WESTWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

September 14, 2022

Agenda Item # 12

MOTION TO SUPPORT REVOCATION OF HABIBI CAFE

Whereas, Habibi Cafe does not have a tobacco license (for hookah), liquor license, entertainment license, retail license, and no conditional use permits; and

Whereas, Habibi Cafe has a restaurant license only; and

Whereas, there are a multitude of major violations against this establishment from LAPD, planning, and Vice; AND

Whereas, in 21 years of doing business, Habibi Cafe has never applied for any other permit other than a restaurant license; and

Whereas, the location of this establishment is only one block from a major university; and

Whereas, the owner of this establishment has made no attempt to comply with the laws and ordinances of the City of Los Angeles;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Westwood Neighborhood Council fully supports the full revocation of the Habibi Cafe business, as stated by 5th District Councilmember Paul Koretz in his August 31, 2022 letter to the City's Planning and Land Use Management Committee esupporting revocation.