



CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS
Room 280A
455 North Rexford Drive
Beverly Hills, CA 90210

TRAFFIC AND PARKING COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

MINUTES

February 1, 2018
9:00 AM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Date/Time: February 1, 2018 / 9:02 AM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

Commissioners Present: Commissioners Hendry, Seidel, Manaster, Vice Chair Solnit, Chair Meshkaty

Commissioners Absent: None

Staff Present: Aaron Kunz, Martha Eros, Alison Wehrle

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE

Members of the public may address the Commission regarding any items not on the Agenda that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission. By State law, the Commission may not discuss or vote on items not on the Agenda.

Speakers: David Gingold

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

By Order of the Chair, the agenda was approved as presented.

CONSENT CALENDAR

1. Consideration of Minutes

Consideration of Minutes of the Traffic and Parking Commission special meeting of January 4, 2018.

Motion: MOVED by Commissioner Manaster, SECONDED by Commissioner Hendry to approve the minutes as presented (5-0)

AYES: Commissioners Hendry, Seidel, Manaster, Vice Chair Solnit, Chair Meshkaty

NOES: None

CARRIED

REPORTS FROM PRIORITY AGENCIES

2. Police Department Report

Lieutenant Moreno and Sergeant Chase provided the Police Department report.

CONTINUED BUSINESS

3. South Santa Monica Boulevard Parking Strategies

Deputy Director of Transportation Aaron Kunz and Iteris consultants Michael Meyer and Deepak Kaushik provided an updated report on options for South Santa Monica Boulevard parking strategies after the completion of the North Santa Monica Boulevard Reconstruction Project. City Budget and Revenue Officer Don Harrison and City Billing and Customer Service Manager Mark Brower answered questions for the Commission regarding business revenue.

Speakers: James Anderton, Kory Klem, David Kron, Steve Webb, Mark Elliot, Steve Mayer, Susan Mishler, Michael Pashaie

Motion: MOVED by Commissioner Seidel, SECONDED by Commissioner Manaster that the Traffic and Parking Commission recommends the "Hybrid 3" alternative to restore parking on the north side of South Santa Monica Boulevard. On the south side of the street, the Commission recommends three passenger loading zones west of Rodeo Drive for Transportation Network Companies (TNC) (4-1).

AYES: Commissioners Hendry, Seidel, Manaster, Vice Chair Solnit

NOES: Chair Meshkaty

CARRIED

NEW BUSINESS

4. Canon Drive Closure Feasibility Study – Metro Rodeo Station

Project Manager Rob Welch and Fehr & Peers consultant Sarah Brandenburg provided a brief presentation on the Canon Drive Closure Feasibility Study in relation to the Metro Purple Line Extension Rodeo Station.

Speakers: Tracey Spillane, Murray Fischer, Barbara Lazaroff, Tony Policella, Rio Lupisan

Motion: MOVED by Commissioner Seidel, SECONDED by Commissioner Hendry that the Traffic and Parking Commission views the traffic impact analysis favorably, and recommends proceeding with design of the cul-de-sac. (4-1).

AYES: Commissioners Hendry, Seidel, Vice Chair Solnit, Chair Meshkaty

NOES: Commissioner Manaster

CARRIED

PROJECT UPDATES

5. Complete Streets Plan

This item was not discussed, and will be presented on a future agenda.

6. North Santa Monica Boulevard Reconstruction Project

This item was not discussed, and will be presented on a future agenda.

7. Purple Line Extension

This item was not discussed, and will be presented on a future agenda.

QUARTERLY REPORTS

No items

STATUS REPORTS

No items

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COMMISSION

None

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STAFF

None

ADJOURNMENT

Date / Time: February 1, 2018 / 12:17 PM

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 1st DAY OF MARCH, 2018



Nooshin Meshkaty, Chair