



AGENDA - EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING - WHWCNC Wednesday, October 28, 2020 - 6:30 p.m. VIRTUAL MEETING BY TELECONFERENCE

VIRTUAL MEETING TELECONFERENCING and PHONE NUMBER FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

In conformity with the Governor's Executive Order N-29-20 (MARCH 17, 2020) and due to concerns over COVID-19, the Woodland Hills-Warner Center Neighborhood Council meetings will be conducted entirely telephonically.

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AGENDA

Call to Order

Roll Call - Officers: Joyce Fletcher, President - Sheppard Kaufman, Vice President - Paul Lawler, Treasurer Don Patterson, Parliamentarian, Komalpreet Batth, Secretary

Public Announcements by City Officials: (2) minutes per speaker

Public Comment Period for members of the Public (on items not on the agenda): (2) minutes per speaker

Items for discussion and possible action:

1. Zoom meetings
Officer roles at zoom meetings

3. Code of Conducts and Standing Rules

Review of Code of Conduct, Sanding Rules and DONE Censure Policy added to the WHWCNC Bylaws See attached Codes of Conduct, Standing Rules and Bylaws

WOODLAND HILLS-WARNER CENTER NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL - CODE OF CIVILITY

- 3. We will promote and enforce a safe meeting environment at all times. If members of the Board or the public become disruptive and violate the code of civility, we will join our fellow Board members in demanding that the person(s) conduct themselves in a respectful and orderly manner even if we do not agree with the point of view being expressed. The President will have the authority to mitigate the disruption by any reasonable and professional manner available to them;
- 4. The Brown Act Public Comment is for stakeholders

The Brown Act - 54954.2.

(3) No action or discussion shall be undertaken on any item not appearing on the posted agenda, except that members of a legislative body or its staff may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed by persons exercising their public testimony rights under Section 54954.3.

In addition, on their own initiative or in response to questions posed by the public, a member of a legislative body or its staff may ask a question for clarification, make a brief announcement, or make a brief report on his or her own activities.

Furthermore, a member of a legislative body, or the body itself, subject to rules or procedures of the legislative body, may provide a reference to staff or other resources for factual information, request staff to report back to the body at a subsequent meeting concerning any matter, or take action to direct staff to place a matter of business on a future agenda.

(As the NC does not have staff, the request should be made to the Officers to be placed on the appropriate committee agenda for review)

- 2. Per Standing Rules: Stakeholder committee member training and Cornerstone
 - SR 24 All stakeholder committee members must take the Code of Conduct and Funding training upon appointment and ethics training biannually. This provision will be effective 60 days from approval by the Board.
 - SR 25 All Board and stakeholder committee members may be censured or removed for failing to follow the Code of Conduct pursuant to the discipline process described in the Bylaws.
- Resolution by the Board of Neighborhood Commissioners
 NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL LEADERSHIP ORIENTATION and Handbook and PLUM Policy
 See attached document
- Neighborhood Council Elections
 Officer support for the WHWCNC Outreach Committee to execute election outreach Election starts Jan.2, 2021
 See attached *draft* election timeline
- 7. Approval of the Minutes September 21, 2020 submitted by Joyce Fletcher
- 8. Agenda items for the next Executive Committee Meeting and date to be determined.

Announcements: The next Full Board Meeting will be held on November 11, 2020 by teleconference.

Please visit the website calendar page at whoouncil.org for the date and time. NOTICE: the Woodland Hills-Warner Center Neighborhood Council may hold a webinar SPECIAL MEETING if needed. Please visit the website calendar page to see if there is a Special Meeting posted.

Meeting dates for or the upcoming 2020 -2021 year; the proposed Board meeting are usually held the second Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm.

Due to COVID 19 all in person meetings have been moved to virtual teleconference. HOWEVER, please check the www.whcouncil.org website calendar page for any changes that may occur.

Adjournment of meeting:

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