

**Sherman Oaks  
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**Traffic and Transportation  
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### Traffic and Transportation Committee Meeting (Virtual) Agenda July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021, at 8:00 pm

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*The Neighborhood Council system enables meaningful civic participation for all Angelenos and serves as a voice for improving government responsiveness to local communities and their needs. We are an advisory body to the City of Los Angeles, comprised of stakeholder volunteers who are devoted to the mission of improving our communities.*

**I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL**

- a. Call to Order by Chair Avo Babian
- b. Roll Call

**II. ADMINISTRATIVE MOTIONS**

- a. Approval of the Minutes of June Committee Meeting.

**III. COMMENTS BY PUBLIC OFFICIALS**

**IV. CHAIR'S REPORT**

**V. PRESENTATION**

- a. Joel Levin: From Plug in America
  - i. Joel is a leading advocate for electric vehicles, clean energy and effective climate policies. As executive director of Plug In America, he is focused on continuing to build it as the national consumer voice for electric vehicles in the United States. He is chair of the Global EV Drivers' Alliance, which links together EV driver associations around the world. He is also a member of the Los Angeles Metro Sustainability Council. Prior to joining Plug In America, he served as vice president for business development at the Climate Action Reserve, the state-chartered nonprofit that runs North America's largest carbon offset registry. He has an MBA from UC Berkeley and an MA in international economics from the Johns Hopkins University. He drives a Nissan LEAF and mostly charges at home on a Clipper Creek HCS-50 charging station.
  - ii. Plug in America is a **non-profit, supporter-driven advocacy group. We are the voice of plug-in vehicle drivers across the country. Our mission is to drive change to accelerate the shift to plug-in vehicles powered by clean, affordable, domestic electricity to reduce our nation's dependence on petroleum, improve air quality and reduce greenhouse gas emissions**

**VI. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS**

**VII. Traffic COMMITTEE BUSINESS**

- a. Bike Lane ideas: Michael Fishman. Presenting ideas
- b. Parking Improvement Ideas:
- c. Van Nuys Airport:
- d. Hillside Traffic

**VIII. Announcements by Traffic and Transportation Committee members:**  
**IX. ADJOURNMENT**

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