

MVCC Liaison/LADOT/CD11/LAPD Bi-Monthly Traffic Committee Meeting
January 13, 2010 at 10:00 a.m.
Office of Councilman Bill Rosendahl
1645 Corinth Ave., 2nd Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90025

AGENDA

Call to Order and Introductions

Approval of Minutes of November 12, 2009, with correction to last paragraph referring to next meeting date as January 13, **2009** instead of January 13, **2010**.

Old Business - Progress Reports or Further Discussion of Items from November 12th Meeting

Agenda:

1. Update on enforcement of posted truck weight limits on residential streets south of Venice Blvd. [LAPD]
2. Follow-up on locations for oversized and overnight vehicle parking restrictions on residential streets in Mar Vista. [CD11]
3. Update on when the service request to Special Street Services for removal of tree roots and permanent repairs to street, curb and sidewalk at Barry and Sardis Aves. is scheduled to be completed. [CD11]
4. Follow-up report on monitoring and enforcement re: violations of speed limits on Beethoven St. north of Palms Blvd. and on Rose Ave. between Walgrove Ave. and Morningside Way. [LAPD]
5. Report as to whether issuing tickets/warnings, for speeding and wrong-side driving by cut-thru traffic during afternoon commuter hours, has been effective in improving safety on the Clarkson/Barry Ave. curve. [LAPD]
6. Follow-up report on monitoring and enforcement re: speeding and other unsafe driving activity where traffic merges into one lane on McLaughlin Ave. between Palms Blvd. and Woodbine St., and whether policing activities have reduced accidents and/or incidents of careless driving in this block. [LAPD]
7. Follow-up report on whether a requested extension of time for the left-hand turn signal on westbound Venice Blvd. to southbound McLaughlin Ave. could benefit left-turning traffic at times other than during rush-hour, and if the time extension will be approved for those other times. [LADOT]
8. Update on an open request on behalf of homeowner at 11610 Clarkson Rd. for street repairs to correct the obstructed flow of water in the street gutter which creates a stagnant "lake" in front of the home's driveway. [CD11]
9. Follow-up report on monitoring and enforcement re: alley traffic failing to stop before exiting onto Wasatch Ave. in the block between Venice Blvd. and Pacific Ave. [LAPD]
10. Report on a proposed study by the Signal Timing Section on the feasibility of increasing clearance time for pedestrians crossing Barrington Ave. at the Federal Ave. traffic light. [LADOT]
11. Further input on the possibility of expediting of a 6-month-old request for STOP signs at the Inglewood Blvd./Rose Ave. school crossing. [LADOT]
12. Follow-up report on increasing left-turn arrow time from eastbound Venice Blvd. to northbound Sawtelle Blvd. during the a.m. and p.m. commute periods, to allow more vehicles to turn during the green arrow signal light. [LADOT]
13. Update on mitigating extensive property damage and safety problems by removing root-invasive parkway ficus trees and/or their roots located from 3347 to 3369 Redwood Ave., between Morningside Way and Psomas Way. [CD11]

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New Business – Items for Discussion:

1. Complaint from a homeowner on Moore St. re: recent and possibly illegal red painting of curbs on Moore St. from Venice Blvd. to and past the alley located immediately behind businesses on Venice Blvd., resulting in limited parking spaces for homeowners, which often causes parked vehicles to block their driveways.

Public Comment:

Discussion of items not on this Agenda will be had if time permits, or deferred to the next meeting. Speakers are asked to submit a written request for time at the beginning of the meeting, and to limit their presentation to five minutes.

The next Bi-Monthly MVCC/LADOT/CD11/LAPD meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. at 1645 Corinth Ave., Room 201, Los Angeles, CA 90025.