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**ARROYO SECO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL (ASNC)**

**Sustainability & Resiliency Committee Agenda**

**Tuesday January 4, 2022 7:00 pm**

**Chair Lucia Fabio**

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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** Chair Lucia Fabio
- 2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES** for December 7, 2021.
- 3. ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- 4. LA ZOO VISION PLAN** Review letter in opposition of the current Los Angeles Zoo Vision Plan and in support of Alternative 1 of LA Zoo Expansion. <https://www.asnc.us/committees-2022/Sus/LAZOO.pdf>  
Council File 21-0828 <https://bit.ly/2XUdbdQ> and <https://bit.ly/3mnOhNa>
- 5. GREEN NEW DEAL- NC TOOLKIT** Plant California Friendly Landscaping in Your Neighborhood.  
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- 6. 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 agendaized for discussion at a future public meeting. (Limited to 2 minutes per speaker.)
- 7. ADJOURNMENT • NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, February 1, 2021**

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