Sycamore Square Neighborhood Association May 06, 2020 Meeting Minutes

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The meeting was called to order by President Conrad Starr at 7:05pm.

Board members present included Mr. Starr, Jenn Hengst, Kathy Flynn. No quorum Susanna Jones present as stakeholder.

Kathy secretary pro-tem.

Conrad: Life is getting back to new normal.

Public Comments

Unfinished Business

Board Vacancies

One seat is still open for 2019-2021 term, no interest last month.

Officer and Committee Reports

Treasury Report

- Current balance \$916.74. Earned \$1.12 interest in April.

Outreach

Nothing new to report

Land Use

Conrad reports that Duplex at Sycamore south of Wilshire being turned into offices. Next to building being retrofitted, which is the only soft story building in Sycamore Square.

Conrad asked board members if there was any opposition to telling Firestone that we are okay with them allowing beer to go with food purchase at this time. All board members were in favor.

Conrad wonders about hotel on Wilshire and La Brea and what their status is.

Community Meeting Reports

Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council (C. Starr) - Greater Wilshire is coming back on line. Sustainability committee meeting yesterday.

GWC board meeting on Zoom next Wednesday at 7pm.

LAPD TOWN HALL -

Jen reports on last week's Town Hall meeting. Cpt. Shannon Paulson hosted a town hall last week on Zoom. Jen felt it was helpful and hopeful that she was in charge as she is an amazing advocate for the community. Police responding to calls, the station at Venice is closed to walk-ups but they are answering phones and can also file police report online.

Conrad wants to invite our SLO's to the June meeting.

New Business

Proposed above ground Antenna at Sycamore/Wilshire 682 S. Sycamore Ave public right-of-way to allow for communication for Purple Line. Tabling for June when there is a quorum.

Conrad reports that Car on Orange was towed away at some point.

Community member Rajan joins meeting at 7:42pm.

Board Comments and Announcements

Jen announces that she will probably be moving when her lease is up at the end of September and so will not be running for a new term on the board.

Scheduling of next Meeting

Discussion on having regular meetings. Will try for first Wednesday of the month at 7pm. Next meeting will be June 3.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned by Conrad at 7:50pm.