



AGENDA

Woodland Hills-Warner Center Neighborhood Council

FULL BOARD MEETING- SPECIALLY SET FOR APPOINTMENTS ONLY

Wednesday, October 26, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

VIRTUAL MEETING BY TELECONFERENCE

Zoom Meeting Online or By Telephone

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In conformity with the September 16, 2021, Enactment of California Assembly Bill 361 (Rivas) and due to concerns over COVID-19, the Woodland Hills-Warner Center Neighborhood Council meeting will be conducted entirely telephonically with a call-in option or internet-based service option.

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***PUBLIC INPUT ON AGENDA ITEMS** – The public may 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. *Public comment is limited to (1) minute per speaker.*

***PUBLIC INPUT ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA** - 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.

General Public Comment is limited to (1) minute per speaker and 20 minutes total unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the board.

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Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll Call

Public Announcements:

Office of Councilmember Bob Blumenfield (3 minutes)
Office of Local and State Officials – if available (3 minutes each)
Other Local Agencies – if available (2 minutes each)

General Public Comment, by the Public, on Non-Agenda Items:

General Public Comment is limited to (1) minute per speaker and 20 minutes total.

I. Items for Discussion and Voting- Election of Board Members. This item has been specially set due to timing issues. At the last full Board meeting, none of the agenda items were discussed nor voted on due to loss of quorum. At the next full Board meeting there will be many more items to discuss and be voted on. Due to the amount of applications for Board positions, this will result in a meeting that may continue past midnight which will be an undue burden on the public and Board and impede ability to timely discuss and vote on Stakeholder concerns. This Special meeting will allow discussion and voting on previously vetted and approved Board member applicants, while preserving time at the November 9, 2022 Board meeting for Stakeholder concerns and additional discussion and voting agenda items.

Item No (1) Governance Committee, Chair Dena Weiss **(22-092) Stakeholder Request for Area 2 Alternate Board Seat**

Discussion and possible action: (10 minutes)

Motion for the board to appoint Philip Swain to the Area 2 Alternate board seat.

Roll Call Vote

Item No (2) Governance Committee, Chair Dena Weiss **(22-093) Stakeholders Request for Area 3 Residential Board Seat and Alternate Seat**

Discussion and possible action: (20 minutes)

Motion for the board to appoint Annmarie Donkin or Mark Ball or Lynn Martines to the Area 3 Residential board seat. The first runner up will be appointed to the Alternate seat.

Roll Call Vote

Item No (3) Governance Committee, Chair Dena Weiss **(22-094) Stakeholder Request for Area 5 Residential Board Seat and Alternate Seat**

Discussion and possible action: (15 minutes)

Motion for the board to appoint Gretchen Gesell or Christopher Waddy to the Area 5 Residential board seat. The first runner up will be appointed to the Alternate seat.

Item No (4) Governance Committee, Chair Dena Weiss
(22-095) Stakeholder Request for Area 7 Residential Board Seat and Alternate Seat

Discussion and possible action:

(20 minutes)

Motion for the board to appoint Christopher P. Curl or Christine K. Robinson or Aaron Williams to the Area 7 Residential board seat. The first runner up will be appointed to the Alternate seat.

Roll Call Vote

Item No (5) Governance Committee, Chair Dena Weiss
(22-096) Stakeholder Request for At Large Board Seat and Alternate Seat

Discussion and possible action:

(20 minutes)

Motion for the board to appoint Reina Cerros McCaughey or August O. Steurer or Bobbie Wasserman to the At Large board seat. The first runner up will be appointed to the Alternate seat.

Roll Call Vote

Announcements:

The next Regular Board meeting will be held on November 9, 2022, by teleconference. Please visit the calendar page at whcouncil.org for the complete details and to confirm the date and time.

Meeting dates for 2021 -2022 year: Full Board meeting are held the second Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm. Check the NC website calendar for a complete list of committee and board meetings. Meeting dates and times are subject to change. Check the NC calendar for updated meeting schedules.

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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