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WEST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

JOINT BOARD AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

May 12, 2021

Webinar and Telephonic Meeting

APPROVED

Co-Chair Steve Randall called the meeting to order at 7:08 PM and a quorum was established.

Committee members in attendance: Steve Randall, Alec Uzemeck, Brad Vanderhoof, Charlene Rothstein, Saif Mogri and Myrl Schreibman

Other Attendees: Aida Abkarians, Chris Rowe, Bonnie Klea and other members of the public.

The minutes from the April 14, 2021 meeting were approved.

Comments from the Co Chairs: Steve and Alec did not have any comments.

Alec gave a status report on the SSFL cleanup, and given the slow process for report preparation and approval, he suggested that the Committee should bring in more areas of interest to the community. Alec reviewed the list of agenda items for the past year to begin the discussion of new projects for consideration.

Several attendees said that the SSFL cleanup should regularly be monitored and reported, and agreed that other areas of interest be developed. Suggestions for future areas of interest to the community included LADWP and operating costs, including improvements in the infrastructure and response to the fire hazards, and increasing drought with contacts from the Councilman's office. Other attendees brought up the LA River Plan and the need to get information back to the Committee.

In the Public Comment period attendees repeated rumors about the DTSC cleanup being delayed and the confidential discussions between DTSC and Boeing. Others recommended that DWP speakers be brought into the Committee meetings.

Steve adjourned the meeting at 7:55 PM.