AGENDA
LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL

Wednesday, August 30, 2017
10:00 AM

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ROOM 340, CITY HALL
200 NORTH SPRING STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012

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BASIC CITY COUNCIL MEETING RULES

AGENDAS - The City Council meets Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:00 A.M. The agendas for City Council meetings contain a brief general description of those items to be considered at the meetings. Council Agendas are available in the Office of the City Clerk, Council and Public Services Division, Room 395, City Hall, 200 North Spring Street, Los Angeles, CA 90012, and on the City's website at lacity.org; or lacouncilcalendar.com

Ten (10) members of the Council constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. The Council may consider an item not listed on the agenda only if it is determined by a two-thirds (10) vote that the need for action arose after the posting of an Agenda. Some items on the agenda may be approved without any discussion, however, any item may be called "special" by a Councilmember. If an item is called "special" it will be "held" until the remainder of the items on the Council agenda have been acted on by the Council. An item may also be called "special" if a member of the public has requested to speak on the item and a public hearing was not previously held.

The City Clerk will announce the items to be considered by the Council, however items will be grouped. For example, all items for which required public hearings have not previously been held are listed in one section on the printed agenda. The Council President will ask if any Councilmember or member or the public wishes to speak on one or more of these items. If anyone wishes to speak on an item, it will be called "special". The remaining items in this section will be voted on by Council with one roll call vote.

PUBLIC INPUT AT CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS - An opportunity for the public to address the Council on agenda items for which public hearings have not been held will be provided at the time the item is considered or during the Multiple Agenda Item Comment period. Members of the public who wish to speak on items shall be allowed to speak for up to one minute per item up to a total of three minutes per meeting. The Council has determined that a cumulative total of 20 minutes is a reasonable minimum amount of time for the Multiple Agenda Item segment of each regular meeting.

The Council will also provide an opportunity for the public to speak on public interest items. Each speaker shall be limited to one minute of general public comment each regular meeting for a cumulative total of ten (10) minutes. The Council shall not discuss or take action relative to any general public comment.

If you wish to provide documents to the full Council for consideration on an item, please present the Sergeant-At-Arms with 35 copies. Otherwise, your materials will simply be added to the official record.

COUNCIL DISCUSSION AND TIME LIMITS - Councilmembers requesting to address the Council will be recognized by the Council President in the order requested. For any item, the Chairperson of the Committee, or the maker of the original motion, or the member calling a matter "special" shall have up to six (6) minutes to discuss the item. All other Councilmembers may speak up to three (3) minutes each on the matter. After all members desiring to speak on a question have had an opportunity to be heard once, the time for each Member desiring to speak again shall be limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes.

A motion calling the "previous question" may be introduced by any member during a Council debate. If adopted, this motion will terminate debate on a matter and the Chair will instruct the Clerk to call the roll on the matter.

VOTING AND DISPOSITION OF ITEMS - Most items require a majority vote of the entire membership of the Council (8 members). Items which have not been discussed in a Council Committee and have been placed directly on the agenda will require 10 votes to consider. Once considered, these items will normally require eight (8) affirmative votes to be adopted. Ordinances require a unanimous vote (at least 12 members must be present) in order to be adopted on first consideration. If an ordinance does not receive the necessary unanimous vote, it is laid over one calendar week. The votes required for approval on second consideration vary and depend upon the type of ordinance, but a typical ordinance requires eight (8) affirmative votes upon second consideration.

When debate on an item is completed, the Chair will instruct the Clerk to "call the roll". Every member present must vote for or against each item; abstentions are not permitted. The Clerk will announce the votes on each item. Any member of Council may move to "reconsider" any vote on any item on the agenda, except to adjourn, suspend the Rules, or where an intervening event has deprived the Council of jurisdiction, providing that said member originally voted on the prevailing side of the item. The motion to "reconsider" shall only be in order once during the meeting, and once during the next regular meeting. The member requesting reconsideration shall identify for all members present the agenda number, Council file number and subject matter previously voted upon. A motion to reconsider is not debatable and shall require an affirmative vote of eight (8) members of the Council.

