Historic Highland Park Neighborhood Council

Notice of Regular Board Meeting and Agenda
Thursday, February 02, 2017
Highland Park Senior Center
6152 N. Figueroa St., Los Ángeles, CA 90042
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

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AGENDA

A. Call to Order
B. Roll Call
C. Elected Officials (Mayor’s office, CD1, CD14, AD51, SD22, BOS1)
D. President’s Report
E. LAPD Report
F. LAFD Report
G. LAPL Report
H. Board Announcements
I. Committee Reports (Executive, Rules, Budget, Land Use, Outreach, Sustainability, Family Youth Education, Public Safety, Housing and Homelessness, Beautification)
J. Budget Advocates Report
K. Liaisons (Grievance Panel, Animal services, Homelessness, Legal, Public Works, DWP)
L. Alliances (ARC, LANCC, NC Sustainability Alliance, NC Emergency Preparedness Alliance, PlanCheck NC)
M. Public Comments (Limited to 10 minutes, maximum 2 minutes per speaker)

ACTION ITEMS

1. Approval of Agenda.
2. Approval of January 05, 2017 Minutes.
3. (5 min.) Motion to reinstate Diego Silva to the HHPNC board. —R. Rivas
4. (5 min.) Motion to reinstate Gabriel Chabran to the HHPNC board. —H. Slater
5. (5 min.) [PREVIOUSLY TABLED] 6515 N. Figueroa Street: Request to permit the continued use of an existing used car sales in RD1.5 zone; permit public parking extending into portion of the lot within 0 ft. front line; continue the 6 ft. wrought iron fence across property line and existing landscape. —S. Huerta, A. Castillo
6. (5 min.) Discussion and motion to change the Budget & Finance Committee status from that of a standing committee to an ad hoc committee. —Joan Potter
7. (10 min.) Discussion and motion to approve a budget revision for the 2016-2017 fiscal year which totals $42,000. —Joan Potter
8. (5 min.) Motion to approve an NPG in the amount of $2000 as requested by the Lummis Day Foundation to support the Festival on June 2-4, 2017. —Joan Potter
9. (4 min.) Motion to approve an NPG in the amount of $600 for Avenue 50 Studio to fund materials for a grant writing workshop to be held March 18, 2017. —Joan Potter
10. (3 min.) Motion to approve paying $132.86 to InMotion Hosting for 1 year’s: Launch Plan $107.88, Domain Registration $14.99, Domain Privacy $9.99. —Joan Potter
11. (3 min.) Motion to reimburse Councilmember Antonio Castillo $1,342.08 for: $999 – 235 backpacks; $159.12 Epson scanner; $183.96 Sandwiches. —Joan Potter
12. (5 min.) Motion to allocate election money to the NPG budget allotment. —J. Ceballos
13. (5 min.) Motion to approve an NPG in the amount of $2,500 for AMP LA facility. —H. Slater
14. (5 min.) Discussion and motion to approve an NPG in the amount of $2,000 for CASA 0101 theater to provide a presentation of Disney’s Aladdin for youth in Highland Park. —H. Slater
15. (5 min.) Discussion and motion to hold a town hall forum to discuss the state of education in Highland Park with LAUSD School Board Member Dr. Ref Rodriguez. —R. Rivas
16. (5 min.) Presentation by Larry Keefe, School Site Council Chairperson, and Principal Ms. Jennifer Gage from Garvanza Elementary School on ideas to establish a working relationship with HHPNC. —R. Rivas
17. (5 min.) Discussion and motion to write a letter for Bushnell Way Elementary School to stop reallocation of a charter school in their campus. —R. Rivas
18. (5 min.) Discussion and possible motion to hold Measure S information panel along with neighboring NC's supported by Land-Use Committee.—M. Freeland
19. (5 min.) Update and discussion regarding HHPNC’s participation and role in the upcoming Northeast LA CD1 Candidates Forum on February 16th.—H. Slater
20. (5 min.) Motion to offer financial support in the amount of $250 for the Northeast LA CD1 Candidates Forum.—Y. Nogueira, J. Tijerina
21. (5 min.) Motion to hold a Facebook Live for the Northeast LA CD1 Candidates Forum, to be broadcasted as a Facebook event.—H. Slater
22. (5 min.) Motion to approve up to $500 to provide hospitality for two Highland Park Keep it Clean events at Aldama Elementary School (Feb. 4th) and Buchanan Elementary School (Feb. 25th).—Y. Nogueira, R. Rivas
23. (5 min.) Motion to approve up to $250 to provide arts & crafts and hospitality items for the Monte Vista Block Party/Resource Fair on February 11th from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the 5200 Block of N. Monte Vista Street between Ave. 52 and Ave 53.—Y. Nogueira
24. (5 min.) Motion to provide up to $500 for support at the Easter Egg Hunt on April 8th at Highland Park Rec. Center.—Y. Nogueira
25. (5 min.) Motion to provide up to $500 to support the Opening Day of Baseball at the Highland Park Rec Center.—Y. Nogueira
26. (5 min.) Motion to appoint Jessica Ceballos as the new Film Liaison to city hall. —H. Slater
27. (5 min.) Motion to start the approved application process to fill in the vacant Director-at-Large seat. —H. Slater
28. New Business
29. Adjournment