## NORTH WESTWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

TRANSPORTATION AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

#### **MINUTES**

Tuesday March 5, 2019, 6:30 pm Kerckhoff Hall Room 316 308 Westwood Plaza, Los Angeles, CA 90095

- Call to Order: Ryan Snyder, Amir Tarighat, Sheehan Parker, Jeff R., Abdullah A., Michael Skiles, Greyson Peters, and Noam Rosenthal are present; a quorum is reached.
- **2. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items:** The committee is joined by three community members.

### 3. Safety Issues

- **a. Public Safety Update**: Amir T. met with officers from LAPD and UCPD, he invited them to future committee meetings, discussed the potential for a safety walkthrough of the neighborhood, and other issues.
- **b. Clean up of 10919 Strathmore Drive**: The committee discussed requesting dumpsters or other special trash collection, especially around popular move-out dates for students. The particular issue of 10919 Strathmore is being addressed by the city, which has issued summons for the owner.
- **c. Safety call buttons in Westwood Village:** The Inter-Fraternity Council (IFC) has brought their movement for safety call buttons to the attention of the committee. The committee is interested in hearing more about the proposal in future meetings.

#### 4. Transportation Issues

- **a. Bicycle parking inventory progress report:** Data are roughly half-way collected. The committee began a discussion about prioritizing locations to request new bike parking.
- The committee will agendize for the next meeting a discussion on shared-mobility (bike/scooter) parking, and a separate discussion on the enforcement of regulations related to shared-mobility devices.
  - **b. Parking in North Westwood Village resolution:** The committee discussed a proposed resolution regarding apron parking in North Westwood Village, and decided to table the discussion for the next meeting pending more information on current enforcement.

- c. Parking benefit district for North Westwood Village: The committee discussed the costs and benefits to exploring a parking benefit district in the residential areas of North Westwood. A consensus was reached not to pursue such a district at this time.
- **d. Great Streets grant application:** Ryan S. updated the committee on the status of the Westwood BID Great Streets grant application.
- **e.** Automatic recall of pedestrian buttons in Westwood Village: Ryan S. updated the committee on the status of his inquiries to the City on this matter.

A resolution was authored by Michael Skiles: The Safety and Transportation Committee recommends that the North Westwood Neighborhood Council formally endorse the institution of automatic recall pedestrian buttons at all signalized intersection in North Westwood.

Seconded by Abdullah A., passed 8-0-0

# 5. Adjourn at 9:20 pm