

CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS

Room 280A 455 North Rexford Drive Beverly Hills, CA 90210

TRAFFIC AND PARKING COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING

SYNOPSIS

May 10, 2017 9:00 AM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Date/Time: May 10, 2017 / 9:00 am

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

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

Seidel

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: Franny Rennie

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 regular meeting of April 6, 2017.

Vice Chair Meshkaty requested that the inquiry into parking signs on South Santa Monica Boulevard near Wilshire Boulevard be added to the minutes.

Motion: MOVED by Vice Chair Meshkaty, SECONDED by

Commissioner Manaster to approve the minutes as amended (4-0)

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

Seidel

NOES: None

CARRIED

REPORTS FROM PRIORITY AGENCIES

2. Recognition of Newly Elected Councilmember Lester Friedman for His Service on the Traffic & Parking Commission from 2011 to 2017.

3. Police Department Report

Sergeant Nance provided the Police Department report.

PROJECT UPDATES

4. North Santa Monica Boulevard Reconstruction Project

Project update and receive public comment.

- Bus Stops
- South Santa Monica Boulevard / Lasky Drive Crosswalk

Project Manager Samer Elayyan and Traffic Consultant Michael Meyer provided an update on the Santa Monica Boulevard Reconstruction Project.

5. Purple Line Extension

City Engineer Mark Cuneo provided an update on the Purple Line Extension.

QUARTERLY UPDATES

6. Traffic Engineering Quarterly Report

Deputy Director of Transportation Aaron Kunz mentioned that Traffic Engineering Consultant Amanda Heinke was not present to provide the Quarterly Report. Staff responded to general questions. The report will be presented at the June 1, 2017 TPC meeting.

STATUS REPORTS

7. Staff Status Report

- Complete Streets Plan
- Preferential Parking Permits Districts
- Upcoming City Council Meetings

Deputy Director of Transportation Aaron Kunz provided the staff status report including a brief update on the Complete Streets Plan and the Preferential Parking Permits Districts, which were discussed at the May 4, 2017 City Council/Traffic & Parking Commission Liaison Meeting. Crosswalks for Beverly Gardens Park is on the May 16, 2017 City Council meeting agenda.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COMMISSION

- Commissioner Manaster inquired about resident comment on lane funneling due to Crosswalk installation on Rodeo Drive, near Park Way.
- Commissioner Solnit asked about the status of the signal modifications on Olympic Boulevard and Beverly Drive. Staff responded that award of the project is on the May 16, 2017 City Council agenda.
- Commissioner Solnit praised staff for quick response to a resident complaint on Clifton Way.

8. Mayor's Cabinet Meeting

Notes were provided

COMMUNICATIONS FROM STAFF

None

ADJOURNMENT

Date / Time: May 10, 2017 / 11:02 AM