## CITY OF LOS ANGELES CALIFORNIA



## WESTWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING

Westwood Presbyterian Church 10822 Wilshire Blvd, Hoffman Hall Los Angeles, CA 90024 Enter via Ashton Avenue

WEDNESDAY, February 9, 2011 - 7:00 PM www.westwoodnc.net

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## **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to order Council Member roll call (Quorum = 11 members) (2 minutes)
- 2. Approval of minutes January 12, 2011 meeting (1 minute)
- 3. Budget Update Yoni Riemer (2 minutes)
- 4. Neighborhood Purposes Grant Jerry Brown (1 minute) a. Update of approved grant to the Los Angles Musical Salon
- 5. Emerson Middle School Katherine Gonnella (10 minutes) a. Requesting a grant to Emerson Middle School in the amount of \$5,000 to purchase 2 projectors and an electronic screen, plus installation
- 6. Fairburn Elementary School Elizabeth Abramowitz, Joanna Darvish (10 minutes) a. Requesting a grant to Fairburn Elementary School in the amount of \$ 7,604.76 to purchase 6 computers

- 7. Westwood Organized Mega Project (WOMP!) and Volunteer Day John Heidt, Steve Sann (10 minutes)
  - a. Discussion and introduction of motion: To provide a contribution of up to \$7,500 for the purchase of supplies and materials for this event
- 8. Westside Mobility Plan Maria Yanez-Forgash (10 minutes)
  - a. Presentation and discussion: A study to develop short term solutions and long-term plans to address congestion and mobility challenges within this section of the City
- 9. Community Care Facilities Supplemental Report and Ordinance Sharon Commins (10 minutes) a. Discussion and introduction of motion: To support the Ordinance and 4 additional provisions to the Ordinance proposed by the Westside Regional Alliance of Councils
- 10. Website Update Roozbeh Farahanipour, George Torbay, Lisa Chapman (10 minutes)
  - a. Discussion and motion to approve selected vendor
- 11. Westside Subway Extension Kurt Smalberg (10 minutes)
  - a. Discussion and possible action
- 12. City Parking Garages Jerry Brown/Lisa Chapman (7 minutes)
  - a. Introduction of motion: To oppose the City's P-3 proposal to lease nine public parking garages to private institutional investors for 50 years
- 13. Persian New Year Festival Roozbeh Farahanipour (3 minutes)
  - a. Discussion and possible action
- 14. Community Impact Statements Jerry Brown, Stephen Resnick (3 minutes)
  - a. Motion to approve the appointment of up to 5 board members who are authorized to submit Community Impact Statements
- 15. Standing Committee Status/Reports (5 minutes)

Executive

Budget

Land Use and Development

**Outreach and Communications** 

Transportation and Traffic

Standing Rules and Regulations (including parliamentarian)

- 16. Ad Hoc Bylaw Committee update Connie Boukidis, Jerry Brown, Toni Gray, Kurt Smalberg, Scott Whittle (2 minutes)
  - a. Motion to accept DONE recommendations for Table of Contents modifications & to pursue by-law amendments in the recommended format
- 17. Ad hoc Committees Lisa Chapman (5 minutes)
  - a. Discussion of additional committees to be added, if any
- 18. Public Comments (3 minutes per speaker)
- 19. Good and Welfare (2 minutes)
- 20. Motion to Adjourn

Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 9, 2011 – 7:00 pm (Westwood Presbyterian Church)