



**EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS SOUTHEAST AREA
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL
(ECSEANDC)**



GENERAL BOARD MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, April 23rd , 2019

6:30PM – 8:30PM

New Prospect Baptist Church

10910 S. Broadway Los Angeles, CA. 90061

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MEETING AGENDA

- 1. Call to order M. Rosales, President
- 2. Welcome M. Rosales, President
- 3. Roll Call A. Tobias, Admin. Assistant
- 4. **Elected Officials and City Department Reports** (5 min. each)
 - a. Senior Lead Officers
 - b. Council Districts **8, 9, 15**
 - c. Department of Neighborhood Empowerment
 - d. City Departments (2 total)
- 5. **PUBLIC COMMENTS** (2 min.) (5 Total)

6. New Business

- a. Discussion and board action regarding setting a date and time of Standing rule committee. (Marilea O. 10min)
 - a1. Committee to look into; Section 9B of bylaws Cause for Removal, poor attendance and /or participating on the Governing Body and at scheduled meeting, events and activities, will caused removal Failure to Engage, Educate, & Empower our communities #1 for removal.

- b. Update #2 regarding Area 1 assembly. (E. Monteilh 5min)
 - b1. Date: May 11th (tentative)
 - b2. Location: Green meadows park
 - b3. Time: 11am-2pm
 - b4. Budget: \$2500
 - b5. Adhoc Committee: Esther (chair), Elida, Carl (committee members)
 - b6. Speaker: Curren Price/ Maxine Waters.

- c. Update regarding the candidate forum for the 2019 Neighborhood council elections (Moises R. 5min)
 - e1. Date: May 21st, 2019
 - e2. Time: 6PM – 8PM
 - e3. Location: Possible, Community Church or Faith International
 - e4. Budget: \$1,500

- d. Discussion and board action to remove Elisa McGhee from The Empowerment Congress Southeast Area Neighborhood Development Council as Area 2B Representative Due to poor attendance. (Moises R. 10min)
 - d1. Article 5. Section 7: Absences – Any Board member who misses three (3) regularly scheduled consecutive Board meetings or, optionally, four (4) total Board meetings during any twelve (12) month period, will be automatically removed from the Board.
 - d2. Article 5. Section 9: Removal- B. Poor attendance and/or participation on the Governing Body and at scheduled meetings, events and activities.

- e. Discussion and board action to reschedule Picture Day (Moises R. 10min)

- f. Discussion and board action to approve Area 1 Community clean-up. (Elida M. 10min)
 - f1. Location: Dr. Owen Lloyd Knox Elementary School.
8920 Tupachi Ave. Los Angeles, CA.
 - f2. Date: Saturday, May 4th
 - f3. Time: 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
 - f4. Budget \$500 (food)

- g. Discussion and board action to approve the donation of two benches and a table set to put in court yard of the Green Meadows Recreation Center (Elida Mendez 10min)
 - g1. Budget Not to Exceed \$800
item Shall have engraved the South East neighborhood council logo on it.
 - g2. Vendor?
 - g3. Pictures of benches and tables:

- h. Discussion and board action to amend the 2018-2019 budget (Ella 15min)
 - h1. Review and approve March 2019 Monthly Expenditure Report

END OF ACTION ITEMS

Committee Reports and possible board action (4 min. per committee)

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| a. | <u>Budget Committee Chair</u> | - E. dela Rosa |
| b. | <u>Outreach Committee Chair</u> | - M. Rosales |
| c. | <u>Quality of Life Committee Chair</u> | - T. Washington |
| d. | <u>Beautification Committee Chair</u> | - E. Monteilh |
| e. | <u>Public Safety Committee Chair.</u> | - Elida Mendez |
| f. | <u>Youth/ Young Adults Comm. Chair</u> | - Dynasty Taylor |
| g. | <u>Land Use Committee Chair</u> | - E. McGhee |
| h. | <u>Hospitality Committee Chair</u> | - M. Edwards |
| i. | <u>Budget Representative</u> | -E. McGhee |
| j. | <u>SLAANC Representative</u> | -E. McGhee |

- 07. **Board Vacancy:** Discussion and Possible Board Vote (5 min.)
Below are the ECSEANDC vacant board seats. Please See Bylaws for Duties & Responsibilities also Article 6 section 2E page 9.

