





Building A Better Community

Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council

<u>Virtual Executive Committee Meeting Agenda</u>

Thursday January 7, 2021 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Dial (669) 900-6833 or (888) 475 4499 / Webinar ID: 892 8029 5861

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Name	P	A	Name	P	A
Robin Greenberg, Board President			Robert Ringler, Current Board		
& Executive Committee Chair			Secretary, Past President		
Ellen Evans, Vice President of			Jamie Hall, Vice President of		
Operations & Outreach Chair			Legislative Affairs		
Jacqueline Le Kennedy, Treasurer			Nickie Miner, Asst. Treasurer		
			& Budget & Finance Chair		
Robert Schlesinger, Planning &			Larry Leisten, Bylaws, Rules		
Land Use Committee Chair			& Elections Chair		
Chuck Maginnis, Emergency			Irene Sandler, Traffic		
Preparedness Committee Chair			Committee Chair		
Patricia Murphy, Public Works &					
Telecoms Chair					

- 1. Call to Order & Executive Committee Roll Call Robin Greenberg, Board President & Chair
- 2. Flag Salute
- 3. **Motion:** Approval of January 7, 2021 Executive Committee AGENDA (per Bylaws, Article VIII, Section 2)
- 4. Motion: Approval of December 3, 2020 Executive Committee MINUTES (Attachment)
- 5. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items: Comments on any topic not on adopted agenda.
- 6. Reports of Officers
 - a) President Robin Greenberg
 - b) Vice President of Operations Ellen Evans
 - c) Vice President of Legislative Affairs Jamie Hall

- d) Secretary Robert Ringler
- e) Treasurer Jacqueline Le Kennedy
- f) Assistant Treasurer Nicole Miner

7. Reports of Committee Chairs

- a) Bylaws, Rules & Elections Committee Larry Leisten, Chair will give update on brochure targeted at solicitation of candidates and important NC Election dates.
 - i. NC Elections:
 - Candidate Filing Period Begins Saturday February 6, 2021
 - Region 11 BABCNC Election Date is Tuesday June 8, 2021
- b) Outreach Committee Ellen Evans, Chair Next meeting: Monday January 11th @ 12:00 Noon
- c) Planning & Land Use Committee Robert Schlesinger, Chair or Stephanie Savage, Vice Chair Next meeting: Tuesday January 12th @ 5:00 PM
- d) Emergency Preparedness Committee Chuck Maginnis, Chair
- e) Traffic Committee Irene Sandler, Chair
- f) Budget & Finance Committee Nickie Miner, Assistant Treasurer & Chair
- g) Public Works and Telecommunications Committee Patricia Murphy, Chair
- h) Ad Hoc Committee on Environmental Issues Mindy Mann
- i) Ad Hoc Committee on Home Sharing & Party House Ordinances Stephanie Savage & Ellen Evans Next Meeting: Thursday January 14th @ 12:00 Noon
- j) Ad-Hoc Committee regarding Continuing Teleconference Meetings after Safer-At-Home Order Jamie Hall

New Business (Discussion, Updates & Possible Motions)

- 8. <u>Discussion and Possible Motion</u>: Tree removal notification: "if the removal is for 1 or 2 trees, the UFD prefers that Neighborhood Councils raise objections within 3 days". Respond that we oppose to the 3 days.
- 9. <u>Discussion and Possible Motion</u>: Creation of an ad hoc committee of up to two board members authorized to respond to tree removal notifications on the behalf of the Board. Any objections should be send to the Chief Forester David Miranda at <u>David.Miranda@lacity.org</u> as well as the Council District Field Rep.
 - If removal is for 3 or more trees, the Board of Public Works will conduct a public hearing for the removal of the trees.
- 10. <u>Discussion and Possible Motion</u>: SB44 seems tailored to allow the proposed rail project through the Sepulveda Pass to avoid CEOA. Send a Request of Elected Officials to our council members to say that we want CEOA.
 - **SB-44 California Environmental Quality Act:** streamlined judicial review: environmental leadership transit projects. (Senator Ben Allen) https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billTextClient.xhtml?bill_id=202120220SB44
 - SB-288 California Environmental Quality Act: exemptions: transportation-related projects (Weiner) (Act to Amend) https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201920200SB288
- 11. **Discussion & Possible Motion:** Brad Fingard previously at CD4 is now the Mayor's Westside Representative. The Mayor is requesting a revised proposal from Council that includes funding a pilot for a 24/7 unarmed crisis response program for those nonviolent calls as well as intervention and prevention workers that can help de-escalate conflict in communities. Mayor's Letter: https://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2020/20-0600-s83 rpt MAYOR 12-21-20.pdf Budget Council File # 20-0600: https://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2020/20-0600-S83 rpt CAO 12-03-2020.pdf

- 12. <u>Discussion and Possible Motion</u>: Possible enhancements to the neighborhood council Zoom usage to submit to Raquel Beltran @ DONE. They are collecting these recommendations now.
- 13. <u>Discussion and Possible Motion</u>: To ask City Council to introduce and pass a motion in OPPOSITION to new SB 9 (Atkins) and SB 10 (Wiener) respectively, which are the return of SB 1120 and 902 (housing density bills that failed to pass in the legislature by a narrow margin last year) http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=202120220SB9
- 14. **Discussion** on agenda for January 27, 2020 Board Meeting
- 15. Confirmed speaker for January 27, 2020 Board Meeting: Nithya Raman, CD4 Councilmember Elect
- 16. Choose Best Months for Possible Future Speakers:
 - Mas Dojiri, Biodiversity Team Leader at LASAN, re Biodiversity Initiative
 - Greg Good, Department of Public Works President & Adel Hagekhalil, Bureau of Street Services (StreetsLA) Executive Director and General Manager

Announcements:

- 17. Ridgeline Ordinance: LA City Planning has prepared a Frequently Asked Questions sheet
- 18. NC Funding (Neighborhood Purpose Grants) Workshop Online on Zoom: Thursday, January 7th 2:00-3:30 https://clerk.lacity.org/neighborhood-council-funding/funding-trainings-and-workshops
- 19. <u>LA County WiFi https://lacountylibrary.org/Wi-Fi/</u> LA County residents who lack reliable internet service at home can park in a designated parking spot of participating libraries or sit within 25 feet of the library to use the WiFi network.
- 20. COVID-19 Safety Compliance Certification Course: http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/eh/covid19cert.htm
 LA County is providing no-cost online training course which business owners, once they have received a certificate, can post as a window seal to reassure employees and customers that the business is following COVID-19 infection control
- 21. Good of the Order
- 22. Adjournment

Next Executive Committee Meeting: February 4th 2021 @ 5:00pm

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