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**ARROYO SECO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL (ASNC)**

**Joint Meeting of the Board of Directors with  
the Communications & Outreach and  
Education, Family & Culture Committees**

**AGENDA**

**Wednesday October 6, 2021 7:00 pm**

Chairs: Outreach Teresa Bonsell • Education Lynda Valencia

**Zoom Meeting Online or By Telephone**

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Every person wishing to address the Committees must dial (669) 900 6833, and enter 898 9624 9369 and then press # to join the meeting. Instructions on how to sign up for public comment will be given to listeners at the start of the meeting.

**PUBLIC INPUT AT NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETINGS** The public is requested dial \*9, when prompted by the presiding officer, to address the Committees on any agenda item before the Committee 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 Committees' 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 two minutes per speaker, unless adjusted by the presiding officer of the Board.

*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 AND ROLL CALL 7:00PM (1 min.)** ASNC President Nicholas Manalo. This Joint Board and Communications & Outreach Committee and the Arroyo Seco Neighborhood Council Board Meeting has been called in an abundance of caution to satisfy the Ralph M. Brown Act. The Committee is a standing committees of the ASNC and is advisory in nature to the Board. Any decisions made at this joint meeting are not considered Board actions and shall go back as recommendations to the ASNC Board for a final vote at a regular or special Board meeting.
- 2. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT** The public may provide comments to the board on nonagenda items within the Neighborhood Council's subject matter jurisdiction. However, please note that under the Brown Act, the board is prevented from acting on the issue you bring to its attention until the matter is agendized for discussion at a future public meeting. (Limited to 2 minutes per speaker.)
- 6. EDUCATION, FAMILY & CULTURE COMMITTEE 7:05pm CALL TO ORDER** Lynda Valencia
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- 8. NEW BUSINESS**
  - Discussion about the deterioration of the Casa de Adobe and what can be done to prompt the Autry to address it. The Casa is located at 4605 N Figueroa St, Los Angeles, CA 90065, across from Sycamore Grove Park. It is Los Angeles Historic Cultural Monument #493 and as such a historic and cultural resource of our community. <https://www.kcet.org/shows/departures/casa-de-adobe>
  - Adjournment of Education, Family & Culture Committee.
- 9. COMMUNICATIONS & OUTREACH COMMITTEE 7:20pm CALL TO ORDER** 2nd Vice President Teresa Bonsell
- 10. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT** The public may provide comments to the board on nonagenda items within the Neighborhood Council's subject matter jurisdiction. However, please note that under the Brown Act, the board is prevented from acting on the issue you bring to its attention until the matter is agendized for discussion at a future public meeting. (Limited to 2 minutes per speaker.)
- 11. NEW BUSINESS**
  - Discussion and planning: about operating an announcer booth at the Northeast LA Holiday Parade on Figueroa from Avenue 60 to Sycamore Grove Park in early December. Request for Outreach funds needed for holiday decorations not to exceed \$150.00
  - Request for \$300 in Outreach funds for holiday gift bags to give the children at the Ramona Hall Holiday celebration, if the City permits the event.
  - Discussion of town halls related to the upcoming elections in 2022.
  - Discussion of clean up events in collaboration with the Audubon Center directed at habitat restoration, including weeding, mulching, and planting.
  - Discussion of future events either in person or online

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e. **Adjournment** of Communications & Outreach Committee

**12. ADJOURNMENT OF THE BOARD MEETING - NEXT MEETING: Wednesday October 6, 2021**

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