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**DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
LIVABILITY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA**

**Los Angeles Central Library, Meeting Room A
630 W 5th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90071**

Thursday, March 14, 2024 - 6:30 PM

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1. Call to Order / Roll Call **6:44PM**

Debby Zhou (Chair)	P		
Melynda Choothesa	P		
Victor Robert	P		
Leonel Aguilar	P		
Reeyan Raynes	P		
Bryan Paz	A		

2. General Public Comment - The public is requested to dial *9, when prompted by the presiding officer, to address the Board on any agenda item before the Board 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

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3. Chair's Welcome
4. Approval of minutes for [01/11/24](#) meeting
RR motioned to approve, LA seconded.
Y (5), N (0), Absent (1)
5. Emergency Preparedness and Public Works update
Update: Meeting with LAFD Deputy Chief Fields, CD14, BIDs, and Hazmat regarding warehouse fires in DTLA.
LAFD will be conducting windshield surveys to problem areas.
6. Old Business (All items for discussion and possible action)
 - a. Spring Street Park working group
CD14 said HC BID was working to rebuild the mound.
7. New Business (All items for discussion and possible action)
 - a. South Grand Ave. [SuperBlock](#)
Presentation by John Nilsson, on behalf of SPNA.
Proposal is for closure of 3 blocks on Grand, from Olympic to Pico, for a one-year pilot program. Meeting pending with CD14 – Nate Hayward, Christopher Antonelli.
Committee member comments:
Challenge of regulating alleyways becoming primary vehicular avenues. Need two-way access.
Programming to activate the streets, suggest to work with SPBID, CD14 to program activities, vendors.
 - b. Mobile camera system for 5th/Broadway
There is still lingering criminal activity since the red curbs were painted 6 weeks ago.
Cameras are supplied by the BIDs.
RR suggests talking to Sgt Helper. NC members can attend CPAB and participate on the board.
 - c. Submission of a CIS on CF [24-0206](#): Burnt-Frame RVs / Public Right-of-Way / Remediation Prioritization Protocol
RR motioned to submit in support, MC seconded.
Y (5), N (0), Absent (1)

- d. Submission of a CIS on CF [24-0114-S2](#): 1101 South Flower Street / Oceanwide Plaza / Nuisance Abatement / Imminent Extreme Hazard / Private Security / Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) / Amendment

No action taken

- e. Submission of a CIS on CF [23-0792-S3](#): 1256 West 7th Street / Mayfair Hotel / Clean Team

DZ motioned to submit in support, RR seconded.

Y (5), N (0), Absent (1)

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9. Committee member announcements

Next Meeting: April 11, 2024

Adjourn **7:57PM**

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