VACANCY -

a) Member At-Large Rep #2

- b) Member At-Large Rep #3
- c) Member At-Large Rep #4

10. Board member Comments (2 min.)
11. President Closing Comments (5 min.)
12. Adjournment

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT Southeast Council MEETING

May 28th , 2019

@6:30p.m. Location: New Prospect Baptist Church

Neighboring Neighborhood Council Meetings:

- o WATTS
 - o Board Meeting: 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm, meeting location: watts senior citizen center; 1657 E. Century Blvd., Los Angeles, Ca 90002-2987, office location and phone number: 10221 Compton Ave. #203, Los Angeles, CA 90002 (323) 564-0260
- o HARBOR GATEWAY NORTH
 - o Board Meeting: 4TH TUESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:00 PM, Meeting Location: 135th Street Elementary School - 801 W. 135TH Street, Gardena, Ca 90247-2154, Office Location And Phone Number: PO Box 3723, Gardena, CA 90247, (310) 768-3853, harbortownnorth.org
- o COMMUNITY & NEIGHBORS FOR 9TH DISTRICT UNITY
 - o Board Meeting: 4th Friday Of The Month At 4:30 Pm, Meeting Location; Estelle Van Meter Center Sr. Center - 606 E. 76th Street, Los Angeles, 90001-2802, office location and phone number; 7600 S. Avalon Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90001, (323) 750-0496
- o EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS SOUTHWEST AREA NDC
 - o Board Meeting: 3rd Monday of the month at 6:30 pm, Mark Ridley-Thomas Constituent Service Center - 8475 S. Vermont Ave, Los Angeles 90044-3448, office location and phone number; 8475 S. Vermont Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90044 – 3448, (323) 789-1434.
- o VOICES OF 90037
 - o Board Meeting: 4th Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm, meeting location: Normandie Avenue Elementary School, 4505 S Raymond Ave, Los Angeles CA 90037-2817, council contact information; (323) 299-0809
- o EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS CENTRAL AREA NDC
 - o Board Meeting: 4th Monday of the month at 6:30 pm, meeting location; Amistad Plaza Apartment - community room - 6050 S. Western Avenue, Los Angeles, Ca 90047-1464, office location and phone number, 8475 S. Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90044-3448, (323) 789-1449.
- o EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS NORTH AREA NDC
 - o Board Meeting: 1ST Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm, meeting location, Expo Center Community Room. 2ND floor, 3980 So. Menlo Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90007.

ECSEANDC MEETING RULES

All meetings are conducted in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act. The basic council rules listed here are contained either in that Act, the governing bylaws of this Council or in rules adopted by the Governing Board. All ECSEANDC Meeting Locations shall be compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

DEFINITION OF STAKEHOLDER: [Bylaws Article 4 (5) “any individual who lives, owns property, works, participates in a community or faith-based organization, or attends classes within the geographic area of this Council”. 116th Street, South, 80th Street, North, Central Ave, East Vermont Ave, West and to include the Mark Ridley Thomas constituent Center. (Bylaws Article III)

AGENDAS – Unless otherwise posted, the ECSEANDC meets the 4th Tuesday of every month at 6:30PM at the Mark Ridley-Thomas Constituent Services Center. The agendas for ECSEANDC meetings contain a brief general description of those items to be considered at the meetings. Items on the “Consent Agenda” may be voted on as a group unless a councilmember or stakeholder wishes to be heard on that item. In the event a councilmember or stakeholder wishes to be heard on an item, it will be called special and heard under the “Public Hearing” section of the agenda. Eight (8) members of the Council constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

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ONLINE POSTING LOCATION(S)

- SoutheastNC.org
- DONE – Website Posting - Email: ncsupport@lacity.org

POSTING LOCATION(S)

- **Algin Sutton Recreation Center** – 8800 S. Hoover Street, LA, CA 90044,
Ph: (323) 753-5808 –Deanna Tunstalle, Senior Recreation Director II **Email: Deanna.Tunstalle@LACITY.ORG**
Sheka Stocker, Recreational Coordinator **Email: Sheka.Stocker@LACITY.ORG**
- **Green Meadows Recreation Center** – 431 E 89th Street, LA, CA 90003,
Ph: (323) 565-4242 – **Director Alea Douglas Email: Alea.Douglas@lacity.org**
- **Mark Twain Library** - 9621 S. Figueroa St., LA, CA 90003
Ph: (323) 755-4088 – Ms. Senele Rios – **Email: Sgrios@lapl.org and William.Bermeo@lapl.org**
email: wbermeo@lapl.org

- **Southeast Police Station** – 145 W. 108th Street, LA, CA 90061, Ph: (213) 972-7828
- **Weingart YMCA** – 9900 S. Vermont Ave., LA., CA 90044, Ph: (323) 754-3191
Scottie Biggers, Executive Director Email: ScottieBiggers@ymcala.org
Amos Williams, Healthy Lifestyle Director Email: AmosWilliams@ymcala.org

COUNCIL DISCUSSION AND TIME LIMITS

Councilmember's requesting to address the Council will be recognized by the Council Chair in the order requested. A motion calling the "previous question" may be introduced by any member during a Council debate. If adopted, this motion will terminate debate and the Chair will instruct the Secretary to call the roll on the matter.

RECONSIDERATION AND GRIEVANCE

For information on the process for reconsideration, ECSEANDC Stakeholder Grievance policy or any other procedural matter related to this Council, please consult the ECSEANDC Bylaws visiting the ECSEANDC Office at Mark Ridley-Thomas Constituent Services Center, Councilman Marqueece Harris-Dawson Field Office 8475 South Vermont Ave, Los Angeles, California 90044-3448.