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### **MINUTES**

## TRAFFIC/TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING

& GENERAL MEETING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2012 @ 1 PM ENCINO WOMEN'S CLUB (KITCHEN) 4924 PASO ROBLES AVE. ENCINO

### MOTION, DISCUSSION AND VOTE MAY BE TAKEN ON ALL AGENDA ITEMS

1. Roll Call, Call to Order, Determination of a Quorum 1 PM. Glenn Bailey, Margie Grossman, Laurie Kelson, Jerry Silver.

Excused: Vicki Jarvis, Diane Rosen and Faramarz (who asked for a speaker hookup which was not available)

Guests: Ron Ziff and Roger Stone

- 2. Old Business including: Left arrow requested at Ventura Blvd. (W) to Balboa Blvd. (S) installed
- 3. UPDATE I-405 Carmageddon Weekend Sept 29-30
- 4. Guest Speakers for presentation of the East San Fernando Valley Transit Project:
  Ryan Greenway with METRO (<a href="mailto:greenwayr@metro.net">greenwayr@metro.net</a> 213-922-6871) and Megan Moret with Consensus Inc.
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Presentation of possible routes for a North/South transit corridor in the Valley.

Van Nuys Blvd or Sepulveda Blvd South to Ventura Blvd.

Presentation for the entire board on Wednesday, Oct 24, 2012 at the regular ENC meeting metro.net/eastsfvtransit for more information

5. Discussion of a resident's concern with cut-thru traffic on Hayvenhurst Ave.

The committee recommends LAPD enforcement and discussion with residents of each block about speed tables if that is their request.

6. Discussion of a resident's request for No-right and No-left turns at Magnolia and Rubio and Magnolia and Petit 7-9 AM. M-F

Motion by Glenn Bailey Second by Margie Grossman

Send to LADOT for study.

Vote 4/0 CONSENT ITEM

7. Left arrow needed on Petit (N) to Ventura Blvd. (W) - Green Arrow fading to Green light Motion by Laurie Kelson Second by Glenn Bailey Send to LADOT to study.

Vote 4/0 CONSENT ITEM

# 8. Left arrow needed on Ventura Blvd. (W) to Hayvenhurst Ave. (S) -Green Arrow fading to Green light

Motion by Laurie Kelson Second by Glenn Bailey Send to LADOT for study.

Vote 4/0 CONSENT ITEM

9. Motion By Jerry Silver Second by Laurie Kelson

Encino residents have endured years of construction impacts, noise and congestion due to the expansion of the 405 freeway.

Alternate routes need to be found to handle the increased demand on the 405 freeway capacity.

Moved that the ENC oppose any further expansion of the 405 freeway and/or Sepulveda Blvd. through Sherman Oaks and the Sepulveda Pass, including widening, elevated trains, mono-rail trains, elevated car pool lanes, toll lanes or express lanes on the 405 freeway. The burden of providing more cross mountain passage must be shared by alternative routes, rather than placing more noise, traffic and congestion impacts on residents living near the 405 freeway. Vote 4/0 CONSENT ITEM

### 10. Motion by Jerry Silver Second by Glenn Bailey

Ventura Blvd. traffic jams result in a significant loss of fuel, time and money to thousands of Encino residents. Encino residents continue to experience massive traffic tie-ups on Ventura Blvd. due to roadwork conducted throughout the day, often resulting in only one lane of travel.

Moved that the ENC request the LA Transportation Department and the Mayor to modify its policies to prevent massive traffic daytime tie-ups on Ventura Blvd. due to repairs or construction projects. The City should require that such road work be done on weekends, or evenings, not during the business day, except for emergency repairs. Project owners should bear the extra cost of night or weekend construction on Ventura Blvd. The name of the roadwork contractor and City phone numbers should be prominently displayed on projects during construction, to allow motorists to report tie-ups to proper authorities.

Vote 4/0 CONSENT ITEM

#### 11. Board Comment

Balboa Blvd between Burbank and Ventura Blvd is on the Master Plan for Bicycle Route Request to study Ventura Blvd (W) to Sherman Oaks Ave (S) for left arrow.

### 12. Public Comment - none

### 13. Adjournment 2:35 PM

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