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**EMPOWERMENT CONGRESS NORTH  
AREA NEIGHBORHOOD  
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**Community – 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday every month** – Julianne Burg, Chair; Joel Vaca, Co-Chair; Julie Burg; Marco Flores; David Greenman (alternate), & Thryeris Mason

**Marketing & Outreach – 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday every month** – Samantha Burg, Chair; Mehul Patel, Co-Chair, Julianne Burg, Julie Burg, Nicolas Creighton

**Policy – 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday every month** – Jean Frost, Chair; David Greenman, Co-Chair; Cindy Gaete; Jim Childs; Jon Tieucl

**Homelessness – Cindy Gate, Chair; Samantha Burg, Co-Chair**

**Marketing & Outreach and  
Community Committee Joint Meeting**

**Tuesday, April 19, 2022 6:30 PM Via  
Zoom Webinar Teleconferencing**

Si require servicios de traducción, favor de avisar al Concejo Vecinal 3 días de trabajo (72 horas) antes del evento. Por favor contacte a Secretaria Samantha Burg, por correo electrónico [sburg.nandc@gmail.com](mailto:sburg.nandc@gmail.com) o [secretary@nandc.org](mailto:secretary@nandc.org) para avisar al Consejo Vecinal.

In conformity with the September 16, 2021 Enactment of California Assembly Bill 361 (RIVAS) and due to concerns over COVID-19, the neighborhood council meeting will be conducted entirely with a call-in option or internet based service option.

**Join Zoom Webinar:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81620327864>

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The toll-free numbers provided by Zoom may not be supported for this meeting. We apologize for the inconvenience.

When prompted by the presiding officer, to provide public input at the Neighborhood Council meeting the public will be requested to dial "9" or use the Raise Hand option, to address the Board on any agenda item before the Board takes an action on an item. Comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered.

Comments from the public on other matter's not appearing on the agenda that are within the Board's jurisdiction will be hear during the General Public Comment period. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Board is prevented from acting on a matter that you bring to its attention during the General Public Comment period; however, the issue raised by a member of the public may become the subject of a future Board meeting. Public comment is limited to 2 minutes per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board.

#### AB 361 Updates"

Public comment cannot be required to be submitted in advance of the meeting: only real-time public comment is required. If there are any broadcasting interruptions that prevent the public from observing or hearing the meeting, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned. If members of the public are unable to provide public comment or be heard to issues within the Neighborhood Council's control, the meeting must be recessed or adjourned.

**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.**

#### **Notice to Paid Representatives**

**If you are compensated to monitor, attend, or speak at this meeting, City law may require you to register as a lobbyist and report your activity. See Los Angeles Municipal Code §§ 48.01 et seq. More information is available at [ethics.lacity.org/lobbying](https://ethics.lacity.org/lobbying). For assistance, please contact the Ethics Commission at (213) 978-1960 or [ethics.commission@lacity.org](mailto:ethics.commission@lacity.org).**

#### **I. CALL TO ORDER**

#### **II. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

#### **III. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS**

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 (up to two minutes per speaker

**III. ACTION/DISCUSSION:** Update on 24 Box Trees Along Jefferson - presented by Richard Parks. An update regarding the 24 box trees along Jefferson. NANDC supported the endeavor in 2018 and would like a progress report/update on said trees.

**IV. ACTION/ DISCUSSION:** Update on proposed virtual & in-person events for Community and Marketing & Outreach Committees.

**V. ACTION/DISCUSSION:** Area Block Clubs- Discussion on possible development of block club in Area 2.

**VI. ACTION/DISCUSSION:** Utility Boxes Update

**VII. ACTION/DISCUSSION:** NANDC Nods

**VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS:** M & O - Update Task Force Demolition Presentation By Jesus Garcia

**IX. REQUESTS FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

**X. ADJOURNMENT**

**Official public notice for all committees:**

<b>Empowerment Congress North Area Neighborhood Council Committees</b>			
<b>COMMITTEE</b>	<b>CONTACT INFORMATION</b>	<b>MEETING LOCATION</b>	<b>MEETING DATE/TIME</b>
<b>Community Committee</b> (Outreach, Youth and Senior, Block Club/Neighborhood Associations, Beautification, Budget and Finance)	<b>Julianne Burg, Chair</b> <a href="mailto:vp@nandc.org">vp@nandc.org</a>	Via Zoom	Second Thursday 6:30 p.m.
<b>Marketing &amp; Outreach Committee</b> (Marketing, Events, Outreach, Social Media)	<b>Samantha Burg, Chair</b> <a href="mailto:Secretary@nandc.org">Secretary@nandc.org</a>	Via Zoom	TBA
<b>Policy Committee</b> (Public Safety, Economic Development, Land Use)	<b>Jean Frost, Chair</b> <a href="mailto:area3a@nandc.org">area3a@nandc.org</a>	Via Zoom	Fourth Tuesday 6:30 p.m.
<b>Homelessness Committee</b>	<b>Cindy Gate, Chair</b> <a href="mailto:atlargerep2@nandc.org">atlargerep2@nandc.org</a>	Via Zoom	TBA

The Next Community Committee Meeting of the Empowerment Congress North Area Neighborhood Development Council Governing Board is: *Thursday, May 17, 2022, location pending the status of Safer at Home order*

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*In compliance with Government Code section 54957.5, non-exempt writings that are distributed to a majority or all of the board in advance of a meeting, may be viewed at [NANDC.org](http://NANDC.org) or at the scheduled meeting. In addition, if you would like a copy of any record related to an item on the agenda, please contact **Samantha Burg** at [secretary@nandc.org](mailto:secretary@nandc.org).*

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- Hoover Recreation Center, 1010 W. 25th St., Los Angeles, CA 90007
- South LA Café, 1700 Browning Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90062
- MLK Recreation Center, 3916 S. Western Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90018
- Denker Park, 1550 W. 35th Pl., Los Angeles, CA 90018
- Food 4 Less, 1748 W. Jefferson Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90018
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## **RALPH M. BROWN ACT**

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 in appropriate 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.

**RECONSIDERATION AND GRIEVANCE PROCESS** - For information on the NC's process for board action reconsideration, stakeholder grievance policy, or any other procedural matters related to this Council, please consult the NC Bylaws. The Bylaws are available at our Board meetings and our website [www.nandc.org](http://www.nandc.org).

### **REMOVAL WARNING**

In the event that any meeting is willfully interrupted by a group or groups of persons so as to render the orderly conduct of such meeting unfeasible and order cannot be restored the removal of individuals who are willfully interrupting the meeting, the members of the legislative body conducting the meeting may order the meeting room cleared and continue in session. Only matters appearing on the agenda may be considered in such a session. Representatives of the press or other news media, except those participating in the disturbance, shall be allowed to attend any session held pursuant to this section. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the legislative body from establishing a procedure for readmitting an individual or individuals not responsible for willfully disturbing the orderly conduct of the meeting.

Government code Section 54957.9

### **DISRUPTION OF MEETINGS**

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