



**MINUTES**  
**PUBLIC SAFETY MEETING**  
 Monday, February 1, 2021  
 7:00pm



**ZOOM – MEETING ID 979 4137 2867**

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IN CONFORMITY WITH THE GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDER N-29-20 (MARCH 17, 2020) AND DUE TO CONCERNS OVER COVID-19, THE BOARD OF GREATER TOLUCA LAKE NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED ON ZOOM AND BE ACCESSIBLE TELEPHONICALLY.

Instructions on how to sign up for public comments will be given to listeners at the start of the meeting.

| COMMITTEE MEMBERS |                |                 | <i>X = Present, AB = Absent, EX = Excused</i> |                    |          |              |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|---|--------------------|----------|--------------|
| <u>X</u>          | Jason Friedman | <i>Co-Chair</i> | <u>X</u>                                      | Tess Taylor (7:15) | <u>X</u> | Jay Goldberg |
| <u>X</u>          | Robyn Allyn    | <i>Co-Chair</i> | <u>X</u>                                      | James Fitzpatrick  | =        |              |
| <u>X</u>          | Bob Scibelli   |                 | <u>X</u>                                      | Tony Carey         | =        |              |

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| <b>1.</b>        | <b>Call to Order</b>   | Start Time 7:04 PM   |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
| <b>2.</b>        | <b>Attendance</b>  | Public in Attendance: 14   |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
| <b>3.</b>        | <b>Minutes</b>   |  |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
|                  | <i>(One (1) Minute per Speaker per Agenda Item)</i>  |  |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
|                  | a. Review and Approve Committee Minutes  |  |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
|                  | <b>MOTION A:</b> Approve the GTLNC January 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2021 Public Safety Committee Minutes. Full text of the minutes can be found at:<br><a href="https://www.gtlnc.org/">https://www.gtlnc.org/</a>  | <b>VOTE:</b> <u>  6  </u> / <u>  0  </u> / <u>  0  </u><br><i>First: Bob Scibelli</i><br><i>Second: Jay Goldberg</i> |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
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|                  | <i>Y – Yes                      A – Abstain                      I – Ineligible</i><br><i>N – No                        R – Recusal                      E – Excused</i>   |  |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
|                  | <b>Tess joined meeting at 7:15pm</b>   |  |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
| <b>4.</b>        | <b>Public Comment</b>  |  |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |
|                  | <i>(Two (2) Minutes per Speaker)</i>   |  |               |                |               |                     |  |                |              |  |  |

## 5. Committee Member News & Announcements / Neighborhood Reports

*(Two (2) Minutes per Speaker)*

- a. LAPD Report: SLO –Kurtis Delbar *People walking in dark clothing, use light or reflectors. Pallet homes on Chandler & Tunjunga opened and several people have wanted to go from homeless areas. 2 burglaries- Cahuenga & Whipple, Cahuenga & VSL areas from motor vehicle. Keep cars locked and hide valuables.*  
*Gwendolyn F.: how many pallet homes available?*  
*Kurtis: 50 available, 4 from Kurtis area took advantage of this resource.*  
*James F: did his own count of homeless over a few nights*  
*Kevin D.: why is there such a large concentration under Lankershim under pass?*  
*Kurtis: people give them free stuff according to the homeless population.*  
*Tony C: vocal people bothering apartment dwellers, how do they report?*  
*Kurtis: Report as prowler or trespasser on your property*  
*Gwendolyn F: Asks if James has seen an increase of homeless.*  
*James F: Doesn't have actual data*  
*Bing: Cartwright inquiry about incident, any update?*  
*Jason F: a further description was logged into LA Hops*
- b. Council District 4 Report: TBD-N/A
- c. Neighborhood Watch: Robyn Allyn -update on becoming a watch captain or want to be added to a watch list.
- d. LADOT - Steve Rostam, P.E.

## 6. On-Going Business

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a.COVID - Update -Myturn.com to get an appointment

## 7. New Business

**a. Guest Speaker: Liz Oh – Homeless Coordinator from Council**

**District 4** Started her position last week. Worked for PATH prior.

Will work closely with her team to help homeless. Only 70 pallet beds. Not enough for the homeless population.

PATH-People assisting the Homeless

Email: [liz.oh@lacity.org](mailto:liz.oh@lacity.org)

**Jason:** How can we support you and be part of the solution?

**Liz:** learning the communities to see how they can help. If you know any landlords or land owners to please pass their info if they want to help.

**Jay:** How can areas be kept clean?

**Liz:** clean ups without misplacing folks

**Tess T:** Trying to help 3 people in her area., in cars and tents. Wants to find them affordable housing. Needs help guiding her. How do you manage the system?

**Liz:** connect offline for her help with email

**Tess:** How are housing locations selected?

**Liz:** unclear at this time how process is handled.

**Gwendolyn:** Homeless who have drug use or other mental issues, how does the city deal with those issues? How do they get the treatment they may need.

**Liz:** Build rapport to gain trust to then help them.

**Lisa S:** Unhoused individual that she has been in contact with recently who is a threat, how can people feel safe?

**Liz:** Hopes to be able to help these individuals with services to treat their issues.

**Kevin D:** High concentration of homeless under the city freeways?

Will we get our sidewalks back or will this become the new normal for our community. Has empathy for these individuals but it would be great to see a solution.

**Bob S:** Tuesday, City Council meeting will be discussing issues. Make your voice heard at the meeting.

**Lisa:** There is a lot of outreach but doesn't seem to be working. Continued problem.

**Tess:** shared resource cards to distribute. Can individuals in less expensive areas?

### New Business:

**Tony:** Neighborhood Watch can it be used for election information?

**Robyn:** Will look into it

## 8. Meeting Adjourned

Close Time: 8:11 PM

Next Meeting: **Monday, March 1, 2021 @ 7:00 PM** – via Zoom

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