Empowerment Congress Southwest Area Neighborhood Development Council (ECSWANDC)

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

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

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General Board Meeting Agenda

Monday September 16, 2019 6:00pm
St. Andrews Recreation Center Community Room
8701 S. St. Andrews Place
Los Angeles, CA 90047

I. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Opening Comments (3 min.)
II. Public Comments (6 min.) 2 minutes each speaker regarding items on the agenda
III. Minutes Report & Approval – Secretary Dr. Turner Roberts (5 min.)
IV. Treasurer’s Report & Approval – Treasurer Jason Franklin (5 min.)
V. Public Safety Update – LAPD 77th Station (15 min) OFC. Martin, OFC. Cardenas
VI. Government Update – Federal, State, County, City of Los Angeles-8CD
VII. New Business (Discussion and Possible Action)
   a. Discuss the vacancy at the Social Media Coordinator Position. The Empowerment Congress Southwest Area Neighborhood Development Council received from Ms. Lonella J. Enix a Social Media Coordinator Interest Statement and a Board Application on September 4, 2019 by Board Secretary Dr. Turner Roberts. Each Executive Board Member received a copy.
   b. Discuss Security Payment for Jazz at St. Andrews 2019; GSG Protective Services and the owed amount of $549.95.
   c. Discuss the Neighborhood Purpose Grant for the Al Wooten Jr. Youth Center located in the 9100 block of South Western Ave. Re: replace a heating and air conditioning unit once the building has its renovation completed. Itemizes: $5,000.00 Heating and Air Conditioning Unit, Requested Total Amount.
   d. Discuss the Neighborhood Purpose Grant for Travel for Kids, DBA “Travel for Me”. Itemized: $1,500.00 Entrance to Day Trips. $500.00 Transportation rental and parking fees. $500.00 Dining while on Tour. Total Requested Amount $2,000.00.
e. Amend the Administrative Packet to reflect the correct amount of last reported $1,740.00.
f. Create a Grievance Committee as it relates to the Grievance email filed by board member Lonella Enix on August 27th, 2019.
g. Create a Policy Committee and appoint a Chair.
h. Committee Updates. Report!
i. All Representatives report!
j. Appoint (2) SLAANC Delegates.
k. Confirm Jason Franklin as Budget Representative.
l. Discuss Business Cards for Board Members.

VIII. Public Comments/Announcements (8 min) – 2 minutes each speaker regarding items not on the agenda

XI. Adjournment
Disclaimer

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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