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**SYLMAR NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL PLANNING &
LAND USE COMMITTEE – SPECIAL AGENDA**

Wednesday, March 9, 2016 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm

El Cariso Park Community Room, 13100 Hubbard St. Sylmar, CA 91342

Peter Postlmayr, Chairperson

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1. **Call to Order** (1)
2. **Roll Call** (1)
3. **Housekeeping:** Sign-in Sheets, Speaker Cards for public comments, Recording and Timekeeper, facilities information. (2)
4. **Public Comment** on matters not appearing on the agenda. (10)
5. **Discussion and possible action** to approve Meeting Minutes of February 10th, 2016 Planning & Land Use Committee Meeting. (3)
6. **Public Official and Community Representative Announcements & Presentations** followed by Public Announcements (5)
 - a. Questions / Comments About Announcements from Committee Members and Public
7. **Presentation, Discussion and Possible Action** 13267 W. Foothill Blvd – Williams Homes, Ben Rocca Case Number ZA-2006-2596-ZV-YV-ZAA-ZAD-SPR-PA1. Proposed Construction of Retaining Walls at the Western and Eastern Boundaries of the subject property. The Walls are designed not to exceed 11.5 feet in height and are necessary to stabilize the existing slope which as graded per the approved grading plan.
8. **Discussion and Possible Action** – 12411 N Bromont Avenue (by Pacoima Wash Culvert and Home Depot and boarding City of San Fernando), 4-Lot Parcel Map with Private Street, PMLA-Parcel Map and CE-Categorical Exemption. Presentation by Robert Lamishaw, with JPL Zoning Services.

- 9. Discussion and Possible Action** – The matter of locating a Dog Park in Sylmar was requested to be put on the agenda for discussion. Suggested locations included Fenton and Maclay; Veterans Park; and Fenton and Astoria.
- 10. Discussion and Possible Action** – The matter of locating a Skate Board Park in Sylmar was requested to be put on the agenda for discussion.
- 11. Update** - 13710 W Foothill (Sylmar Square – Behind Post Office) AA-2015-3809-COC New 4 Story 42 Unit Apartment Building – Grading, site walls and temp shoring permits issues 8-11-15. Applicant Postponed Presentation Until April Meeting
- 12. Update and Discussion - Small Lot Ordinance City Proposed Amendment** Due to the overwhelming number of comments provided to the City and multiple requests to extend the comment submission deadline, the Department of City Planning will be postponing the presentation of the SLS Amendment to the City Planning Commission, which was tentatively scheduled for Thursday, March 24, 2016. A new City Planning Commission meeting date for this item will be announced in the near future.
- We welcome further comments and questions about the SLS Amendment for the public record. Please direct your correspondence to Jane Choi (jane.choi@lacity.org) or May Sirinopwongsagon (may.sirinopwongsagon@lacity.org).
- Also, the display materials from our Open House/Public Hearing Meetings are now available on our website. They can be found at:
<http://planning.lacity.org/ordinances/docs/smalllot/OpenHouseBoards.pdf> (10)
- 13. Reporting on Status of Projects** previously presented to the Committee, and voted on by the Board. (10)
- 14. Committee Member Comments** on subject matters within the Committee’s jurisdiction. (5)
- 15. Future Agenda Items:** Please e-mail the PLUC Chair at Peter.Postlmayr@SylmarNC.org by the first of the month for that months’ meeting. (1)
- 16. Closing Remarks, Announcements, Acknowledgements and Adjournment** (1)

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