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NOTICE AND AGENDA ENCINO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MEETING Wednesday, September 7, 2022 @ 1:00 PM

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Committee Members:*Glenn Bailey, *Laurie Kelson (chair), *Jess Whitehill, *Lissa Morrow, Margie Grossman, Chuck Hand, Vicki Jarvis, Diane Rosen, Laure Stevens

Alternate Committee Member: Ryan Levey

*Denotes ENC Board member or Alternate Board Member, maximum of 5 allowed

MOTIONS, DISCUSSIONS AND A VOTE MAY BE TAKEN ON ALL ITEMS POSTED ON THE AGENDA.

At the discretion of the Chair, this agenda may be modified as to time slots and agenda items or speakers to accommodate changes at that time.

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, Excused Absences, Determination of a Quorum,

Code of Civility.

- 2. Introductions -
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM, MARCH 16, 2022 MEETING -

<u>myladot.lacity.org</u> - According to Tim Fremaux, the LADOT is only looking at old requests except maintenance.

- 4. Encino Traffic/Transportation Wish list: UPDATE: New list to be determined.
- 4-1. Left-hand turn arrow fading to green on White Oak (S) to Burbank Blvd (E). **7:30-9:30 AM**
- 4-2 Parking meter timing: The signs should be changed back to 8 AM to **6 PM.** on Paso Robles and Genesta North of Ventura Blvd next to the Encino Park and Encino Women's Club.
- 4-3. Crosswalk lights on Balboa Blvd @ Addison by the Fire Station. This is close to Encino Charter Elementary School and is needed for safety.

 MOTION:
- 4-4. Left hand turn arrow fading to green on Petit (N) to Ventura Blvd (W). A huge backup on Petit blocking the driveway of Jerry's Deli and the Bank of America.
- 4-5 Signal timing on Sepulveda Blvd at Valley Meadow Rd. The signal on Sepulveda Blvd seems to work like a stop sign some of the time for traffic calming. The signal for Sepulveda Blvd will turn red and no one is on Valley Meadow Rd. This has been happening for years.

- 4-6. Signal timing on Mulholland Dr at Casiano Rd. (by the American Jewish University and Stephen S Wise Temple). Mulholland Dr motorist have to wait a long time after the Casiano Rd traffic has cleared during the PM peak hours.
- 4-7 Crosswalk flashers needed on Ventura Blvd @ La Maida.
- 5. Update on Escalon traffic calming Ryan and Laure
- 6. Discuss Old Motions: REVIEW

MOTION - TRA 21-06-0032

The Traffic/Transportation Committee requests the parking meters on Paso Robles Ave adjacent to Encino Park be changed to 10AM -6 PM. BAILEY/ROSEN 6/0/0

MOTION -TRA 21-06-0033

The Traffic/Transportation Committee requests LADOT to reconsider a left hand arrow (protected permissive- operates when multiple cars are queued up) @ N Petit Ave to W Ventura Blvd . The LADOT needs to view this intersection in the AM commute hours. JARVIS/ROSEN 6/0/0

MOTION - TRA- 21-06-0034

The Traffic/Transportation Committee requests LADOT to reconsider a left hand arrow (protected permissive-operates when multiple cars are queued up) @ S White Oak to E Burbank Blvd. BAILEY/KELSON 7/0/0

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MOTION - TRA 21-06-0031

The Traffic/Transportation Committee requests the following signs:

NO RIGHT ON RED 7-9 AM M-F EASTBOUND ON VENTURA BLVD - LOUISE, PETIT, HAYVENHURST, NOELINE, LIBBIT

NO RIGHT 7-9 AM M-F on RANCHO (Eastbound) @ WHITE OAK AVE NO RIGHT 7-9 AM M-F on RANCHO (Eastbound) @ LOUISE AVE NO RIGHT AND LEFT 7-9 AM M-F on OAK VIEW DR @ LOUISE AVE

THESE RESTRICTIONS WILL ENCOURAGE THE COMMUTER TRAFFIC TO USE THE 101 AND VENTURA BLVD instead of cutting thru the narrow winding streets of the Encino Hillside.

KELSON/WHITEHILL 7/0/0

We need to discuss the \$50,000 that was allocated to Encino just prior to Covid-19. The money was supposed to be rolled over and now CD5 says it is gone. We need help from CD4, our new council district, to secure the funds.

- 8. East driveway of the new Target Center: UPDATE
- 9. Mulholland Dr on the Mulholland Bridge, most of the candlesticks in the street are missing separating the right turn lane from the thru traffic lane.

 Motion to replace these missing candlesticks.
- 10. Jess and Ryan request the LADOT adjust the traffic lights sequence at Victory and Balboa near the busway. Same with Woodley.

MOTION:

- 11 Ryan suggests investigating solar powered stop signs for the Hillside Neighborhood. Santa Monica and other communities have them. UPDATE:
- 12. Discussion of new traffic pattern and design at N White Oak (S) at Ventura Blvd. by the Chick-fil-A. Causing delays.

UPDATE:

- 13. Discussion of the traffic on Balboa Blvd near the 101 West on ramp in the PM peak hours. **MOTION:**
- 14. Request for STOP AHEAD painted on the road on Hayvenhurst @ Escalon.

 MOTION:
- 15. Request for more traffic enforcement in Encino. Cars racing on Mulholland Dr late at night. UPDATE:
- 16, Request for flashing lights on Balboa Blvd @ Addison St Crosswalk **MOTION:**
- 17. Request for No U Turns at Pettit, La Maida, Balboa, Paso Robles, Genesta, & Amestoy MOTION:
- 18. Request for No Left Turn at driveway by Dunkin Donuts on Balboa just N of Ventura Blvd. **Motion:**
- **19.** Request for advance notice on any construction projects that prohibit residents from driving on adjacent streets without prior notice except emergency work.

Motion:

20. Discussion of continued water problem on Sepulveda Blvd just South of Valley Meadow Rd. **Motion:**

- 21. **INFORMATION ONLY**: (20) <u>22-0910</u> COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CITY CLERK and CITY ATTORNEY, CERTIFICATION OF SUFFICIENCY OF INITIATIVE PETITION, RESOLUTION, and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to an Initiative Petition regarding the City Mobility Plan Street Improvement Measure. Recommendation for Council action, the following options presented by the City Clerk and City Attorney:
- 1. ADOPT the proposed initiative ordinance, without alteration. OR
- 2. ADOPT the ballot resolution to submit the proposed initiative ordinance, without alteration, to a vote of the electors of the City at the regularly-scheduled Primary Nominating Election scheduled for March 5, 2024 election.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Clerk reports that assuming funds are budgeted for measures on the March 5, 2024 ballot, zero to minimal costs will be required relative to election costs. However, if funds are not included in the Fiscal Year 23-24 Budget, the estimated cost to place the first measure on the ballot is \$5 million and any additional measure will have incremental costs of \$200,000. Please note that the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk will not have cost estimates or calculators available until approximately December 2023. The City Clerk does not evaluate any fiscal impact of the proposed ordinance itself.

Community Impact Statement: Community Impact Statement: Yes For

West Los Angeles Neighborhood Council North Hollywood West Neighborhood Council Harbor Gateway North Neighborhood Council Harbor Gateway South Neighborhood Council Reseda Neighborhood Council

TIME LIMIT FILE - AUGUST 29, 2022 (LAST DAY FOR COUNCIL ACTION - AUGUST 26, 2022) (Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee waived consideration of the above matter

- 22. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items.
- 24. Adjournment:

Board Comments:

Next meeting

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