WEST HOLLYWOOD DISABILITIES ADVISORY BOARD MARCH 28, 2007 6:30PM

WEST HOLLYWOOD CITY HALL COMMUNITY CONFERENCE ROOM 8300 SANTA MONICA BLVD. WEST HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA

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1. CALL TO ORDER

6:30 pm

- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. ROLL CALL
- 4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

6:35 pm

The Disabilities Advisory Board is requested to approve the Meeting Agenda.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the Agenda of March 28, 2007.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

6:37pm

The Disabilities Advisory Board is requested to approve the minutes of the February 28, 2007 Disabilities Advisory Board meeting.

6. PUBLIC COMMENT:

6:40 pm

This time has been set aside for members of the public to address the Disabilities Advisory Board on agenda items if the member of the public cannot be present later in the meeting at the time the item is heard by the Advisory Board. The public may also address items of general interest within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Disabilities Advisory Board. Although the Advisory Board values your comments, pursuant to the Brown Act, it generally cannot take any action on items not listed on the posted agenda. This comment period shall be limited to no more than 10 minutes, with two minutes assigned for each speaker. Another period has been reserved for general public comment later in the meeting for those who could not be heard at this time.

7. STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS:

6:50 pm

- A. Senior Health Fair May 16, 2007
- B. April Food Drive
- C. Outreach for the CONNECT Program
- D. Social Club for People with Disabilities
- E. Other

8. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A. RENT STABILIZATION ORDINANCE

6:55 pm

The Disabilities Advisory Board will receive a presentation on the City's Rent Stabilization Ordinance from City Councilmember John Duran and Staff Attorney Stephen Lewis.

B. WEST HOLLYWOOD COMMUNITY HOUSING CORPORATION PROPOSED PROJECT

The Disabilities Advisory Board will receive an updated presentation on the West Hollywood Community Housing Corporation's proposed project earmarked for people with disabilities located at Sierra Bonita Avenue and Santa Monica Boulevard.

C. DISABILITY SERVICE AWARDS

7:40 pm

The Disabilities Advisory Board will receive a report from the Task Force formed to review the Disability Service Awards, including the nomination form.

D. HEDGES AND SIDEWALK ACCESSIBILITY

8:10 pm

The Disabilities Advisory Board will discuss hedges and their impact on sidewalk accessibility in residential neighborhoods.

E. SOCIAL SERVICES URGENT NEEDS PROGRAM FOR 2006-07

8:15 pm

The Disabilities Advisory Board requested some information about the Social Services urgent needs fund which was recently approved by the City Council and provides \$5,000 at Aid for AIDS and \$15,000 at the Comprehensive Services Center Program of Jewish Family Service to meet the urgent needs of community members.

9. PUBLIC COMMENT

8:20 pm

10. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS/LIAISON UPDATES

8:25 pm

11. ADJOURNMENT:

8:30 pm

The Disabilities Advisory Board will adjourn to their next meeting on Wednesday, April 25, 2007 at 6:30pm in the Community Conference Room at City Hall, 8300 Santa Monica Blvd., West Hollywood, CA 90069.