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**EDUCATION  
COMMITTEE**

**Regular Meeting**

**Agenda**

Tuesday, December 3, 2024  
6:30 PM

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IN CONFORMITY WITH THE OCTOBER 6, 2023 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA SENATE BILL 411 (PORTANTINO) AND LA CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL ON NOVEMBER 1, 2023, THIS WOODLAND HILLS WARNER CENTER NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETING WILL BE AVAILABLE VIRTUALLY.

Every person wishing to address the Board must enter the meeting via the above Zoom link or dial (669) 900-6833, and enter 884 2295 9967 and then press # to join the meeting. When prompted by the presiding officer, to provide public input at the Neighborhood Council meeting the public will be requested to dial \*9 by phone or use the Raise Hand option on Zoom, to address the Board on any agenda item before the Board takes an action on an item. Comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered.

Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Board's jurisdiction will be heard during the General Public Comment period. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Board is prevented from acting on a matter that you bring to its attention during the General Public Comment period; however, the issue raised by a member of the public may become the subject of a future Board meeting. Public comment is limited to 1 minutes per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the

Board.

**SB 411 Updates:**

In the event of a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting to members of the public using the call-in option or internet-based service option, or in the event of a disruption within the eligible legislative body's control that prevents members of the public from offering public comments using the call-in option or internet-based service option, the eligible legislative body shall take no further action on items appearing on the meeting agenda until public access to the meeting via the call-in option or internet-based service option is restored. Actions taken on agenda items during a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting may be challenged pursuant to Section 54960.1.

The eligible legislative body shall not require public comments to be submitted in advance of the meeting and shall provide an opportunity for the public to address the legislative body and offer comments in real time.

Notwithstanding Section 54953.3, an individual desiring to provide public comment through the use of an internet website, or other online platform, not under the control of the eligible legislative body, that requires registration to log in to a teleconference may be required to register as required by the third-party internet website or online platform to participate.

(i) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed public comment period for each agenda item shall not close the public comment period for the agenda item, or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph , to provide public comment until that timed public comment period has elapsed.

(ii) An eligible legislative body that does not provide a timed public comment period, but takes public comment separately on each agenda item, shall allow a reasonable amount of time per agenda item to allow public members the opportunity to provide public comment, including time for members of the public to register pursuant to subparagraph (D), or otherwise be recognized for the purpose of providing public comment.

(iii) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed general public comment period that does not correspond to a specific agenda item shall not close the public comment period or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph (D), until the timed general public comment period has elapsed.

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**Items for discussion and possible action:**

*All comments are limited to 2 minutes per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding chair of the committee.*

- I. Call to Order. Welcome new committee member.
- II. Roll call of members: Chair: Julie Waltrip. Committee Members: Steve Sommers, Reina Cerros McCaughey, Heath Kline, Shelly Schwartz
- III. Public Announcements by city officials and representatives: (2) minutes per speaker.
- IV. Stakeholder Public Comment Period (on items NOT on the agenda): (1) minute per speaker.
- V. Approval of Committee Minutes: See supporting documents.

Roll call vote:

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*Stakeholder Public Comment will be taken on each agenda item: (2) minutes per speaker.*

**Item One: Project Completion Reports (20 minutes) see supporting documents**

Open discussion on Woodlake Elementary PTSA and Lockhurst Elementary Project Completion Reports  
What did we learn this year and how can we be more efficient next year in grant processing. Discussion and possible action. Roll call vote if applicable.

**Item Two: NPGs from Area Schools, (10 min.)** see supporting documents

Open Discussion and possible action on area schools applications for grants this year. NPG form discussed and suggested updates. Roll call vote if applicable.

**Item Three: How school activity and community activity impact each other (30 minutes)**

Weather: Due to Nov.6-8 high wind event/fire danger, CHP closed Topanga Canyon Blvd between Mullholland Drive and PCH to non-residents, Topanga Canyon Elementary students and staff relocated to Woodland Hills Academy. Traffic: valet car line at Serrania Charter juxtaposed with crossing guard location, CHIME traffic pattern on 1-way street with housing development, Taft cyberthreat caused midday parent/student pedestrian traffic. Election returns: which wins/losses impact area schools and current LAUSD climate of funding. Other examples such as school closures affecting businesses. Open discussion and possible action. Roll call vote if applicable.

**Item Four: Education Outreach (10 minutes)**

Discussion and possible action on updated outreach items for website, social posting, newsletter and any other dissemination of our education content. Roll call vote if applicable.

**Item Five: Goal-setting (10 minutes)**

Discussion and possible action on future action items.  
Roll call vote if applicable.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The next meeting will be on Tuesday January 7, 2025 at 6:30 pm via Zoom (check website for details) unless posted otherwise.

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