



CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS
455 N. Rexford Drive
2nd Floor Council Chambers
Beverly Hills, CA 90210

Strategic Planning Committee Meeting

HIGHLIGHTS

Thursday, December 20, 2018
5:00 PM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Date / Time December 20, 2018 / 5:00pm

IN ATTENDANCE: Mayor Julian Gold, MD, City Manager Mahdi Aluzri, Facilitator Karen Orlansky, Director of Public Works Shana Epstein, Director of Community Development Susan Healy Keene, Marketing and Economic Sustainability Manager Laura Biery, Cultural Heritage Commissioner Noah Furie, Honorable Kathy Reims, Health & Safety Commissioner Myra Lurie, Cultural Heritage Commissioner Noah Furie, Human Relations Commissioner Ori Blumenfield, Planning Commissioner Lori Greene Gordon, Policy and Management Analyst Cindy Owens, Senior Management Analyst Stephanie Harris, Senior Planner Timmi Tway, Steve Webb, Project Manager Rob Welch, Transportation Planner Jessie Holzer, Mark Elliott, Evan Meyer, Sharon Ignarro, Tom Levyn, Craig Corman, Steve Mayer, Gabriel Frem, Robbie Anderson, Phil Savenick

1) Public Comment

- Members of the public were given the opportunity to directly address the Committee on any item not listed on the agenda
- Public members Robbie Anderson and Tom Levyn shared opposition for permanent seating on Rodeo Dr on behalf of LVMH
- Public member Phil Savenick addressed concerns over Rodeo Dr permanent seating and safety concerns regarding the pedestrians from Metro

2) La Cienega/Wilshire Focus Area

- Presentation regarding the La Cienega/Wilshire Metro station and Complete Streets by City Program Manager Rob Welch and Transportation Planner Jessie Holzer
- Committee members voiced possible concerns upon the completion of the Metro station
- Presentation regarding the La Cienega/Wilshire area and potential improvements for the area by Senior Planner Timmi Tway
- Committee members shared ideas to further enhance the La Cienega/Wilshire area

3) Update/Action on Business Triangle Recommendations Reviewed by City Council

- Mayor Gold provided recap of the December 18th City Council meeting including plans to better define the role of the Strategic Planning committee compared to the Planning Commission

4) Review of 2019 Dates for Strategic Planning Committee Meetings

- Committee members reviewed dates and agreed upon next meeting to be held on January 3, 2019

5) Adjourn

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December 20, 2018 / 6:31pm