

West Hills Neighborhood Council

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2nd AMENDED REGULAR MEETING AGENDA Thursday, February 4, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. de Toledo High School ("DTHS"), 22622 Vanowen Street, West Hills, CA 91307

Please note that DTHS, for safety and security reasons, requires visitors to sign in at the entrance. No ID is required.

**Please consider donating socks, sleeping bags and/or blankets. The donations will go the United Methodist

Church for their homeless outreach program**

This meeting is open to the public. Doors open 20 minutes before the meeting starts. Those who wish to speak during the meeting are asked to fill out a speaker card. Comments on matters not on the agenda will be heard during the Public Comment period. Those who wish to speak on an agenda item will be heard when the item is considered.

Notice of ADA compliance: As a covered entity under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability. Upon request, reasonable accommodations will be made to ensure equal access to programs, services and activities. Sign language interpreters, assistive listening devices or other aids or services may be provided upon request. To ensure availability of services, please make your request at least three business days prior to the meeting you wish to attend by contacting Michelle Ritchie, Executive Director at michelle.ritchie@westhillsnc.org and the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment at (213) 978-1551 or NCsupport@lacity.org

Opening Business	7:00 P.M.	
Call to Order		Co-Chairs: Mr. Dan Brin Ms. Charlene Rothstein
Roll Call – Establish Quorum		Secretary: Ms. Nicole Flessati
Pledge of Allegiance		Co-Chair: Ms. Charlene Rothstein
Approve Meeting Minutes of January 7, 2016		Secretary: Ms. Nicole Flessati
Comments From the Chair		Co-Chair: Mr. Dan Brin
Announcements	7:15 P.M.	
California Senate District 27		Mr. Dusty Russell, Field Rep.
Council District 12		Mr. Ron Rubine, Deputy Field Rep.
LAPD Senior Lead Officers		SLOs Janet Zumstein & Sean Brown
	7.20 D.M	
Council Announcements	7:30 P.M.	
Committee Bounds and American		West Hills Neighborhood Council Board
Committee Reports and Announcements		Ms. Charlene Rothstein, Chair
Neighborhood Council Elections 2016		Elections Committee
		Mr. Howard Katchen
		Independent Election Administrator
Public Comment	7:45 P.M.	•
Comments & statements from stakeholders or interested		Co-Chair: Ms. Charlene Rothstein
parties (Requires Speaker Card)		
*The Council affords an opportunity to members of the public		
to address the Council on items of interest that are within the		
Council's jurisdiction. The Council is not permitted to take action on items that are not identified on the agenda. The		
Council reserves the right to limit speakers if necessary to		
provide and adequate opportunity for all to be heard		

Old Business	8:00 P.M.	
15-0058 - Discussion and possible action on a Community Impact Statement supporting a City Council Resolution in favor of the Restore Honor to Service Members Act		Ms. Simone Best, Board Member
15-0047 – Discussion and possible action regarding a Community Impact Statement (CIS) supporting a City Council motion to support the operations at the Greek Theatre		Ms. Joanne Yvanek-Garb, Co - Chair Government Relations Committee Mr. Barry Seybert, Co-Chair Government Relations Committee
16-0001 – Discussion an possible action regarding approval of the WHNC's December 2015 spending reports		Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee
16-0003 – Discussion and possible action regarding proposed Bylaw amendments regarding Board vacancies		Mr. Bob Brostoff, Chair Bylaws Committee
New Business	8:20 P.M.	
16-0005 –Discussion and possible action regarding approval of the WHNC's January 2016 spending reports		Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee
16-0006 – Discussion and possible action on a resolution pertaining to the Aliso Canyon methane gas leak		Mr. Alec Uzemeck, Co-Chair Environment Committee Mr. Steve Randall, Co-Chair Environment Committee
16-0007 – Discussion and possible action on CF15-1138-S1/Serving and Housing LA's Homeless/New Account		Ms. Simone Best, Chair Ad Hoc Homelessness Committee
<u>Adjournment</u>	9:00 P.M.	

Board Business— Comments may be made from Board Members on subject matters within the Board's jurisdiction. The Board reserves the right to adjust the order of presentation of agenda items.

Adjournment – The next regularly scheduled meeting will be March 3, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at de Toledo High School, 22622 Vanowen Street, West Hills, CA 91307.

Reconsideration Process - Reconsideration of a vote shall be by approval of a Board member's motion to do so.

Brown Act – In compliance with Government Code Section 54957.5, non-exempt writings that are distributed to a majority or all of the board in advance of a meeting may be viewed at the meeting where such writing was considered or by contacting West Hills Neighborhood Council, Executive Director at the following email address: Michelle.Ritchie@westhillsnc.org. Where appropriate requests can be made for a copy of a record related to an item on the agenda.

<u>Grievance Process</u> – Time shall be given during public comment for the presentation of grievances by any Stakeholder or group of Stakeholders. Stakeholders may only present grievances against the Board, not individual Board members A Stakeholder may appeal a decision on the grievance by the Board of Directors to the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment.