Julianne Burg, Vice President Julie Burg, Treasurer Samantha Burg, Secretary Jon Tieuel, Parliamentarian

**Committees:** 

Community  $-2^{nd}$  Thursday every month

Marketing & Outreach – 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday every month

Policy – 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday every month Jean Frost (Chair), Jon Tieuel, Jim Childs, Leslie Friedman, Cindy Gaete, Christine Lee, Joanne Russell, Jesus Garcia

*Homelessness* – Cindy Gaete (Chair), Samantha Burg (Co-Chair), TBA

# EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS NORTH AREA NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

Celebrating 20 Years



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Edwin Ramirez, Area 2
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At Large Representatives: Jon Tieuel Jim Childs Cindy Gaete

Community Interest Positions: Vincent Cisneros, USC Vacant, Business Rep

## NANDC Joint Board and Policy Committee Agenda Tuesday, April 25, 2023, 6:30 PM

At USC Forthman House, 2801 S Hoover (NOT A WEBINAR ON ZOOM)

# **NANDC Joint Board and Policy Committee Agenda**

The Neighborhood Council system enables civic participation for all Angelenos and serves as a voice for improving government responsiveness to local communities and their needs. We are an advisory body to the City of Los Angeles, comprised of volunteer stakeholders who are devoted to the mission of improving our communities and bringing government to us.

Out of an abundance of caution due to the possible attendance and participation of a majority of NANDC Neighborhood Council Board Members at this Special Joint Committee meeting, this meeting is noticed as a Special Joint Meeting of the Committee and the Board, in adherence with the State's Brown Act. No Board action will be taken on behalf of the Board at this meeting of the Committee. Only Committee Members are allowed to vote.)

### **Notice to Paid Representatives**

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- 1. Welcome and Call to Order
- 2. Approval of the Minutes

#### 3. General Public Comment

Comments from the public on non-agenda items within the Board's jurisdiction. The public comment period is not intended to be "Question and Answer" period or for conversations with the ECNANDC Board or Committee (up to two minutes per speaker with extensions granted at the discretion of the presiding officer).

- **4. Action/Discussion: 1722-1734 W. Adams,** 90 dwelling units including 10 units (15% of by-right density) for Very Low Income Households for a period of 55 years, FAC-Adams Boulevard LLC, Richard Benbow
- **5.** Action/Discussion: **3905** S. Wisconsin Street, ZA 2021-3075-ZAA-CU(2), demolition of existing structures to construct a three-story single-family dwelling with nine habitable rooms; CEQA exemption; a Conditional Use; allow a three-foot side yard setback in lieu of the six feet; one uncovered parking space within the front yard setback.
- **6. Action/Discussion: CPC-2022-8179-CA**, CEQA NO.: ENV-2022-8180-CE, Al Fresco Dining Ordinance
- **7. Information**, USC Architecture Student Tour of "Sugar Hill"
- **8.** Action/Discussion: Updates on items from previous Policy Committee Meetings, McAlister Field, 3000 S. Hoover proposed improvements, "the Row" including 668 W. 28, 647 W 28<sup>th</sup> Street, 806 W. Adams, 1436 W. Jefferson

#### 9. ADJOURNMENT

#### Official public notice for all committees:

Empowerment Congress North Area Neighborhood Council Committees				
COMMITTEE	CONTACT INFORMATION	MEETING LOCATION	MEETING DATE/TIME	
Community Committee (Outreach, Youth and Senior, Block Club/Neighborhood Associations, Beautification, Budget and Finance)	Julianne Burg, Chair vp@nandc.org	Via Zoom	Second Thursday 6:30 p.m.	
Marketing & Outreach Committee (Marketing, Events, Outreach, Social Media)	Samantha Burg, Chair Secretary@nandc.org	Via Zoom	Third Tuesday 6:30 p.m.	
Policy Committee (Public Safety, Economic Development, Land Use)	Jean Frost, Chair area3a@nandc.org	Via Zoom	Fourth Tuesday 6:30 p.m.	

Homelessness Committee Cindy Gaete, Chair Samantha Burg, Co-Chair N/A T	BA
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The Next Regular Meeting of the Empowerment Congress North Area Neighborhood
Development Council Policy Committee is Tuesday, April 25, 2023, location pending the status
of Safer at Home order. The Next Regular Meeting of the Empowerment Congress North
Area Neighborhood Development Council General Board Meeting is April 6, 2023, location
pending the status of Safer at Home order.

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- Hoover Recreation Center, 1010 W. 25<sup>th</sup> St., Los Angeles, CA 90007
- South LA Café, 1700 Browning Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90062
- MLK Recreational Center, 3916 S. Western Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90018
- Denker Park, 1550 W. 35<sup>th</sup> Pl., Los Angeles, CA 90018
- Food 4 Less, 1748 W. Jefferson Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90018
- FAME Renaissance Center, 1968 W. Adams Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90018
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54954.2. (a) At least 72 hours before a regular meeting, the legislative body of the local agency, or its designee, shall post an agenda containing a brief general description of each item of business to be transacted or discussed at the meeting, including items to be discussed in closed session. A brief general description of an item generally need not exceed 20 words. The agenda shall specify the time and location of the regular meeting and shall be posted in a location that is freely accessible to members of the public. If requested, the agenda shall be made available inappropriate alternative formats to persons with a disability, as required by Section 202 of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. Sec. 12132), and the federal rules and regulations adopted in implementation thereof. The agenda shall include information regarding how, to whom, and when a request for disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services may be made by a person with a disability who requires a modification or accommodation in order to participate in the public meeting.

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# **RECONSIDERATION AND GRIEVANCE PROCESS** - For information on the NC's process for board action

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Government code Section 54957.9

#### **DISRUPTION OF MEETINGS**

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