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**EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS  
NORTH AREA  
NEIGHBORHOOD  
DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**



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**Area Representatives:**  
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**Committees:**

Leslie Evans, Public Safety & Website  
Bethany Leal, Outreach  
Yolanda Jones, Budget & Finance  
Rachel Capata, City Services  
Jairo Umaña & Celia Castellanos, Youth  
Donna Williams, Seniors & Aging  
Elena Farias & Lizette Hernández,  
Land Use and Planning

**At Large Representatives:**

Sharon Stewart  
Emmanuel Caudillo  
Rachel Capata  
Lacey Goode

**Regular Meeting  
Thursday, June 1, 2006  
6:30 PM to 8:00 PM  
Child Guidance Clinic  
3767 S. Vermont Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90007  
(near the corner of Exposition and Vermont)**

**AGENDA**

- 1. Welcome and Call to Order**
- 2. Announcements**
  - a. **New Location Next Meeting**
  - b. **New [www.nandc.org](http://www.nandc.org) webpage forum and calendar up and running**
  - c. **DWP Neighborhood Lighting Project Suspended**
- 3. Public Comment**
  - a. Comments from the public are limited to items included on the agenda and are limited to 3 minutes per speaker, unless the presiding officer of the Board determines a different limit for a particular item. Please complete the public speaker card and submit it prior to the Call to Order if you would like an opportunity to speak about a current agenda item.
- 4. Roll Call of Present Board Members**
- 5. Community Reports**
  - a. **Community Introduction - Amber Meshack**
    - i. Project Coordinator DONE - [Amber.Meshack@lacity.org](mailto:Amber.Meshack@lacity.org)
  - b. **Council District 8 Report – Cathy Davis**
  - c. **Council District 1 Report – Monica Aleman**
  - d. **Public Safety Committee Report**
    - i. Vote to Approve “List of Problem Properties”
  - e. **Website Committee Report**
  - f. **Budget and Finance Committee Report**
    - i. Approval of Quarterly Report
  - g. **Seniors and Ageing Committee Report**
  - h. **Land Use and Planning Committee Report**
  - i. **Youth Committee Report**
- 6. Action Item - Adams - Normandie HPOZ Board Member Recommendation.**
- 7. Action Item – New Additional Translation Equipment proposal.**

8. Action Item – Purchase of NANDC Pens and Swag proposal.
9. Action Item – Community Gardens Proposal
10. Action Item - Kitchen Divas Proposal (amendment)
11. Discussion Item - Tenants' Rights Workshop Update
12. Report from LANI Conference
13. Discussion Item – South Los Angeles Alliance of Neighborhood Councils
  - a. Review of Articles of Alliance
14. Discussion item – Alexander Science Center, Science Fair Proposal
15. Public Comment
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16. Adjournment

### Official Public Notice for all Standing Committees.

**OUTREACH COMMITTEE** – Bethany Leal – [bethany.ecnandc@gmail.com](mailto:bethany.ecnandc@gmail.com) – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting  
**LAND USE AND PLANNING COMMITTEE** – Elena Farias & Lizette Hernandez – [lizettecorazon@yahoo.com](mailto:lizettecorazon@yahoo.com) - – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting  
**CITY SERVICES COMMITTEE** – Rachel Capata – [ecnandc.capata@gmail.com](mailto:ecnandc.capata@gmail.com) – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting  
**RULES & PROCEDURES COMMITTEE** - Emmanuel Caudillo – [ecaudillo@gmail.com](mailto:ecaudillo@gmail.com) – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting  
**YOUTH COMMITTEE** – Jairo Umaña & Celia Castellanos – [castellc@gmail.com](mailto:castellc@gmail.com) – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting  
**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE** – Leslie Evans – [lbevans@earthlink.net](mailto:lbevans@earthlink.net) - Third Thursday of every month at 7:00 pm, St Marks Lutheran Church, 3651 S. Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90007  
**BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE** – Yolanda Jones – [nandc.vp@gmail.com](mailto:nandc.vp@gmail.com) - Third Tuesday of the Month, 6:00 - 7:00 PM, On USC campus Bridge Hall 300  
**SENIORS AND AGING COMMITTEE** – Donna Williams - [ladydmarie4@dslextreme.com](mailto:ladydmarie4@dslextreme.com) – Does Not Currently Meet  
**WEBSITE COMMITTEE** – Leslie Evans - [lbevans@earthlink.net](mailto:lbevans@earthlink.net) Immediately after Town Hall Meeting

