Historic Highland Park Neighborhood Council

Notice of Regular Meeting and Agenda
Thursday, August 20, 2015
Highland Park Senior Center 6152 N. Figueroa St.
Los Angeles, 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, SD 22, BOS1)
D. President’s Report
E. LAPD Report
F. LAFD Report
G. Board Announcements
H. Committee Reports: (Budget, Land Use, Outreach, Rules, Public Safety, Beautification, Youth School Alliance, Digital and Social Media, Arts & Culture, Green & Sustainability)
I. Budget Advocates Report
J. LANC/Sustainability Alliance Report
K. Public Comments (Limited to 10 minutes, maximum 2 minutes per speaker)

ACTION ITEMS

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of Minutes of the August 6, 2015 meeting.
3. (3 mins) [PREVIOUSLY TABLED] Motion to approve $30 per month for the rest of the budget year (2015-2016) for the iPad data plan using T-mobile. – S. Brantner.
4. (3 mins) [PREVIOUSLY TABLED] Motion to approve up to $30 to purchase an iPad bluetooth keyboard to use at events and monthly meetings. – S. Brantner.
5. (3 mins) [PREVIOUSLY TABLED] Motion to approve $950 for the 2015-2016 fiscal year to move highlandparknc.com email to google apps for gmail. – S. Brantner.
6. (5 mins) Motion to sponsor Fig Jam as a one day community festival scheduled for February 2016 and lead the community engagement piece of the event with a panel discussion that will discus the changes in our community. Sponsorship requested in the amount of $800. -M. Alcaraz.
7. (5 mins) Motion to sponsor the Highland Park Independent Film Festival in October 2015 in the amount of $1000. -M.Alcaraz.
8. (5 mins) Motion to partner with Eagle Rock NC and Glassell Park NC on a Clean up focused on York and Eagle Rock Blvd in October with funds requested up to $250. -M.Alcaraz.
9. (3 mins) Retroactive payment for security present at the past May 28, 2015 land use meeting in the amount of $87.60. – M. Alcaraz.
10. (8 mins) Presentation and funding request from the Southwest Mural Project for funding to restore the mural located at the Southwest Museum. Funding requested at $1000. Total project cost is expected to be about $20,000. – J. Sanchez.
11. (8 mins) Presentation and funding request from the Critical Mass Dance Company to fund a community performance (paid tickets) for October 2015 at the Ebell theater in the amount of $750. Total projected cost is to be about $3190. –J. Sanchez.
12. (8 mins) Discussion on what data we can incorporate from https://data.lacity.org into our website. - F. Villa.
13. (3 mins) Motion to resubmit 5 names to DONE of Board Members who are authorized to submit council file community impact statements on behalf of the Board. – J. Sanchez.
14. (3 mins) Motion to resubmit the HHPNC CIS opposing the expansion of the Phillips 66 plant in Santa Maria as a CIS to the Council File (CF# 15-0002-S82) that was opened specifically on this issue subsequent to our vote. – L. Amsden.
15. (5 mins) A motion requesting Los Angeles City demand appropriate regulation of antibiotic use on farms to protect our residents and stakeholders. –L. Amsden.
16. (15 mins) Motion to file a community impact statement (CF #15-0719) in support of “Mobility 2035” as proposed, and opposing all amendments to the plan as proposed by Councilmember Cedillo, Councilmember Koretzt, and Councilmember Price. – H. Slater.
17. New Business
18. Adjournment