

SOUTH LOS ANGELES AREA PLANNING COMMISSION
OFFICIAL MINUTES
TUESDAY, JANUARY 4, 2022
(Via Teleconference)

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In accordance with Government Code Section 54953, subsections (e)(1) and (e)(3), and in light of the State of Emergency proclaimed by the Governor on March 4, 2020 relating to COVID-19 and ongoing concerns that meeting in person would present imminent risks to the health or safety of attendees and/or that the State of Emergency continues to directly impact the ability of members to meet safely in person, the South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission's January 4, 2022 meeting was conducted via telephone and/or videoconferencing.

The meeting was called to order by Commissioner Orozco at 4:30 p.m. with Commissioners Levine and Stern present. Commissioners Bates and Willis was absent.

Also in attendance were Michelle Singh, Senior City Planner; Ernesto Velazquez, Deputy City Attorney; Etta Armstrong, Commission Executive Assistant I and Diego Vazquez, Administrative Clerk.

ITEM NO. 1

DETERMINATION TO CONTINUE HOLDING MEETINGS VIA TELECONFERENCE

Motion Required. Pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e)(1)(B)-(C), and (e)(3)(A) and (e)(3)(B)(i), a determination that COVID-19 State of Emergency continues to directly impact the ability of members to meet safely in person and possible Commission action.

MOTION:

Commissioner Stern moved to adopt the resolution under which the Commission finds that holding meetings in person would present imminent risks to the health or safety of attendees due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Commissioner Orozco seconded the motion and the vote proceeded as follows:

Moved: Stern
Second: Orozco
Ayes: Levine
Absent: Bates, Willis

Vote: 3 – 0

MOTION PASSED

Commissioner Orozco introduced the newest member to the Commission, Commissioner Daedre Levine.

ITEM NO. 2

DIRECTOR'S REPORT AND COMMISSION BUSINESS

- **Director's Report:** Michelle Singh, Senior City Planner, had no report.
- **Advance Calendar:** There were no changes made to the Advance Calendar.
- **Commission Requests:** There were no requests made by the Commission.
- **Approval of the Minutes:** The minutes of December 7, 2021 were postponed until the next meeting.

ITEM NO. 3

NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL PRESENTATION

There were no Neighborhood Council presentations.

ITEM NO. 4

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT

No one addressed the Commission during general public comment.

ITEM NO. 5

There were no requests for reconsiderations.

There being no further business to come before the South Los Angeles Area Planning Commission
Commissioner Orozco adjourned the meeting at 4:45 p.m.

ADOPTED
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