

Committee Members

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Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council Traffic & Transportation Committee Meeting Meeting Minutes

**Nov 30th, 2016
6:30 p.m.**

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Minutes

1. Meeting Called to Order by Avo Babian Chair at 6:34 am
2. Quorum achieved with: Avo Babian, Ron Ziff, Melissa Menard, Leslie Lyndon.
3. Reviewed and approved minutes of Oct meeting: Motion made to approve with 1 change to title from Agenda to Minutes. Seconded and passed.
4. Public comment on non-agenda items.
 - a. Alton Reed pointed out that meeting minutes are not posted on SONC website and Agenda double posted under Agenda and Minutes. Avo to check on Aug/Sept; to post October minutes ASAP.
5. Announcements:
 - a. Open Public meeting on Jan 10th: Regarding Hillside traffic in Sherman Oaks. LADOT, CD4 to be in attendance. Alan Sher wanted to know how people would be informed about the meeting once date is firmly in place. Ron said per Brown Act, the meeting has to be held in Sherman Oaks.
 - b. Van Nuys-Studio City DASH Route changes: Fashion Square to stay on route on Hazeltine. And the part of the route that is on Moorpark will move down to Ventura.
 - c. Measure M: What it's going to mean for Sherman Oaks. Re: Sepulveda Pass Project
6. Discussion Items:
 - a. New DASH Route:
 - i) Ways to increase ridership. Increase awareness and promote local businesses: asking business to post flyers; street signage that shows routes; light pole banners. Question asked about TAP card expiration. Ron Ziff will look into it.
 - ii) No Different Route ideas.
 - b. New Bike Lane ideas:
 - i) Along LA River on north side, Hazeltine to Woodman stretch
 - ii) Mulholland north side
 - iii) Valley Vista - especially between Ventura and Beverly Glen
 - iv) Sepulveda (if not already in existence there)
 - c. Solutions to car Traffic in Sherman Oaks:
 - i) Ventura and Hazeltine light: Will ask LADOT if timing/synchronization needs to be changed
7. Action Items:

- a. a. Motion made, seconded by Melissa and passed to support changes to Dash Route of Van Nuys-Studio City Dash. Passed Unanimously: 4-0-0
 - b. Motion made, seconded and passed to bring to the board an explanation of what the DASH is, what the changes are, how to increase ridership, how to promote awareness and support by local businesses. Passed Unanimously: 4-0-0
 - c. Motion made, seconded and passed to support additional funding for signals and crosswalks for Lemona and Ventura and Calhoun and Ventura, and to oppose additional funding for Columbus and Ventura. Passed Unanimously: 4-0-0
More info: Crosswalks/lights to be "on demand" with exception of Fri/Sat when will work without button needing to be pushed.
8. New Business – Open to bring up new business that they would like the committee to consider.
 - a. Suggestions - how to deal with hillside traffic in afternoons and finding out if city can use noise canceling paving
 9. Announcements: Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council Board Meeting in Dec 12th
 10. Next Meeting – We will go dark.
 - a. Agreed to forgo December T&T Meeting. January meeting to be scheduled once the Open Public Meeting for Traffic Relief in the Sherman Oaks Hillside date is set.
 11. Adjourn at 7:45 pm