

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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Brent Page (Chair)

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Ted Hope (Treasurer)

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Sandra Wilhite (At-Large Rep)

Town Hall Meeting Agenda

Monday September 19, 2016 at 6:00-8:00 PM

Mark Ridley-Thomas Constituent Service Center

8475 S. Vermont Ave. Los Angeles CA 90044

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- 1) **Call to Order & Roll Call** - (3 min)
- 2) **Minutes Approval** – Dr. Turner Roberts (5 min)
- 3) **Treasurer’s Report & Approval** – Ted Hope (5 min)
- 4) **Public Safety** – 77th Division Senior Lead Officers Durant and Martin (5 min)
- 5) **Councilmember Marqueece Harris-Dawson – (60mins)**
 - a.) Councilmember Harris-Dawson will report on his first year in office, his efforts in Council District 8 and his work as Chair of the LA City Council Homelessness and Poverty Committee. Councilman Harris-Dawson also serves on several other Committees, including Planning and Land Use and Economic Development.
 - b.) Stakeholders are invited to engage the Councilman on specific topics.
- 6) **New Business** –(5 Mins) Discussion and Possible Action
 - a. Social Media & Meeting Outreach Expenses
 - i. Allocation of Outreach funds to Social Media Coordinator to boost social media posts not to exceed the amount of \$900.00 Annual (9 Months)
 - ii. Allocation of Outreach funds for pop up meeting outreach event

-Waters, Flyers etc not to exceed \$60.00 for October outreach event

Committee Updates – Discussion and Possible Action (10 min)

- b. Committee Chairs report on committee meeting day, time and location
 - i. Outreach Committee Chair, Danielle Strickland
 - ii. Planning & Land Use Management Committee Chair, Mike Guynn
 - iii. Veterans Committee & 2017 Jazz at St. Andrews Recreation Center Ad Hoc Committee Chair, Dr. Turner Roberts
 - iv. Washington High School Auto Lift Dedication Committee Chair Brent Page
- 7) **Public Comments/Announcements** for Items not on the Agenda - (2 min. per speaker/3 speakers total)
- 8) **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 October 17, 2016

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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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