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**GREATER WILSHIRE  
NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL**

Special Meeting Agenda  
2019 GWNC Candidate Information Session  
Saturday February 16, 2019  
1:00pm – 3:00pm  
Hope Lutheran Church – Multipurpose Room  
6720 Melrose Ave #1  
Los Angeles, CA 90038

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The Neighborhood Council system enables civic participation for all Angelenos and serves as a voice for improving government responsiveness to local communities and their needs. We are an elected advisory body to the City of Los Angeles, made up of volunteer stakeholders who are devoted to the mission of improving our communities and bringing government closer to us.

**I. WELCOMING REMARKS: (5 minutes)**

**A. Call to order (Max Kirkham)**

**II. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS (10 minutes)**

Those wishing to speak during general public comment are asked to complete a speaker card and submit it to the board administrator, or the Secretary, prior to the start of the meeting. All are welcome, but time allotted may be limited at the discretion of the chairperson.

**III. CANDIDATE INFORMATION SESSION (100 minutes)**

A. This session will be an opportunity to equip the 2019 GWNC candidates with the best, most accurate information possible. Once completed, candidates will be better equipped to represent themselves, as well as the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council, as they go into the community on their campaigns.

B. The following topics will be discussed and materials will be distributed to all candidates

- General Information about the Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council
- General Information about the Neighborhood Council system
- Voter qualifications and documentation requirements

C. Finally, there will be a discussion about campaign best practices around door knocking, canvassing, and speaking with stakeholders.

**IV. CLOSING REMARKS (Max Kirkham) (5 minutes)**

## V. ADJOURNMENT

### A. Upcoming GWNC Board Meeting

Next GWNC Board Meeting will be held at 7:00pm on Wednesday, March 13, 2019 at The Ebell of Los Angeles, 743 S. Lucerne Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90005.

Time allocations for agenda items are approximate and may be shortened or lengthened at the discretion of the Chairperson.

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Comments from the public on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Board’s 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.

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- Our Facebook page (<http://www.facebook.com/greaterwilshireneighborhoodcouncil>)
- Our Twitter feed (<http://www.twitter.com/greaterwilshire>)
- NextDoor.com
- The community bulletin board at the Bricks & Scones Café, 403 N. Larchmont Blvd., 90004
- Via e-mail (send a subscription request to [admin@greaterwilshire.org](mailto:admin@greaterwilshire.org) or subscribe at [www.greaterwilshire.org](http://www.greaterwilshire.org))
- Via the L.A. City Early Notification System at <https://www.lacity.org/your-government/government-information/subscribe-other-meetings-agendas-and-documents/neighborhood-councils>.

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