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**EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS SOUTH WEST AREA
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**

A Certified City of Los Angeles Neighborhood Council

Serving the Communities of: **West Park Terrace, Manchester Square, Morningside Circle and Vermont Knolls**

Our Purpose: To promote more citizen participation in local government and make government more responsive to local needs

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**Special
General Board Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, January 24th, 2018 at 6:30 PM**
*Mark Ridley-Thomas Constituent Service Center
8475 S. Vermont Ave. Los Angeles CA 90044
323-753-7228*

- **Call to Order & Roll Call** - (5 min)
- **Public Comments/Announcements** for Items not on the Agenda - (2 min. per speaker/3 speakers total)
- **New Business** – Discussion and Possible Action
 - Discuss joint town hall with Southeast NC. In regards to vacant property on Vermont. This vote will be if we will participate or not.
 - Discussion of Board Member duties and expectations for 2018.
 - Vote of approval for Western Corridor Clean up event. This event will be a clean up of Western from Florence to 108th st
 - Discussion of vacant board positions. We will discuss the vacant treasurer position and alternatives in the mean time to make sure finances are covered.
 - Discussion of Jazz at St. Andrews task force. Board roles and commitment will be assigned for this years upcoming Jazz Festival.
 - Appointment of committee on Marijuana Regulation Chair
Recomendation-TyRon Turner

- **Committee Updates** – Discussion and Possible Action (15 min)
 - Airport Noise Nuisance Ad Hoc, Chair Brent Page
 - Outreach Committee Chair, Danielle Strickland
 - Planning & Land Use Management Committee Chair, Mike Guynn
 - Veterans Committee & 2017 Jazz at St. Andrews Recreation Center Ad Hoc Committee Chair, Dr. Turner Roberts
 - Homelessness Ad Hoc Committee-Tyron Turner
 - SLAANC- Lynette Johnson/Sandra Wilhite
- **Council Files/Community Impact Statements**-Discussion and Possible Action (5 min)
- **Adjournment**

Contact Secretary Dr. Turner Roberts at dr.turner.roberts@southwestnc.org or at 323-789-6311 to find out how to apply for the open Renters Representative board position.

Next General Board Meeting will be held on September 18th, 2017

The public is requested to fill out a “Speaker Card” to address the Board on any agenda item before the Board takes an action. Public comment is limited to 3 minutes per speaker, but the Board has the discretion to modify the amount of time for any speaker.

The public may comment on a specific item listed on this agenda when the Board considers that item. When the Board considers the agenda item entitled “Public Comments”, the public has the right to comment on any matter that is within the Board’s jurisdiction. In addition, the members of the public may request and receive copies without undue delay of any documents that are distributed to the Board, unless there is a specific exemption under the Public Records Act that prevents the disclosure of the record. (Govt. Code Section 54957.5)

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