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#### April 2022 **HILLSIDE NEWS**

- Conservation Group Acquires Hadid Properties at Auction
- Groundbreaking set for bridge over 101 Freeway, billed as world's largest wildlife crossing
- Hillside Federation's 70th Anniversary

# AGENDA AND MEETING MINUTES

#### Meeting Agenda - April 19, 2022 at 7:00 pm

via Video Conference

- 1. Call to Order
  - 1. Guest: LAFD Chief Kristin Crowley
  - 2. Guest Series: Getting to Know Candidates
    - 1. Councilmember Joe Buscaino Candidate, LA City Mayor
    - 2. Congresswoman Karen Bass -- Candidate, LA City Mayor (8:30pm)
  - 3. CD 5 Update Ali Simard
  - 4. CD 4 Update Mehmet Berker
- 2. Approval of minutes Robin Greenberg
- 3. Officers' Reports
  - 1. President's Report Charley Mims
  - 2. Treasurer's Report Don Andres
- 4. Old Business
  - Mount St. Mary's University Project Wendy-Sue Rosen
  - 2. Curtis/Mirman School Project Mark Stratton
  - 3. Mulholland Design Review Board Memorandum update Don Andres

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- 4. SB 9 & 10 update Jamie Hall
- 5. Harvard-Westlake River Park Project Alan Dymond
- 6. 3003 Runyon Canyon Road Don Andres, Joan Cashel
- 5. New Business
  - 1. LADBS policies Stella Grey
- 6. Adjournment

Next meeting May 17, 2022

March 15, 2021 - Draft Minutes

## NEWS

**Conservation Group Acquires Hadid Properties at Auction** 



From Wendy-Sue Rosen April 5, 2022

As reported previously, the United States Chapter 7 Bankruptcy Trustee held a public auction on March 24, 2022 for the 65 acres of land that Hadid owned in Franklin Canyon Park, including parts of the Hastain Trail. The buyer of the land is "Castle Real Estate, LLC" which was formed in Delaware the day before the auction.

While not much is known about Castle, it is clearly aligned with Give Back, LLC in terms of conservation and, according to a recent public statement by a Give Back representative, the land is now "secured" from development, Hadid "is history" and "the trail is safe."

#### Read more

# Groundbreaking set for bridge over 101 Freeway, billed as world's largest wildlife crossing



March 25, 2022

LOS ANGELES -- Groundbreaking is set for next month on what's billed as the world's largest wildlife crossing - a bridge over a major Southern California highway that will provide more room to roam for mountain lions and other animals hemmed in by urban sprawl.

A ceremony marking the start of construction for the span over U.S. 101 near Los Angeles will take place on Earth Day, April 22, the National Wildlife Federation announced Thursday.

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## Hillside Federation's 70th Anniversary



1952 - 2022

Save the Date! <u>Hillside Federation 70th Anniversary</u> May 7th, 2022 from 3:00 - 7:00 pm at <u>TreePeople</u> Purchase Tickets at <u>HillsideFederaton.org</u>

## **ABOUT THE HILLSIDE FEDERATION**

The Hillside Federation is a public benefit non-profit 501(c)(3) organization *founded in 1952.* Our mission is to protect the property and the quality of life of the residents of the Santa Monica Mountains and other hillside areas of Los Angeles and its environs, and to encourage and promote those policies and programs which will best preserve the natural topography and wildlife of the mountains and hillsides for the benefit of all the people of Los Angeles.

## Organizations

Argyle Civic Association Beachwood Canyon NA Bel Air Association Lake Hollywood Homeowners Laurel Canyon Association LFIA (Los Feliz Improvement Association)

- Bel Air Hills Association Bel Air Knolls Property Owners Bel Air Skycrest POA Benedict Canyon Association Brentwood Hills HOA Brentwood Residents Coalition Bundy Canyon Association Cahuenga Pass POA **Canyon Back Alliance** Crests Neighborhood Dixie Canyon Association Doheny/Sunset Plaza NA Franklin Hills Residents Association Franklin/Hollywood West Residents Assn Highlands Owners Assn Hollywood Dell Civic Association Hollywood Heights Association Hollywoodland Homeowners Holmby Hills HOA Kagel Canyon Civic
- Mountaingate Mt. Olympus Property Owners Mt. Washington Homeowners Alliance Nichols Canyon NA Oak Forest Canyon Homeowners **Oaks Homeowners** Outpost Neighborhood Association Pacific Palisades Residents Assn Residents of Beverly Glen Save Coldwater Canyon! Save Our Canyon Shadow Hills Property Owners Sherman Oaks Homeowners Association Silver Lake Heritage Trust Studio City Residents Association Sunset Hills Homeowners Tarzana Property Owners Upper Mandeville Canyon Association Upper Nichols Canyon NA Whitley Heights Civic Association

## Bring an Issue to the Federation

If your organization would like to bring an issue to the attention of the Federation, please complete a **Request for Action form** and send it to **RFA@hillsidefederation.org** along with supporting documents no later than 10 days prior to the meeting. This will help you organize your presentation while providing the necessary information to allow the Federation to consider your organization's request.

## **SUPPORT US**

We're fighting to protect the Santa Monica Mountains, hillside areas of Los Angeles and its environs and we can't do it without you. In order to do the important work we do, we rely entirely on support from people like you!



#### Jerry Daniel Memorial Fund

In honor of his great achievements, the Hillside Federation has established the Jerry Daniel Memorial Fund to provide resources to help maintain and improve the Jerry Daniel Overlook on Mulholland Drive above the Hollywood Bowl, as well as resources for other environmentally sensitive efforts in his memory.

Please support the Hillside Federation's mission and DONATE today!

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