## CITY OF LOS ANGELES

### California

**Executive Committee** 

Glenn Bailey — President Ken Ross — 1st VP Philip Dagort — 2<sup>nd</sup> VP

Stephanie Mills — Secretary Judy Diamond — Treasurer



#### **Board Members**

Sean C. Laird **Sydney Thiroux**  Carl Petersen

**Business/Employee: (vacant)** Resident: (3 vacant) Victoria Dochoghlian — Appointed CSUN Faculty/Staff George Radionov -- Appointed CSUN Student William Parnell — Youth Alternates: Christopher Meredith, (2 vacant)



# Northridge East Neighborhood Council

Making Northridge a Better Place to Live, Work, Play and Learn

Until further notice, NENC Executive Committee meetings will be held as virtual meetings; public access and public comment details are below.

## **Executive Committee and Joint Board Virtual Meeting Agenda** Monday, March 6, 2023 - 4:30 p.m.

In conformity with the September 16, 2021 enactment of California Assembly Bill 361 (Rivas) and in furtherance with the Mayor's actions to minimize risk and exposure to the Coronavirus COVID-19, this Northridge East Neighborhood Council meeting will be conducted telephonically in a webinar format.

Members of the public who wish to listen to the meeting or to participate in public comment during this Committee meeting may click this link to join the webinar: https://zoom.us/j/95547788844 or call +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose) or Toll Free 888-475-4499, 877-853-5257, 833-548-0282 or 833-548-0276 and enter Webinar ID No. 955 4778 8844 and then press #. Instructions on how to provide public comment will be given to listeners at the start of the meeting and are listed below. Alternatively, public comment may be sent to info@NENC-LA.org at least two hours prior to the meeting starting time; include in the email Subject Line "Public Comment" and the agenda item number; such comments received will be read aloud (until time limit) during consideration of that agenda item.

Assembly Bill 361 (Chapter 165) Updates: "Public comment cannot be required to be submitted in advance of the meeting, only real-time public comment is required. If there are any broadcasting interruptions that prevent the public from observing or hearing the meeting, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned. If members of the public are unable to provide public comment or be heard due to issues within the Neighborhood Council's control, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned."

- 1. Call to Order; Determination of Quorum (Members: Bailey, Diamond, Mills, Ross; Alternate: Dagort)
- 2. Review/Approve Executive Committee Meeting Minutes: February 6, 2023 and any prior meetings
- 3. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items within Committee's subject matter jurisdiction (up to two minutes per
- 4. Board Member Training Compliance (Ethics, Funding, Code of Conduct, Anti-Bias (ABLE), Planning 101), New gender expression and gender identity training to be required soon; Attendance and Vacancy updates; Recusals
- 5. Review Draft Board Meeting Minutes February 15, 2023 (pending as of 3/3/23)
- 6. Set Agenda for March 15, 2023 Board Virtual Webinar Meeting; agenda deadline 3/9/23
  - a. Presentations: LA Compost?
  - b. Informational: 2023 NC Election Region 2 dates, links and open seats; Caltrans 118 Freeway Reseda Boulevard westbound offramp update; Proposed Home Depot project (located in GHSNC)
  - NENC Committee Items: Education, Homelessness, Planning and Land Use, Sustainability, etc.
    - NEW: Case No. ZA-2023-873-CUB located at 9224 Reseda Blvd. to allow sale of alcohol for off-site consumption in conjunction with a 12,500 square foot specialty retail market operating from 7am to 10pm daily. (no hearing date set yet)
  - d. Council File items for possible Community Impact Statements; DONE Legislative Reports

- i. CF 20-0990 Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Training / Anti-Bias Training / LA NC Members
- ii. **NEW** <u>CF 23-0002-S29</u> Prohibit Sale of Vehicles Without Catalytic Converter / Etched Engraved Vehicle Identification Number / Legislative Program
- e. Other items, including any items pending from prior Board meetings or topics below
- f. Possible Future Speakers: New LAPD Senior Lead Officer Jerome Knopp; CSUN Chief of Police Services; new elected officials/representatives?
- 7. Reports of DONE, NENC Officers and NENC Committees including review of previous Board meeting, etc.
  - a. NENC Monthly Update; GM's Messages; NEA Octaviano Rios; BONC; City Clerk
    - i. DONE: 1/27/23 report back on viable NC meeting options (CF 22-1070)
    - ii. DONE: Digital Communication Policy effective 10/4/22 (final formatted version pending)
    - iii. BONC: Proposed 2/2/22 revisions to Code of Conduct update; Ad Hoc meeting pending
    - iv. City Clerk: 2023 NC Elections update, including NENC candidate filing and polling place
  - b. Administrative items, including updates related to actions taken at previous NENC Board meetings
    - i. President: Second Zoom account; Municipal Lobbying Ordinance CF 22-0560 update
    - ii. Resumption of in-person meetings after 3/29/23 and necessary arrangements to do so, including next Executive Committee and Board meetings, as well as possible cancellation(s); pending State legislation SB 411 (Portantino) related to CF 23-0002-S16 and CF 23-0002-S17
    - iii. Dearborn Park maintenance, enforcement and Community Meeting #2 update
  - c. NC Funding Program update including Treasurer's Report <u>February 2023 Monthly Expenditure Report</u> (MER) and pending Neighborhood Purposes Grants
    - i. NPG Friends of the Northridge Library \$1,500 for purchase of books, DVDs, etc.
  - d. Outreach: website updates (including 2023 NC Election); social media updates
    - i. Bus bench ads program update
    - ii. Election outreach mailing (printing and postage) and advertising update
- 8. NENC Committee (including land use cases updates), Liaison and NC Alliance reports
- 9. Upcoming NC meetings and events Committee member announcements and future agenda requests
- 10. Adjournment Next Executive Committee Meeting: April 10, 2023 (in-person)

A reasonable effort will be made to end this meeting by the indicated adjournment time; any items not discussed will be carried over to the next Committee meeting, or to the upcoming Board meeting.

**Public Comments:** The presiding officer will offer an opportunity for the public to comment on each agenda item before action is taken; click on Raise Hand on Zoom or if on the phone enter \*9 when prompted to do so. Comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered. Comments from the public on matters under the Committee's jurisdiction, but not appearing on the agenda, will be heard during Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items which is limited to two minutes per speaker, unless waived by the Committee chair.

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