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### **SPECIAL** Aging, Disability and Accessibility Committee Meeting Agenda

Meeting Date: Thursday, August 21st, 2025 at 6:30pm

#### Members:

Jen Montzingo, Chair

Jorge Aparicio

Wendy Kheel (Alternate)

#### **VIRTUAL**

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Every person wishing to address the Board must dial (669) 444-9171, and enter 818 9387 6290 and then press # to join the meeting. When prompted by the presiding officer, to provide public input at the Neighborhood Council meeting the public will be requested to dial \*9 or use the Raise Hand option, to address the Board on any agenda item before the Board takes an action on an item. Comments from the public on agenda items will be heard only when the respective item is being considered.

Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Board's jurisdiction will be heard during the General Public Comment period. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Board is prevented from acting on a matter that you bring to its attention during the General Public Comment period; however, the issue raised by a member of the public may become the subject of a future Board meeting. Public comment is limited to 1 minute per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board.

### **SB 411 Updates:**

In the event of a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting to members of the public using the call-in option or internet-based service option, or in the event of a disruption within the eligible legislative body's control that prevents members of the public from offering public comments using the call-in option or internet-based service option, the eligible legislative body shall take no further action on items appearing on the meeting agenda until public access to the meeting via the call-in option or internet-based service option is restored. Actions taken on agenda items during a disruption that prevents the eligible legislative body from broadcasting the meeting may be challenged pursuant to Section 54960.1.

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(D) Notwithstanding Section 54953.3, an individual desiring to provide public comment through the use of an internet website, or other online platform, not under the control of the eligible legislative body, that requires registration to log in to a teleconference may be required to register as required by the third-party internet website or online platform to participate.

(E) (i) An eligible legislative body that provides a timed public comment period for each agenda item shall not close the public comment period for the agenda item, or the opportunity to register, pursuant to subparagraph (D), to provide public comment until that timed public comment period has elapsed.

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ITEM	TOPIC	Responsible Person
1	CALL TO ORDER	Jen Montzingo
2	Roll Call	Jen Montzingo
3	Public Comments	
4	Approve Meeting Minutes from <a href="#">February</a> , <a href="#">April</a> and <a href="#">May</a> . We did not have a meeting in January due to the Los Angeles Fires or in June/July due to not making quorum because of the election transitions.	Jen Montzingo
5	Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action: Nominate and appoint committee Chair, Vice Chair and Secretary.	Jen Montzingo
6	Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action: Follow-Up on status of our committee's letter to DONE requesting that their website be updated to include resources and instructions for NCs on how to bring meetings and events into ADA compliance for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing community through the use of SLI/CART.	Jen Montzingo/Maria Sosyan
7	<p>Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action: Update on Lankershim Arts Center's charges for an ASL screening of "Wicked." This would include live ASL interpretation on screen and open captioning. The current proposed charges we received from them are as follows.</p> <p>For one free to the public screening allowing 44 patrons total: \$1,457. For a second same day free to the public screening allowing 88 patrons total: \$1,812. The cost breaks down to \$355 per screening for screening rights and \$1,102 for the crew. This is based on two screenings in one day.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Technical Director (TD): \$36 hourly at 9.5 hours totaling \$342</li> <li>• Master Audio/Sound Board Operator: \$31 hourly at 9.5 hours totaling \$294.50</li> <li>• Carpenter/Stage Hand: \$28 hourly at 9.5 hours totaling \$266</li> <li>• Front of House Coordinator: \$21 hourly at 9.5 hours</li> </ul>	Jorge Aparicio

	<p>totaling \$199.50</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>LABOR SUB-TOTAL \$1,102.00)</i></li> </ul> <p>This would include live ASL interpretation on screen and open captioning which would be provided free-of-charge by the Department of Disability.</p>	
8	<p>Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action: Proposal to CD2 Councilman Adrin Nazarian's office to ask if they would co-host the screening(s) of Wicked with the NoHo Neighborhood Council to off-set the costs.</p> <p><i>CD2 Sponsorship Form: Contact Nikki Ezhari</i>  Nikki.Ezhari@lacity.org  <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScIZRwroU7phe6-7ZRZVZ-fPlxtNTVD0oL2pL35vQbnMzNL7Q/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScIZRwroU7phe6-7ZRZVZ-fPlxtNTVD0oL2pL35vQbnMzNL7Q/viewform</a></p>	Jen Montzingo
9	<p>Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action: Discuss writing an official proposal letter to the Laemmle Theatre to discuss co-hosting screening(s) of Wicked and compare costs. In an informal conversation with a Laemmle employee they stated that they have done extremely reduced rates on similar events for other non-profits and city endeavors including hosting some kind of disability film fest in the past. Their standard charges are linked <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	Jen Montzingo
10	<p>Presentation, Discussion, and Possible Action: Discuss outreach strategies to identify the NoHo senior population's self-identified needs and concerns with the goal of implementing one outreach campaign in the next two months. Large congregation areas of seniors include the North Hollywood Senior Center and B'nai B'rith Golden Years Apartments.</p>	Jen Montzingo
11	Announcements and Closing Comments	Jen Montzingo
13	Meeting Adjourned	

The next NoHo Aging, Disability and Accessibility Ad-Hoc Committee meeting will take place on **Tuesday, September 2nd, 2025 at 6:30pm via Zoom.**

– *Virtual link to follow* –

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