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 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.

1. **WELCOMING REMARKS:**
   Call to order: Joe Hoffman called the meeting to order at 9:10 am. Committee members in attendance: Joe Hoffman, Colette Amin; and guests Patty Lombard, Diane Dickstein, and Shirlee Fuqua, GWNC Contract Administrator.

2. **ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS**
   Review and adoption of: January 30, 2016 and February 27, 2016 minutes; tabled due to a lack of quorum.

3. **OLD BUSINESS**
   a. **Citizen Recognition Awards:**
      Nominations. Diane Dickstein raised the names of several of her neighbors. She will provide more information on each suggestion for the committee to consider.
   
   b. **GWNC Elections: Outreach Budget, Deadlines and Updates**
      Colette Amin reported that she needed more help from the Outreach Committee. She needs volunteers to distribute flyers and display (38) lawn signs. She plans to distribute signs at candidate’s forum and will give signs and flyers only to candidates. Colette will notify the candidates by email to offer them to candidates first. The election is May 1. Discussion about how to explain boundaries to poll workers. Four paid poll workers at the election including Ivan Spiegel. Two additional paid workers will be recruited by GWNC.

The Candidate’s “Meet and Greet” is Sunday, April 3 at 2 pm at Robert Burns Park at 4900 Beverly Blvd, 2pm - 4pm. Colette is working on getting a moderator. Candidates will be announced and given a few minutes to speak then follow up with a meet and greet opportunity. She has rented 50 chairs from Family Party Rentals and has tables to check in people who attend. May not have power to have a run a mike but we should
find a portable one. Joe will contact the council offices. A volunteer is needed to get water and refreshments and table cloths.

c. **Larchmont Buzz Sponsored Posts follow-up**

Joe asked for assistance writing up the history of the GWNC

4. **Meeting Adjourned at 10:15 am.**

5. **Next meeting, April 30, 9:00 a.m.**

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