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REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, March 2, 2017 at 6:30 p.m.

de Toledo High School, 22622 Vanowen St., West Hills

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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.

<p><u>Opening Business</u></p> <p>Call to Order</p> <p>Roll Call – Establish Quorum</p> <p>Pledge of Allegiance</p> <p>Approve Meeting Minutes of February 2, 2017</p> <p>Treasurer’s Report</p> <p>Comments From the Chair</p>	<p>6:30 P.M.</p>	<p>Co-Chairs: Mr. Dan Brin Ms. Charlene Rothstein</p> <p>Secretary: Ms. Carolyn Greenwood</p> <p>Co-Chair: Ms. Charlene Rothstein</p> <p>Secretary: Ms. Carolyn Greenwood</p> <p>Treasurer: Ms. Bobbi Trantafello</p> <p>Co-Chair: Mr. Dan Brin</p>
<p><u>Announcements</u></p> <p>Council District 12</p> <p>LAPD Senior Lead Officers</p> <p>Other Government Officials & Representatives</p>	<p>6:45 P.M.</p>	<p>Mr. Ron Rubine, District Director</p> <p>SLOs Sean Brown and Kari McNamee</p>
<p><u>Council Announcements</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Committee Reports & Announcements • Budget Advocates 	<p>7:00 P.M.</p>	<p>West Hills Neighborhood Council</p> <p>Ms. Joanne Yvanek-Garb</p> <p>Ms. Simone Best</p>
<p><u>Public Comment</u></p> <p>Comments & statements from stakeholders or interested parties (<i>Requires Speaker Card</i>)</p> <p>*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</p>	<p>7:10 P.M.</p>	<p>Co-Chair: Ms. Charlene Rothstein</p>

<p><u>Presentation</u></p> <p>City Budget</p>	<p>7:25 P.M.</p>	<p>Deputy Mayor Matt Szabo</p>
<p><u>Old Business</u></p> <p>17-0015 – Discussion and possible action regarding amending the WHNC Bylaws regarding the filling of a vacant seat on the WHNC Board (5 Minutes Max)</p> <p>17-0016 – Discussion and possible action regarding amending the WHNC Bylaws to have committees submit minutes of all committee meetings held (5 Minutes Max)</p> <p>17-0017 – First Reading to amend the WHNC Bylaws to make the Homelessness Committee a standing committee (2 Minutes Max)</p>	<p>7:55 P.M.</p>	<p>Mr. Bob Brostoff, Chair Bylaws Committee</p> <p>Mr. Bob Brostoff, Chair Bylaws Committee</p> <p>Mr. Bob Brostoff, Chair Bylaws Committee</p>
<p><u>New Business</u></p> <p>17-0018 - Discussion and possible action regarding the approval of the WHNC’s January 2017 Monthly Expenditure Report (“MER”) (5 Minutes Max)</p> <p>17-0019 – Discussion and possible action on immediately paying \$300 to the 2017 Neighborhood Congress (5 Minutes Max)</p> <p>17-0020 – Discussion and possible action regarding approval of a position letter on the DOE Environment Impact Statement for cleanup of the SSFL site (15 Minutes Max)</p> <p>17-0021 – Discussion and possible action regarding resolutions on LAUSD’s plans to reopen the Highlander Road School site as a Visual and Performing Arts Academy. (15 Minutes Max)</p> <p>17-0022 - Discussion and possible action on a motion to direct a letter to Councilman Englander, the Mayor and the LAPD asking for additional resources for crime prevention in the West Valley (5 Minutes Max)</p> <p>17-0023 - Discussion and possible action on amending the WHNC’s 2016-2017 Budget to include a \$5,000 increase and a \$1,500 grant (5 Minute Max)</p>	<p>8:10 P.M.</p>	<p>Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee</p> <p>Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee</p> <p>Mr. Alec Uzemeck, Co-Chair Environment Committee Mr. Steve Randall, Co-Chair Environment Committee</p> <p>Mr. Ed Young, Co-Chair Education Committee Ms. Aida Abkarians, Co-Chair Education Committee Mr. Tony Brosamle, Co-Chair Streets & Transportation Committee Mr. Barry Seybert, Co-Chair Streets & Transportation Committee</p> <p>Mr. Bob Brostoff, Chair Public Safety & Emergency Preparedness Committee</p> <p>Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee</p>

<p>17-0024 - Discussion and possible action approving an NPG for Hamlin Charter Academy in the amount of \$1862.80 for sound equipment for a theatrical curriculum (5 Minutes Max)</p>		<p>Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee</p>
<p>17-0025 - Discussion and possible action approving an NPG for Pomelo Elementary School in the amount of \$2400 for publishing a quarterly magazine, showcasing student accomplishments (5 Minutes Max)</p>		<p>Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee</p>
<p>17-0026 - Discussion and Possible Action approving an NPG for Enadia Way Elementary School in the amount of \$1790 to purchase a chicken coop, supplies, and baby chicks or eggs. This project is part of a living laboratory in the school garden. (5 Minutes Max)</p>		<p>Ms. Bobbi Trantafello, Co-Chair Budget Committee Mr. Bob Brostoff, Co-Chair Budget Committee</p>
<p>17-0027 – Discussion and possible action regarding City Council File #15-1022-S2 regarding On-line Voting/Improve Experience/Neighborhood Council (5 Minutes Max)</p>		<p>Ms. Simone Best, Co-Chair Government Relations Ms. Joanne Yvanek-Garb, Co-Chair Government Relations</p>
<p><u>Adjournment</u></p>	<p>9:00 P.M.</p>	

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 **April 6, 2017 at 7 p.m. at de Toledo High School, 22622 Vanowen St., West Hills, CA 91307.**

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