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**PALMS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL**

**Special Meeting - Racial & Social Justice Committee Meeting Agenda**  
**Thursday, March 23, 2022 – 6:30 p.m.**

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- I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL**
  - a. Meeting Recorded
  - b. Call to Order
  - c. Roll Call
  - d. Introductions
- II. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT**
- III. COMMITTEE BUSINESS - ADMINISTRATIVE**
  - a. Discussion and possible action: **Committee membership and appointments**
  - b. **Committee Chair Position Opening**
  - c. **Return to in-person Neighborhood Council meetings**
- IV. COMMITTEE BUSINESS**
  - a. Discussion/debrief: Board decisions on RSJ's CISs earlier this month

- b. Discussion and possible action: **Community Impact Statements (CISs)**
- c. Committee member to select CIS(s) for next meeting
  - i. View process and deadline in [CIS Process & Resources document](#)
  - ii. CIS(s) due the Friday at noon before the third Thursday of the month to Chair

**V. RECAP: ACTION AND NEXT STEPS**

- a. Suggestions for future agenda items
  - i. Due the Friday at noon before the third Thursday of the month to Chair
- b. Confirmation of next meeting: April 20, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in-person (?)

**VI. ADJOURNMENT**

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