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OPNC Youth Pulse – Gracious Williams  
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**OLYMPIC PARK NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS REGULAR MEETING  
March 07, 2016- 7:00 PM**

**LOCATION: Legal Aid Foundation, 1102 Crenshaw Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90019**

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call** - Reminder: By-Laws excused and non-excused absences
3. **Moment of Reflection** – Reading of Commendation Letter for Estelle Roberts
4. **Reports of City Officials/City Departments and Agencies [5 - min/ per]**
5. **Public Comments [2- min]:** Stakeholders comments on Non- agenda items. All speakers will be allowed to speak.
6. **Approval of prior Month Minutes (Oct – Dec 015 & Feb 2016)**
7. **Chairperson Comments** – (Laura Rudison): **Tentative Board Action:**
  - a. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered

**Public Comments [2- min]:** Stakeholders comments on Agenda items. All speakers will be allowed to speak, “prior to each Committee Report.

**8. OPNC Committee Reports: [15- min per]**

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➤ **Secretary Report:** - (Sung Jik Park): **Tentative Board Action:**

- a. Secretarial highlights and updates – OPNC Board Retreat
- b. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered

➤ **Treasurer’s Report** - (Faalaniga Smith): **Tentative Board Action:**

- c. Prior Monthly Report (Recap Summary)
- d. Current Monthly Report (Recap Summary)
- e. DONE Monthly Expenditure Report (“MERS”)
- f. Board Member Reimbursement Expenditures – Bonnie, Laura, Nina

- g. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered
- **Outreach & Rules - Elections Committee Report** (Bonnie Strong) - **Tentative Board Action:**
  - a. Committee highlights and updates
  - b. (Gracious Williams) Youth Pulse “outreach” update
  - c. OPNC Board “Administrative Supplies/Tools”
  - d. New/larger Public Storage Unit needed for OPNC (increased cost)
  - e. Issue re USPS Renewal (P.O. Box) forwarded to City Attorney for handling
  - f. Board Of Commissioners require Code-Of-Conduct Video Certification, eff 03/01/16
  - g. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered
- **Elections Committee Report** - (Theodore Smith) - **Tentative Board Action:**
  - a. Committee highlights and updates - Voting on May 05, 2016
  - b. Candidates MUST fill out “Candidates Form” by March 07,2016 – Empolwerla.org
  - c. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered
- **Environmental & Health Services** – (Skye Kelly) - **Tentative Board Action**
  - a. Committee highlights and updates
  - b. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered
- **PLUM** (Theodore Smith/ L. Rudison) – **Tentative Board Action:**
  - a. PLUM will be holding a “JOINT BOARD MEETING” with Outreach & Elections until further notice. Next Meeting March 10,2016, 7p.m. LAPD Community Room. 4861 Venice Blvd.
  - b. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered
- **Trade, Commerce, Technology & Public Works** (Laura Rudison) **Tentative Board Action:**
  - a. Committee highlights and updates
  - b. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered
- **Transportation & Public Safety** (Gerry Pass) - **Tentative Board Action:**
  - a. Committee highlights and updates
  - b. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered
- **Utility Services** (Gerardo Pinedo) - **Tentative Board Action:**
  - a. Committee highlights and updates
  - b. Miscellaneous Other item(s) not yet covered

## **ONGOING BUSINESS:**

- 9. **New Candidates for the OPNC Board: Tentative Board Action [5- Min]:** Selection of new Board Members (Motions by the Board).
- 10. **Miscellaneous Other Item(s) not yet covered**

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 11. **New Item: Discussion & Tentative Board Action [5- Min]:**
  - a. (Theodore Smith) – Recommendation to send letter to Council Office seeking family friendly restaurant such as a Chili's or Olive Garden to add to the diversity of the community and build on the new housing and expansion of Midtown Crossing

- b. **Resignation(s) and Acceptance:** Rossana Cambron has resigned due to medical challenges she now faces with her family. OPNC accepts Ms. Cambron resignation and thank her for her services to OPNC.
- c. **Miscellaneous Other Item(s) not yet covered**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS & ADJOURNMENT**

### **12. Announcements & Introductions: [2- min]** Stakeholders announcements on non-agenda items. All speakers will be allowed to speak

- a. ***Helping our neighbor Estelle Roberts.*** If you would like to pay your respects and *Get Well Wishes* to Estelle, a card and a love-gift would be most appreciative to help defray mounting medical bills. Estelle is gravely ill; this call is of the utmost urgency. Her sister Donzella, will probably answer the door - Estelle's address: 1203 Hudson Ave, 90019. Any questions, contact Joyce White, (323) 889-9728, Block Captain.
- b.
- c.

### **a. Adjournment Motion & Time**

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