

**Sherman Oaks
Neighborhood Council**

Government Affairs Committee

Lindsay Imber, Chair
Kira Durbin
Howard Katchen
Tom Materna
Stacey Segarra-Bohlinger

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**Government Affairs
Special Meeting**

Minutes

Tuesday, June 30, 2026, 6:30 pm.

Sherman Oaks Library

14245 Moorpark St, Sherman Oaks, CA 91423



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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.

1. Call to Order & Roll Call

- a. Lindsay Imber, Chair, called the meeting to order at **6:43pm.**
- b. Stacey Segarra-Bohlinger called the roll.
 - i. **Present:** Imber, Katchen, Segarra-Bohlinger (3)
 - ii. **Absent:** Durbin, Materna (2)

2. Administrative Motions

Motion to approve the minutes of the May 2026 Gov't Affairs & Bylaws Joint Committee Meeting

MOVED: Imber **SECOND:** Katchen

YES: Imber, Katchen, Segarra-Bohlinger (3)

NO: (0) / ABSTAIN: (0) / ABSENT: Durbin, Materna (2)

Item 2 carries unanimously 3-0-0-2

3. Comments by Elected or Appointed Officials, City Agencies, and Staff - none

4. Comments on Non-Agenda Items Within Committee Jurisdiction

Remarks from members of the public

5. Chair's Report

Updated Neighborhood Council funding program necessitates new finance training for board members

Required to be completed by August 31st, 2026

Training valid for one year, two years after retaken in 2027

Good turnout for Movie in the Park held last Saturday 6/27

Community Interest, Business Seats of SONC are now "At Large"

Effective immediately

6. Committee Business and Discussion

a. Follow-Up: Declaration of Commitment to Representative Government.

Discussion Regarding Neighborhood Council Communication with Nonmunicipal Government.

The following motion was adopted by SONC in August 2025: *The Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council (SONC) joins the Greater Toluca Lake Neighborhood Council (GTLNC) in affirming their "Declaration of Commitment to Representative Government" and remaining true to the conditions and obligations of elected office; SONC objects to any attempt on the part of any Los Angeles City office or agency to interfere with and constrain the collective First Amendment rights of SONC, and to abridge the communication of its resolutions and advocacy to any level of local, county, state or federal government, relevant to and on behalf of its stakeholders under its own authorized, unique, and unambiguous name.*

7. Closing Announcements

Katchen: SONC Board Secretary Needed

Imber suggests board members not currently serving on a committee first considered

8. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned by unanimous consent at 7:23pm

Respectfully submitted

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Stacy", with a large, sweeping loop at the end.