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Palms Neighborhood Council Homelessness Advocacy & Public Service Committee

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SPECIAL Joint Board AND Homeless Advocacy & Public Service Committee Meeting Agenda Monday, July 24th, 2023 – 7:00 pm Fire Station 43 - 3690 Motor Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90034

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I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

- a. Call to Order
- b. Roll Call
- c. Introductions
- II. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT
- III. COMMITTEE REPORTS

IV. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

- **a. Discussion and Possible Action:** How to apply to be on the committee & requests for appointment
- b. Discussion and Possible Action: Committee Secretary Self-Nominations
- c. **Discussion and Possible Action:** Community Day 2024 How HAPS will participate
- d. Discussion and Possible Action: Food Box Event Discussion
- e. **Discussion and Possible Action:** New Project Requests
- f. Discussion and Possible Action: Homeless Encampment on Overland Ave
 - 1) Letter to CM Yaroslavsky https://tinyurl.com/3jbnresf
 - 2) Letter to Mar Vista Community Council https://tinyurl.com/48sr25zm
 - 3) Letter to WRAC https://tinyurl.com/4v9resed
- g. **Discussion and Possible Action:** What should the future of the committee be?
 - 1) MOTION: Should this committee become the "Public Advocacy Committee" and advocate for the public service/volunteering, homelessness, renter's rights, & racial and social justice?

V. Adjournment

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