

MINUTES

JOINT MEETING

CITY PLANNING COMMISSION
CITY OF LOS ANGELES

AND

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD

Thursday, November 14, 1985

I. **OPENING REMARKS:** The meeting's Chairman, Mayor Heilman, convened the meeting at 6:57 p.m. and proceeded with his opening remarks.

II. **INTRODUCTIONS:** The following Councilmembers were present from the City Council of the City of West Hollywood:

Present: Albert,
Terrigno,
Viterbi,
Schulte,
Mayor Heilman

Also
Present: City Manager -
Paul Brotzman
Community
Development
Director -
Mark Winogron

The following people were present representing the City Planning Commission of Los Angeles:

Present: Ed Johnson
Glenn Blossom
Kei Uyeda
Calvin Hamilton
Michael Davis
Ruby Ann Justis
Jim Anderson
Terry M. Speth

Also
Present: Gilda Haas -
Mike Woo's
Office,
Councilmember -
Joel Wachs

III. PLANNING PROGRAMS:

a) **Planning Activities in Los Angeles which affect West Hollywood:** Calvin S. Hamilton, Director of Planning, outlined those activities affecting West Hollywood.

b) **Status of the Planning Program and large-scale development in West Hollywood:** Mark Winogron, Director, Department of Community Development outlined the status of West Hollywood's Planning Program and large-scale development in West Hollywood.

c) **General discussion by policymakers:** At this time City Council directed questions and voiced concerns to the L.A. City Planning Department on such issues as specific plans for the Metro-rail route, buffer zone between West Hollywood and L.A. City, and the proposed Ma Maison Hotel.

IV. TRANSPORTATION ISSUES AND PROJECTS:

a) **Citywide Transportation Framework:** Ed Johnson from the L.A. City Planning Staff discussed the Citywide Transportation Framework.

b) **Discussion of Joint Efforts in Transportation Coordination:** Mark Winogron addressed some of West Hollywood's concerns in the area of transportation and parking. In addition Mr. Winogron outlined some of the measures being taken to alleviate parking and transportation problems. Finally, Mr. Winogron outlined a tri-city regional traffic study, (Beverly Hills, Los Angeles and West Hollywood), initiated by the Beverly Hills Municipal Court which would look into and correct transportation problems created by recent development, especially by the Pacific Design Center.

c) **General discussion by policymakers:** At this time City Council reiterated some of their transportation concerns on such proposed projects as Ma Maison and the Beverly Gilmore. In addition Council discussed their interest in joint parking and transportation projects.

V. FUTURE AGENDAS: Direction was given by City Council for staff to meet with City of L.A. staff to develop a staff level task force to improve dialogue between the two cities. In addition staff was directed to bring back a report and set up future meetings within the next three to six months.

VI. CLOSING REMARKS: Mayor Heilman gave the closing remarks and at 8:18 p.m. adjourned the joint meeting to a City Council Workshop at Plummer Park, Hall A - 8:30 p.m.