



BABCNC meeting

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Good afternoon folks,

As promised, I'm sending in my updates for the upcoming BABCNC Board meeting. I'd appreciate it if these can be added to the supplemental materials for the meeting. Please feel free to direct folks to my written report and have them email me any questions or comments they may have.

UPDATES FOR BABCNC BOARD MEETING (MARCH 21st, 2022)

- The Mayor's Office issued an updated Public Order as it relates to the Covid-19 State of Emergency. You can read the SAFER LA ORDER issued March 4th, 2022 [here](#). As always, please make sure you check <https://www.lamayor.org/COVID19Orders> for the latest information.
- On Friday, March 25, EWDD is launching the City's \$8.5 million Microenterprise Recovery Grant Program. Up to \$15,000 in grants will be available to microenterprises to aid their economic recovery from COVID-19. The application period closes on April 15. Additional details, along with a link to the application portal will be available at bit.ly/Microenterprise
- Mayor Eric Garcetti signed his 33rd [Executive Directive](#), which creates the City of Los Angeles Tourism Cabinet, a group of department general managers to support growth in the tourism and hospitality sectors in Los Angeles. The Executive Directive also calls for the implementation of the recommendations laid out in the City's [Tourism Master Plan](#).
- Free Tax Prep L.A. 2022 is active—this program provides working families with free tax preparation services and helps them to claim state and federal tax credits. Now in its sixth year, the program is a collaborative effort between the City of Los Angeles, the Community Investment for Families Department (CIFD), and other organizations. For more information or to find a location, please visit FreeTaxPrepLA.com. Until 4/18, [@FreeTaxPrepLA](#) will be offering free tax services to qualifying Angelenos.
- Our GRYD and LAPD partners are hosting an Anonymous Gun Buyback on 3/26 from 8a-1p in various locations around the city. For more info, please call 1-877-LAPD-247.
- Housingskey, the State's Rental assistance program, will stop accepting applications at the end of this month! If folks haven't applied they can do so at housingskey.com

Best regards,



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