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**EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS
NORTH AREA NEIGHBORHOOD
DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**



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Area Representatives:
Elena Farias, Area 1
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Celia Castellanos, Area 2
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Joshua Watson, Area 3
Jairo Umaña, Area 3

Committees:

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

At Large Representatives:

Sharon Stewart
VACANT
Rachel Capata
Lacey Goode
Maggi Fajnor

**Regular Meeting
New Permanent Location
Thursday, December 7th 2006
6:30 PM to 8:30 PM
EPICC Community Room, 2nd Floor
3990 S. Menlo Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90007
(near Menlo & MLK in Exposition Park)**

1. Welcome and Call to Order
2. Announcements
 - a. Empowerment Congress Event January 16th
 - b. Elections Procedures Special Meeting/Election Committee Mtg.
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. Council District 8 Report – Cathy Davis
 - b. Council District 1 Report –
 - c. Report From Dept. of Neighborhood Empowerment – Deanna Stevenson
 - d. Public Safety Committee Report – Leslie Evan
 - i. Vote to Approve “List of Problem Properties”
 - e. Website Committee Report – Leslie Evans
 - f. Budget and Finance Committee Report – Yolanda Jones
 - g. Ad-hoc Office Space Committee Report – Yolanda Jones
 - h. Treasurer’s Report – Guillermo Farias
 - i. Land Use and Planning Committee Report – Maggi Fajnor and/or Elena Farias
 - j. Ricahardson Park Update - Sharon Stewart/Lilian Marengo
 - k. Youth Committee Report – Celia Castellanos and/or Jairo Umaña
6. Action Item: Approval of Minutes - November 16th 2006

7. Action Item: Approval of Minutes - November 2nd 2006
8. Action Item: Approval of Eryn Young as Outreach Committee Chair
9. Action Item: Approval of Christine Lee as At-Large Board Member
10. Action Item: Approval of Richard Enriquez as Seniors and Aging Committee Chair
11. Action item: Approval of EPICC Youth Field Trip Proposal
12. Action Item: Approval of EPICC Youth Center Equipment Proposal
13. Action Item: Approval of Bylaws Changes
14. Action Item: Approval of Recommendations to Zoning Administrator regarding Pablo's Restaurant
15. Discussion Item: Land Use Seminar NC Board Member Participation
16. Discussion Item - NANDC Delegate to CAC Lacey Goode Update.
17. Public Comment
18. Comments from the public are on items not included on today's agenda. Public comments are limited to 3 minutes per speakers, unless the presiding officer of the Board determines a different time limit for that particular agenda item. Please complete a speaker card and submit it prior to the Call to Order if you would like an opportunity to speak.
19. Adjournment

Official Public Notice for all Standing Committees.

- OUTREACH COMMITTEE** – VACANT – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting
- LAND USE AND PLANNING COMMITTEE** – Elena Farias & Lizette Hernandez – lizettecorazon@yahoo.com - – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting
- CITY SERVICES COMMITTEE** – Rachel Capata – ecnandc.capata@gmail.com – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting
- RULES & PROCEDURES COMMITTEE** - VACANT – Does Not Currently Meet
- YOUTH COMMITTEE** – Jairo Umaña & Celia Castellanos – castellc@gmail.com – Immediately after Town Hall Meeting
- PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE** – Leslie Evans – lbevans@earthlink.net - Third Thursday of every month at 6:00 pm at the Exposition Regional Library, 3665 S. Vermont Avenue
- BUDGET & FINANCE COMMITTEE** – Yolanda Jones – nandc.vp@gmail.com - Third Tuesday of the Month, 6:00 - 7:00 PM, On USC campus Bridge Hall 300
- SENIORS AND AGING COMMITTEE** – VACANT – Does Not Currently Meet
- WEBSITE COMMITTEE** – Leslie Evans - lbevans@earthlink.net Immediately after Town Hall Meeting

The Next Town Hall Meeting of the Empowerment Congress North Area Neighborhood Development Council Governing Board is **Saturday, December 16, 2006. 10AM to 12NOON - Where: 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 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. There you will be able to see our agenda.

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Everyone in the neighborhood is welcomed to attend!