When the Council has failed by sufficient votes to approve or reject an item, and has not lost jurisdiction over the matter, or has not caused it to be
continued beyond the next regular meeting, the item is continued to the next regular meeting for the purpose of allowing the Council to again vote on the matter.

The City Council rules provide that all items adopted by the Council will not be presented to the Mayor, or other designated officer by the City Clerk until the adjournment of the regular Council meeting following the date of the Council action. A motion to send an item “forthwith” if adopted by ten (10) votes, suspends these rules and requires the City Clerk to forward the matter to the Mayor, or other officer, without delay.

**RULE 16 MOTIONS** - Council Rule No. 16, in part, allows a member to send an item directly to the Council without it having to go to a Council Committee first, by giving the City Clerk a motion (seconded by an additional member) during a Council session to be placed on the next regular available Council agenda.

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**Los Angeles City Council Agenda**  
**Wednesday, August 30, 2017**  
**JOHN FERRARO COUNCIL CHAMBER ROOM 340, CITY HALL 200 NORTH SPRING STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012 - 10:00 AM**

Roll Call

Approval of the Minutes

Commentaryary Resolutions, Introductions and Presentations

Multiple Agenda Item Comment

Public Testimony of Non-agenda Items Within Jurisdiction of Council

**Items Noticed for Public Hearing**

ITEM NO. (1)  
**17-0900-S47**

CD 14 CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF HEARING PROTESTS and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to the improvement and maintenance of the Hill and 5th Streets Lighting District.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. DENY the protest and confirm the assessments.

2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE levying the assessments and ordering the maintenance of the above lighting district, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Government Code Section 53753 (Proposition 218).

ITEM NO. (2)  
**17-0900-S56**

CD 14 CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF HEARING PROTESTS and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to the improvement and maintenance of the
Newland and Meridian Streets Lighting District.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. DENY the protest and confirm the assessments.

2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE levying the assessments and ordering the maintenance of the above lighting district, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Government Code Section 53753 (Proposition 218).

ITEM NO.  (3)
17-0900-S57
CD 6  CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF HEARING PROTESTS and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to the improvement and maintenance of the Van Nuys Boulevard and Vose Street Lighting District.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. DENY the protest and confirm the assessments.

2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE levying the assessments and ordering the maintenance of the above lighting district, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Government Code Section 53753 (Proposition 218).

ITEM NO.  (4)
17-0900-S58
CD 14  CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF HEARING PROTESTS and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to the improvement and maintenance of the Mission Road and Jesse Street Lighting District.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. DENY the protest and confirm the assessments.

2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE levying the assessments and ordering the maintenance of the above lighting district, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Government Code Section 53753 (Proposition 218).

ITEM NO.  (5)
17-0900-S59
CD 6  CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF HEARING PROTESTS and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to the improvement and maintenance of the Balboa Boulevard and Valerio Street No. 2 Lighting District.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:
1. DENY the protest and confirm the assessments.

2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE levying the assessments and ordering the maintenance of the above lighting district, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Government Code Section 53753 (Proposition 218).

ITEM NO. (6)  
17-0900-S60
CD 2 HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Sunnyslope Avenue and Vanowen Street Lighting District, in accordance with Section 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Ordinance of Intention adopted on June 28, 2017 - Continue hearing and present Ordinance on September 20, 2017 to consider report of protests to be submitted as a result of balloting, pursuant to Proposition 218)

ITEM NO. (7)  
17-0900-S61
CD 3 HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Kelvin and Bascule Avenues Street Lighting District, in accordance with Section 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Ordinance of Intention adopted on June 28, 2017 - Continue hearing and present Ordinance on September 20, 2017 to consider report of protests to be submitted as a result of balloting, pursuant to Proposition 218)

ITEM NO. (8)  
17-0900-S62
CD 11 HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Beethoven Street and Victoria Avenue No. 1 Street Lighting District, in accordance with Section 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Ordinance of Intention adopted on June 28, 2017 - Continue hearing and present Ordinance on September 20, 2017 to consider report of protests to be submitted as a result of balloting, pursuant to Proposition 218)

