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June 2022

HILLSIDE NEWS

- [SB 1425 Passes State Senate!](#)
- [CLAW announced as AD 50's 2022 Nonprofit of the Year!](#)

AGENDA AND MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Agenda - June 21, 2022 at 7:00 pm

via Video Conference

1. Call to Order
 1. LA County Update – Rachel Sherrell
 2. Wildlife Ordinance Update
 3. CD 5 Update - Dylan Sittig, Ali Simard
 4. CD 4 Update - Mashael Majid, 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
 1. 3003 Runyon Canyon Road – Presentation of Newly Proposed Project
 2. Mount St. Mary's University Project - Wendy-Sue Rosen
 3. Curtis/Mirman School Project - Wendy-Sue Rosen
 4. Mulholland Design Review Board Memorandum update - Don Andres
 5. SB 9 & 10 update - Jamie Hall
 6. Harvard-Westlake River Park Project - Alan Dymon

5. New Business
 1. Mission Canyon Helispot – Mark Stratton
6. Adjournment

Next meeting July 19, 2022

LA County (District 5) Update – Katherine Barger/Jason Maruca -- tbd

May 17, 2021 - Draft Minutes

NEWS

SB 1425 Passes State Senate!



From Jamie Hall

May 24, 2022

The Laurel Canyon Association and the Laurel Canyon Land Trust are happy to report that the open space bill that we originated passed the state senate yesterday. This bill will require all cities and counties in California to update their open space plans by 2026. Some cities, such as the City of Los Angeles, haven't updated their plans in decades. Now we are off to the Assembly. Tremendous thank you to Senator Henry Stern for authoring the bill!

Remember - this all started because Henry Stern came to our meeting!

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From Citizens for Los Angeles Wildlife

June 10, 2022

“There are no shortage of crises facing the Golden State, and nonprofits play a critical role in navigating some of our toughest challenges,” said Assemblymember Bloom, “I am pleased to announce that we have chosen CLAW – Citizens for Los Angeles Wildlife – as the AD 50 Nonprofit of the Year.”

"As climate change becomes more of a reality in our daily lives and open space is threatened due to urban development, the habitats that house our precious wildlife are increasingly at risk. That's why the selfless work of nonprofits like CLAW take on an increased importance and responsibility. I could not be more grateful for their efforts to preserve and protect our fragile ecosystem."

CLAW was purposely founded with a mission to protect, restore, and educate, and it is only through the selflessness of our volunteers, the tenacity of our board, and the support of our donors that we've been able to move our mission forward. That's why this announcement means so much to us and we share it with all of you.

“Whether it’s implementing a program like Barn Owl Nesting Box, engaging voters on critical ballot measures, or helping prepare the next generation to successfully advocate for endangered species, Los Angeles and all of California are fortunate to benefit from the advocacy and educational efforts of this exemplary nonprofit,” concluded Assemblymember Bloom.

Please read Assembly District 50's full press release [here](#).

CLAW was founded nearly a decade ago when a scofflaw developer decimated a wildlife corridor between the homes of co-founders Simard and Tucci. Ever since then, CLAW has been working hard to protect and restore other threatened wildlife habitats and to be a resource and educational center for others seeking to stop habitat destruction.

Whether it's big conservation wins like Buying a Mountain or achievements in ordinance and regulation on behalf of the wild, the thing that is most invigorating is feedback from our supporters, and watching our volunteer numbers increase. That's why this unexpected announcement was so truly appreciated - we couldn't have earned this honor without YOU!

Thank you again to the office of the 50th Assembly District. We are deeply humbled to be recognized by Assemblymember Bloom as his 2022 Nonprofit of the Year! We look forward to many more years of protecting, restoring, and educating on behalf of Los Angeles' wildlife.

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
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

Lake Hollywood Homeowners
Laurel Canyon Association
LFIA (Los Feliz Improvement Association)
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!

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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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