

GREATER TOLUCA LAKE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL



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**PUBLIC SAFETY & TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING**  
**AGENDA for: Monday, July 7, 2008 7:00 PM**  
**10116 Riverside Drive, Suite 200 Toluca Lake, CA 91602**

**1. Meeting Opening and Call to Order: Start time: Members Present: Absent (and those excused): Guests:**  
Motion to Approve June Minutes.

**2.1 On-Going Business** –Public Input limited to 3-minutes

**Local Crime:** Rob Benavidez, LAPD Senior Lead Officer Update

**Neighborhood Watch** Lead: Steve H.

**Surveillance cameras** in neighborhoods

**2.2 Work In-Progress Status** –Public Input limited to 3-minutes

**Public Safety Budget Request** Outcome

**2.3 Continuing Issues**

**Cahuenga Blvd. Secondary Highway designation and downgrading-** Glenda Baskin Council District-4 has been requested to expedite this matter.

**Cahuenga Blvd. Improvements:**

1. Widen the east side of Cahuenga Boulevard between Camarillo Street and Addison Street approximately 7ft. to provide a drop-off zone in front of Toluca Lake Elementary School and to eliminate an existing jut-out.
2. Install a northbound right-turn pocket on Cahuenga Boulevard south of Magnolia Boulevard by widening both sides of Cahuenga Boulevard approximately 5ft on each side from Magnolia Boulevard to the alley just south of Magnolia Boulevard.
3. Install left-turn pockets at the intersections of Cahuenga Boulevard and Valley Spring Lane, Whipple Street, Woodbridge Street and Bloomfield Street.
4. Install left-turn phasing at the intersections of Cahuenga Boulevard and Camarillo Street, Riverside Drive and Moorpark Street.
5. Install two permanent speed display signs on Cahuenga Boulevard.

**This is the tentative schedule** for completion of the work and DOT may have to adjust the dates later as design progress

**PROJECT TIMELINE**

**Design-**June 2008 **Right-of-Way Certification** -January 2009 **Bid & Award-**September 2009 **Construction-** September 2010

- The schedule must and will be adjusted to accommodate a rule which forbids work to be done during school hours.

**The following items are on track with the City**

**Riverside and Talofa (Trader Joe's corner)** Add a traffic signal?

**Clybourn and Camarillo:** Add a traffic signal

**Camarillo between Lankershim and Tujunga-** Improving safety and traffic

**Valley Spring Lane-(between Lakeside and Cahuenga)**

No date set for resurfacing on Valley Spring between Forman and Lakeside Golf Club.

**Universal Development Plans.**

The Universal/MTA Community Working Group plans to have a Town Hall meeting for the community on the progress of discussions with Universal. Visit their website for information: [www.universalworkinggroupnews.org](http://www.universalworkinggroupnews.org)

**3. New Business** Public Input limited to 3-minutes

**Public Works Committee Development?**

Drainage on curbless streets. Whose responsibility is that and how to get it done?

**4. Event/Meeting Calendar** (Please forward proposed dates to Terry Davis for the GTLNC Master Calendar)

**5. Meeting Close and Wrap-Up**

**Meeting Dates for 2008:** (first Monday of the month unless there is a Holiday) August 4; September 8; October 6; November 3; and December 1.

**Time:** 7:00 PM **Location:** 10116 Riverside Drive, Suite 200

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