

## Hillside Federation Meeting

April 21, 2020 7:00 pm

Via video conference

Minutes

### I. Call to Order

President Charley Mims called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm. Don Andres did a Zoom overview. All member's names were on screen so no introductions were needed.

### II. Approval of minutes - Marian Dodge

The February 2020 Minutes were approved as corrected.

### III. Officers' Reports

#### A. President's Report – Charley Mims

1. Nominating Committee Report - Julie Kremkus, chair with Cathy Wayne and Dennis Chew. The following officers were nominated by the Nominating Committee for the 2020-21 year:

President - Charley Mims  
Chairman - Marian Dodge  
Vice President - John Given  
Vice President - Mark Stratton  
Secretary - Julie Kremkus  
Treasurer - Don Andres

No additional nominations were received from the floor. Twenty-one organizations were represented making a quorum. The report of the Nominating Committee was adopted and the Officers were elected.

#### B. Treasurer's Report – Don Andres

1. 42 of 44 organizations have already paid their dues. Two new: Dixie Canyon (2019) and Hollywoodland (2020).
2. Holiday party is on hold. Dec. 10th is secured at the Mulholland Tennis Club.

### IV. Old Business

#### A. Hollywood Center (former Millennium Project) - Marian Dodge

ENV-2018-2116-EIR. Rejected in 2013. It's now renamed. Project site would be redeveloped with 1,005 residential units, comprised of 872 market-rate and 133 senior affordable units, and up to 30,176 square feet of commercial uses, within four new mixed-use buildings. Site is next to Capitol Records and the building will be dwarfed.

The East building is 46 stories, the West building is 35 stories, and then there are the two smaller buildings. It is located next to the 101 Hollywood Fwy. The DEIR was just released, and they have given us the minimum amount of time to review the project, 45 days.

**MOTION:** *Request the Hollywood Center (former Millennium Project) - ENV-2018-2116-EIR public comment period be extended to 120 days past the ending of the Stay at Home orders. The motion passed.*

### V. New Business

#### A. High speed train rail authority - Cindy Bloom Extended comments to June 1. It is not a green project.

The biggest issue is the costs. It is now \$90B. <https://hsr.ca.gov/>

#### B. Earth Day Online Activities - Marian Dodge

1. Friends of Griffith Park - <https://www.friendsofgriffithpark.org/>.
2. NHM sponsoring a city nature challenge Apr 24-27 - <https://nhm.org/stories/earth-day-2020>

3. LA Zoo has free shows online - [https://www.lazoo.org/visit/showsandactivities/?gclid=Cj0KCQjws\\_r0BRCwARIsAMxfDRi9zsmiOrXiFWGkyecO2GIAAqYPIx\\_Ak\\_m6qIdrqJ9Yuu\\_hzdQqCxo0aAgP4EALw\\_wcB](https://www.lazoo.org/visit/showsandactivities/?gclid=Cj0KCQjws_r0BRCwARIsAMxfDRi9zsmiOrXiFWGkyecO2GIAAqYPIx_Ak_m6qIdrqJ9Yuu_hzdQqCxo0aAgP4EALw_wcB)
4. LA Times article about wildlife during COVID-19 - <https://www.latimes.com/environment/story/2020-04-21/wildlife-thrives-amid-coronavirus-lockdown>

#### VI. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:06 pm. Next meeting via Zoom: on May 19, 2020.

Julie Kremkus - Secretary

#### Members in Attendance:

Argyle Civic Assn	Stephen Krawchuk
Bel-Air Assn	Linda Whitford
	Maureen Levinson
Bel Air Hills Assn	Robin Greenberg
	Steve Twining
Bel Air Skycrest POA	Mark Stratton
Brentwood Hills HOA	Carolyn LoBuglio
Brentwood Res Coal	Wendy-Sue Rosen
	Donald Keller
Cahuenga Pass POA	Krista Michaels
	Steven Kates
Canyon Back Alliance	John Given
	Lois Becker
Doheny-Sunset Plaza	Ellen Evans
Franklin/Hlywd Bl W	Don Andres
	Yvonne Hessler
Franklin Hills Res Assn	Charley Mims
Laurel Canyon Assn	Jamie Hall
	Cathy Wayne
LFIA (Los Feliz)	Dennis Chew
	Marian Dodge
Nichols Canyon NA	Julie Kremkus
Save Coldwater Canyon	Suellen Wagner
Shadow Hills POA	Cindy Bloom
Sherman Oaks HOA	Jay Weitzler
Studio City Res Assn	Joann Deutch
Upper Nichols Canyon	Stacy Sillins