The Next Regular Meeting of the Empowerment Congress North Area Neighborhood Development Council Governing Board is **Saturday, June 17, 2006. 10 AM -12 Noon, MACK Elementary School, 3020 S. Catalina Street, Los Angeles, CA 90007.** You are encouraged to visit a NANDC posting site 72 hours prior to the Regular and Town Hall Meeting at the following locations:

- Los Angeles Child Guidance Clinic, 3787 South Vermont Avenue (near Vermont & Exposition)
- Martin Luther King Recreation Center, 3916 South Western Avenue (near King & Western)
- Supermercado Latino, 1049 West Martin Luther King Boulevard (near Vermont & King)
- Food 4 Less, 1748 West Jefferson Boulevard (corner of Western & Jefferson)
- Smith's Quick Cleaners, 1901 Rodeo Road (near Rodeo & Arlington)

Also, watch for future agendas to be posted on the DONE webpage approximately 72 hours before our meetings. You can view it by simply going to [www.lacityneighborhoods.com](http://www.lacityneighborhoods.com) and click on the early notification system link. Once in, click on Neighborhood Councils Subscriptions and scroll down to our neighborhood council's agenda. More detailed information is also available at [www.nandc.org](http://www.nandc.org). There you will be able to see our agenda.

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## Everyone in the neighborhood is welcomed to attend!

# Department of Transportation

[www.lacity.org/LADOT/](http://www.lacity.org/LADOT/)

## Frequently Called Phone Numbers

<u>Item</u>	<u>Agency</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
City Services - General Info		3-1-1
Traffic Enforcement	Police	3-1-1
Damaged Traffic Signals	LADOT	3-1-1
Damaged Stop Signs	LADOT	3-1-1
Traffic Management Services	LADOT	See District Offices Below
Towed Vehicle	LADOT	3-1-1
Parking Enforcement	LADOT	(213)485-4184,(818)752-5100
Parking Citation	LADOT	(213) 623-6533
Abandoned Vehicles	LADOT	(800) ABANDON
Parking Meter Repair	LADOT	(877) 215-3958
Bikeways	LADOT	(213) 972-4972
City Transit Service	LADOT	(213, 310, 323, 818) 808-2273
Cityride Program	LADOT	(213, 310, 323, 818) 808-RIDE
Taxicab Information	LADOT	(213) 580-1272
Taxicab Service Issues	LADOT	(800) 501-0999
Street Alignment	Engineering	(213) 847-8766
Pot Hole Repair	Street Services	(800) 996-2489
Sidewalk Repair	Street Services	(800) 996-2489
Tree Trimming	Street Services	(800) 996-2489
Street/Alley Dumping	Street Services	(800) 996-2489
Street Lighting	Street Lighting	(800) 303-5267
Street Construction	Contract Admin	(213) 580-1382
Land Development	City Planning	(213) 482-7077
Freeways, State Highways	CalTrans	(213) 897-3656
Regional Buses	MTA	(800) COMMUTE
Metro Rail	MTA	(800) COMMUTE
Metrolink	SCRRA	(800) COMMUTE
Regional Planning	SCAG	(213) 236-1800

### LADOT District Offices / Council Districts

Central / 1,9,14  
(213) 972-4990

Hollywood-Wilshire / 4,10,13  
(323) 845-9835

Southern / 8,15  
(310) 732-4599

Western / 5,11  
(310) 575-8138

East Valley / 2,6,7  
(818) 374-4688

West Valley / 3, 12  
(818) 756-8784



## Frequently Called City Departments



City of Los Angeles  
Department of Building and Safety

[www.lacity.org/ladbs/](http://www.lacity.org/ladbs/)

Customer Call Center: (888) LA4-BUILD or (888) 524-2845 and (888) 833-8389

### Los Angeles Housing Department

Customer Service & Information

(toll-free): 1-866-557-RENT (7368)

TDD: (213) 978-3231

[www.lacity.org/lahd/](http://www.lacity.org/lahd/)

### Public Works Dept. Of Engineering

Land Development Group

(213) 977-7095

[www.eng.lacity.org/](http://www.eng.lacity.org/)



Bureau of Street Services (BOSS)

[www.cityofla.org/boss/](http://www.cityofla.org/boss/)

Street Improvement: (213) 847-5040



[www.lafd.org](http://www.lafd.org)  
Los Angeles Fire Department

Contact Number: (213) 485-5971



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Contact Number: (213) 202-5500



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