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# MINUTES ENCINO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

## FINANCE COMMITTEE SPECIAL ZOOM MEETING

**Tuesday June 18, 2024 @ 5:30 PM** 

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Voting Members – ENC Members PRESENT: Patricia Bates\*(Chair), Glenn Bailey\*, Member absent Henry Eshelman\*

- \* Indicates ENC Board Member or Alternate, no more than 5 Encino Neighborhood Council Board-Members or Alternates may be seated at a time to vote during a committee meeting
  - 1. Having a quorum, the meeting was called to order at 5:34 PM
  - 2. Reports from Public Officials/Departments/Community Agencies/Candidates-None
  - 3. **General Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items** Public comments on non-agenda items within the ENC's subject matter jurisdiction is limited to TWO MINUTES (2) per speaker. Time may be adjusted at the Chair's discretion. None

#### 4. NEW BUSINESS:

- a. 2024-2025 Preliminary Budget: The draft budget for 2024-2025 was discussed. Board Member Laure Stevens requested that Facebook costs be increased to \$500 from \$200 with corresponding reduction in Outreach event expense. The motion to amend and the motion were passed 2 yes/0no/0 abstentions). Motion: The Encino Neighborhood Council Finance Committee recommends the board approve its initial 2024-2025 budget i
- b. Encino NC 2024 06 17 Inventory: Discussion and Possible Action: consider recommendation to the ENC board that it approve the inventory at 6/17/2024 and submit it to the city Clerk's portal. After discussion agreed to remove consumables from the inventory and double check furniture still on hand. Motion: The Encino Neighborhood Council Finance Committee Recommends the board approve the June 17, 2024 inventory and submit it to the City Clerk's portal.
- c. Treasurer's report on May 2024 Monthly Expenditure Report, status of NPG request from the Southern California Garden Club and median weed abatement program. Treasurer noted the NPG from Southern California Garden Club was rejected. The parent organization determination letter was not received until after the necessary date. It appears unlikely any ENC funds will be used to help with basin street weed abatement. The total cost pre estimate from LA Street Services is in excess of \$90,000. Also LBNC elected not to contribute.

5. Committee Member comment on non-agenda items.

### 6. Adjournment

**Next meeting: tba** 

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