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PALMS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

**Joint Board and Green Committee Meeting Agenda**

**Tuesday March 9th – 6:00 p.m.**

**Zoom Meeting Online at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/91829897506>**

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- I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL**
- II. ANNOUNCEMENTS**
  - a. Call for Green Committee Members
  - b. **Motion:** To approve [New Committee Community Standards and Ground Rules](#)
- III. INTRODUCTIONS (10 Minutes)**
- IV. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT (5 minutes)**
- V. COMMITTEE UPDATES (10 minutes)**
  - a. NC Green Biz
  - b. NCSA
  - c. Tree planting initiatives
  - d. Dog Waste stations
  - e. Kids Recycled Art Projects
  - f. Citizen Science Programs
    - Water Trust Education
    - LADWP
    - Share [Mayor's Green New Deal](#) Toolkit
- VI. NEW PROJECTS/BUSINESS (30 min)**
  - a. Earth Day Ideas
  - b. Powerlines on Overland
  - c. Post Office Planter Box Beautification
  - d. Community Garden; Project Coordination with Girl Scouts
    - Update on conversation with Mae Gates from Assemblymember Kamlagers Office

- Jamiah's ([Crop Swap](#)) vertical gardens (post photos)
- VII. MOTION:** To authorize the Palms NC to submit the following CIS in favor of City Council File [CF 20-1150](#), relative to requesting the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power to report back on the existence of any leaks at any of its power plants or throughout its operations of any greenhouse gas and/or toxic emissions. The NCSA fact sheet with more background can be found [here](#).
- “City residents should be able to trust that they are being informed of emissions leaks from LADWP that reduce air quality and contribute to climate change. With the passage of this motion, we can hope to be better informed going forward.”*
- VIII. RECAP OF NEXT STEPS AND TIMELINE** (10 min)
- IX. Adjournment:**

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