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HOMELESSNESS COMMITTEE MEETING TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11TH, 2022 at 7:00 PM

Zoom Meeting Online or By Telephone https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85117232152

Meeting ID: 851 1723 2152

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Committee Members: Julie Houlihan (Acting chair, Board Member), Jeff Hartwick (Board Member, Corresponding Secretary), Sandy Wooding Kiley (Stakeholder), Marcia Campbell (Stakeholder), Ira Gold (Board Member), Scott Mandell (Board Member & President, ex-officio)

- 1. Call to Order & Roll Call. (1 min)
- 2. Approval of the minutes (1 min)
- 3. Chair update. (5 min)
- 4. Public Comments and possible clarification on non-agenda items within the committee's jurisdiction (1 min per speaker, 10 minutes max each agenda item). If you are accessing the meeting by phone, please use *9 (star 9) to raise hand, and *6 (star 6) to unmute
- 5. Comments by any other public officials and or staff (DONE, Council, elected/appointed officials, etc.). (10 minutes extendable by chair)

6. Discussion: SCNC Homeless Committee: Mission & Strategy Session

With no new pending legislation to discuss, this meeting will be a discussion and strategy session to set goals for the committee's role in helping solve issues related to homelessness in Studio City. We will be joined by government officials from Assemblyman Nazarian's office, Councilmember Raman's office and Councilmember Krekorian's office (CDs 4 and 2).

Please bring your questions for these representatives which can help further our understanding of how we can work together to make progress. Some of the topics may include:



Reporting - Formalize procedures for reporting those in need, encampment areas and crime, to include written information with district boundaries and contacts for each area (State/Caltrans, County, City, Law Enforcement, 311 and other relevant agencies.)

<u>Outreach</u> - How we can promote outreach and implementation of programs for housing, job training, mental health and drug abuse assistance and clean up.

<u>Enforcement</u> - How we can support enforcement of existing laws to protect our stakeholders who rent or own properties, attend school, work and/or own businesses in Studio City. In addition to enforcing Ordinance 41.18 which bars encampments within 500 feet of schools or daycares, what can be done for our stakeholders who are experiencing trespassing, theft, threats and violence on or near their properties or place of work?

<u>Legislation</u> - Current or proposed legislation that will assist with housing, job training, encampment clean up, mental health and drug abuse assistance and enforcement of existing laws.

<u>Committee Structure</u> - How we can formalize our procedures and better serve the community with relevant information via our website.

Here is a selection of links that may be helpful as background research and food for thought. These reports are not offered as a comprehensive assessment or endorsement of any point of view, but as background source material. Our committee is open to additional points of view.

NATIONAL:

PBS News story (Dec 2021) – Nation is 5-7 million units short of needed housing https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KUpIEDqbVyk

*Thanks to Lionel Mares for sending the link

STATE:

California's homelessness crisis — and possible solutions — explained https://calmatters.org/explainers/californias-homelessness-crisis-explained/

The 2022-23 Budget - The Governor's Homelessness Plan https://lao.ca.gov/Publications/Report/4521

CARE Courts - first-in-the-nation framework to empower individuals suffering from untreated schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders https://www.gov.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/Fact-Sheet_-CARE-Court-1.pdf

https://www.gov.ca.gov/2022/09/14/governor-newsom-signs-care-court-into-law-providing-a-new-path-forward-for-californians-struggling-with-serious-mental-illness/

LOS ANGELES:

Summary of Prop HHH and Supportive Housing Pipeline – SEPT. 2022

https://housing.lacity.org/housing/hhh-progress-dashboard

February 2022 City Controller's Report on HHH Progress

http://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2017/17-0090-s16 rpt CTRL 02-23-22.pdf

Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA)

https://www.lahsa.org/news?article=895-lahsa-releases-2022-greater-los-angeles-homeless-count-results

https://www.lahsa.org/documents?id=6602-system-key-performance-indicators-presentation-september-2022

https://www.lahsa.org/news?article=898-lahsa-data-advance-yields-new-level-of-insight-into-homelessness

HOMELESS OUTREACH & MOBILE ENGAGEMENT (HOME) PROGRAM

https://dmh.lacounty.gov/our-services/countywide-services/home/

https://www.latimes.com/california/story/2022-09-07/l-a-countys-first-street-psychiatrist-treat s-patients-where-they-live

LOCAL:

Studio City Resident Attacked by Homeless Man

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=78WLNIAAjNE

https://www.dailynews.com/2022/10/05/homeless-parolee-arrested-on-suspicion-of-assaulting-studio-city-homeowner/

Local Business Owners Issues

https://nypost.com/2022/09/21/man-throws-feces-at-los-angeles-business-owner/
*Thanks to Peter Cole for sending the link

Councilmember Nithya Raman (CD4)

https://councildistrict4.lacity.gov/homelessness

Councilmember Paul Krekorian (CD2)

https://www.paulkrekorian.org/homelessness

- 11. Discussion regarding potential topics for future meetings. (5 min extendable by chair)
- 12. Closing Comments by the Committee Chair. (1 min)
- 13. Adjournment. (1 min)

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