefighters to request recall and resentencing, in recognition of their contributions to public safety and supporting their rehabilitation.

VOTE: Passes 5-0 (Roy/Josh)

- C. **Council File: 24-0390** - Modifications to laws for remedying and mitigating street racing, takeovers, and sideshows.

MOTION: ENC Public Safety Committee recommends the Encino NC submit a CIS supporting

Council File 24-0390 which modifies laws to remedy and mitigate street racing, takeovers, and sideshows.

VOTE: Passes 5-0 (Roy/Josh)

- D. **Council File: 25-4118-S3** - Designate specific San Fernando Valley locations for enforcement against sitting, lying, sleeping, or storing, using, maintaining, or placing personal property, or otherwise obstructing the public right-of-way pursuant to §41.18 (c) of the Los Angeles Municipal Code.

MOTION: ENC Public Safety Committee recommends the Encino NC submit a CIS supporting Council File 25-4118-S3 which designates two locations as areas for enforcement of LAMC §41.18 against sitting, lying, or sleeping, or storing, using, maintaining, or placing personal property in the public right-of-way -- when documentation shows these activities pose a particular and ongoing threat to public health or safety in the designated location.

VOTE: Passes 5-0 (Roy/Kelvin)

8. Resolution To Fund CERT

Approve a resolution by ENC recommending Councilmember Raman make a motion to provide funding in the amount of \$50,000 for Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) operations in CD4.

Supporting documents

- 1) **CF 25-006-S41** approved by LA City Council providing \$50,000 of funding for CERT in CD1
- 2) **Motion** passed by Sherman Oaks NC recommending Councilmember Raman make a motion to provide funding in the amount of \$50,000 for Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) operations in CD4.

MOTION: ENC Public Safety Committee recommends the Encino NC approve a Resolution recommending Councilmember Nithya Raman make a motion to provide funding in the amount of \$50,000 for Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) operations in CD4.

VOTE: Passes 5-0 (Roy/Josh)

9. Encino Day participation – April 27

Sign up to help [here](#).

Announcements:

Committee Member Announcements about items not on this agenda

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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during a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting may be challenged pursuant to Section 54960.1.

(C) The eligible legislative body shall not require public comments to be submitted in advance of the meeting and shall provide an opportunity for the public to address the legislative body and offer comments in real time.

(D) Notwithstanding Section 54953.3, an individual desiring to provide public comment through the use of an internet website, or other online platform, not under the control of the eligible legislative body, that requires registration to log in to a teleconference may be required to register as required by the third-party internet website or online platform to participate.

(E) (i) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed public comment period for each agenda item shall not close the public comment period for the agenda item, or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph

(D), to provide public comment until that timed public comment period has elapsed.

(ii) An eligible legislative body that does not provide a timed public comment period, but takes public comment separately on each agenda item, shall allow a reasonable amount of time per agenda item to allow public members the opportunity to provide public comment, including time for members of the public to register pursuant to subparagraph (D), or otherwise be recognized for the purpose of providing public comment.

(iii) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed general public comment period that does not correspond to a specific agenda item shall not close the public comment period or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph (D), until the timed general public comment period has elapsed.