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NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL**

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# ADMINISTRATIVE OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

**Monday 10 May 2021 6:00 PM**

Zoom Electronic Meeting Online or by Telephone

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1. Public comment on non-agenda items.
2. Call to order.
3. Motion to recommend seating a new Board member to fill resignation.
4. Motion to express concerns regarding charter school opening in the Harbor Community.
5. Motion considering stakeholder input to motions.
6. Public comment on non-agenda items.
7. Adjournment.

## Motion to recommend seating a new Board member to fill resignation

The Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood shall accept the resignation of Erika Hernandez at the May Board Meeting, and appoint a new Board member at the June Board Meeting.

## Motion to express concerns regarding charter school opening in the Harbor Community

*Jeff McBurney*

*[See attached letter]*

*Resolved*, the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council requests that the Los Angeles Unified School District provide us specific information as to how adding a charter school in the Harbor Area will benefit our community and not detract from existing programs such as Dual Language, School for Advanced Studies/Gate, English Language Learner, Magnet programs, and Special Education.

## Motion considering stakeholder input to motions

*James Campeau*

It would be fair for stakeholders to be able to participate in Governing Board / Stakeholder meetings that have debate on a revised, or amended motion, similar to committee meetings. Stakeholders don't get to vote, but at least their voice should be heard in a debate, especially if they have relevant facts to speak to the motion, that might help other Board members or stakeholders with no knowledge of the facts of the motion. It may help with stop all the opinion drama that has nothing to do with the facts or merit of the motion. It should be encouraged that Board members and Stakeholders have direct exchange in debate, real time back and forth.

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Date: April 2021  
To: Tanya Ortiz Franklin, LAUSD Board Member, District 7  
Subject: Concerns Regarding Charter School Opening in the Harbor Community

Dear Ms. Franklin,

We, the Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council, have great concerns regarding the Knowledge is Power for People (KIPP) charter school opening in San Pedro as we see this as a trend that may affect schools located in the Harbor Community. We are concerned that adding a charter school in our community will most likely destabilize the school learning community by taking away existing resources from our neighborhood schools. We are concerned that existing schools with fully credentialed experienced teachers, Dual Language, School for Advanced Studies/Gate, English Language Learner, Magnet programs, and Special Education programs could be adversely impacted when opening a charter school takes place.

The Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council believes our schools should serve all students. There have been reported instances where charter schools exclude minorities, special education students, and English Language Learners. Furthermore, we believe that schools should transparently include the community when making decisions. We are concerned that KIPP may be failing to do this. We ask that you address these issues.

In conclusion, the Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council supports the parents, teachers, and community members who have expressed concerns regarding the potential opening of a KIPP charter school in the Harbor Community, specifically in San Pedro.

We request that you provide us with specific information as to how adding a charter school in the Harbor Area will benefit our community and not detract from existing programs such as Dual Language, School for Advanced Studies/Gate, English Language Learner, Magnet programs, and Special Education.

We stand united in protecting our schools in Northwest San Pedro and request a response to this letter within two weeks of your receipt.

Sincerely,

Ray Regalado  
President, Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council

Cc: The Hon. Nanette Barragan, CA44  
The Hon. Steven Bradford, SD35  
The Hon. Patrick O'Donnell, AD 70  
The Hon. Mike Gipson, AD64  
Supervisor Janice Hahn, District 4  
Ms. Cecily Myart-Cruz, President, UTLA  
Mr. Joe Buscaino, CD15 Councilmember  
Mr. Michael Romero, Superintendent, LAUSD Local District South