ITEM NO. (9)  
17-0900-S63
CD 4 HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Orange Drive and Lexington Avenue Street Lighting District, in accordance with Section 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Ordinance of Intention adopted on June 28, 2017 - Continue hearing and present Ordinance on September 20, 2017 to consider report of protests to be submitted as a result of balloting, pursuant to Proposition 218)
HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Riverside Drive and Irvine Avenue Street Lighting District, in accordance with Section 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Ordinance of Intention adopted on June 28, 2017 - Continue hearing and present Ordinance on September 20, 2017 to consider report of protests to be submitted as a result of balloting, pursuant to Proposition 218)

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Vanowen Street and Alabama Avenue Street Lighting District, in accordance with Section 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Ordinance of Intention adopted on June 28, 2017 - Continue hearing and present Ordinance on September 20, 2017 to consider report of protests to be submitted as a result of balloting, pursuant to Proposition 218)

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Wilton Place and 4th Street Lighting District, in accordance with Section 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Ordinance of Intention adopted on June 28, 2017 - Continue hearing and present Ordinance on September 20, 2017 to consider report of protests to be submitted as a result of balloting, pursuant to Proposition 218)

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR AND MEMBER, ARTS, PARKS, AND RIVER COMMITTEE and RULES, ELECTIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE REPORT relative to establishing Indigenous Peoples Day as a legal City holiday.

A. COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR AND MEMBER, ARTS, PARKS, AND RIVER COMMITTEE

SUBMITS WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION the Housing and Community Investment Department report, dated October 25, 2016, relative to a request to the Human Relations Commission with the assistance of the Los Angeles City/County Native American Indian Commission, to report on the historical importance and cultural impact of establishing Indigenous Peoples Day as a legal
City holiday.

B. RULES, ELECTIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE REPORT

Recommendations for Council action:

1. DESIGNATE October 12th of each year, as Italian American Heritage Day in the City of Los Angeles, to recognize the contributions of Italian Americans to the history and culture of Los Angeles.

2. APPROVE the creation of an Indigenous Peoples Day as an official City holiday, to be observed on the second Monday of each October, and to be recognized no later than the 2019 calendar year.

3. REQUEST the City Attorney to prepare and present an ordinance amending the Los Angeles Administrative Code (LAAC) to remove all references to Columbus Day as an official City holiday and recognizing Indigenous Peoples Day in the Administrative Code.

4. INSTRUCT all General Managers and Department Heads, upon amendment of the LAAC, to include recognition and observance of Indigenous Peoples Day on all relevant City documents including, but not limited to, calendars, schedules, and administrative materials.

5. INSTRUCT the City Clerk to prepare and send a letter to the Los Angeles Unified School District Board of Education (LAUSD Board), subsequent to official Council action, indicating that the City will now recognize Indigenous Peoples Day on the second Monday of each October, and urge the LAUSD Board to consider taking a similar action.

6. INSTRUCT the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to provide a report on the process of implementing an additional City holiday, which recognizes the contributions of all of the diverse cultures in the City of Los Angeles, including potential names which accurately describe the intent of the Council, potential fiscal impacts, and the identification of any issues which may be subject to meet and confer with City unions.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the CAO nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For: Highland Park Neighborhood Council

Items Called Special

Motions for Posting and Referral

Council Members’ Requests for Excuse from Attendance at Council Meetings
Adjourning Motions

Council Adjournment

EXHAUSTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES - If you challenge a City action in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City Clerk at or prior to, the public hearing. Any written correspondence delivered to the City Clerk before the City Council's final action on a matter will become a part of the administrative record.

CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE SECTION 1094.5 - If a Council action is subject to judicial challenge pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.5, be advised that the time to file a lawsuit challenging a final action by the City Council is limited by Code of Civil Procedure Section 1094.6 which provides that the lawsuit must be filed no later than the 90th day following the date on which the Council's action becomes final.

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