



## City of Los Angeles-Department of Recreation and Parks

### Lemon Grove Recreation Center PARK ADVISORY BOARD

Thursday, February 27th, 2025, 7:00pm

Lemon Grove Auditorium  
4959 Lemon Grove Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90029

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Rocio Elorza, BOARD MEMBER  
Raquel Diaz, BOARD MEMBER  
Miriam Velasquez, BOARD MEMBER  
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#### 1. **CALL TO ORDER**

- Roll Call

#### 2. **APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

- Approval of Minutes

#### 3. **SPECIAL GUESTS**

- Comments from City, County, State, or Federal representatives in attendance
- Update from Senior Lead Officer (Jesse Rubicava)

#### 4. **GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT**

#### 5. **MATTERS UNDER BOARD CONSIDERATION**

1. Board Positions (Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary) Next Meeting Elections!
2. Increasing board to 7 people instead of 4
3. Adding one teen to board (Update on Teens)

#### 6. **INFORMATIONAL REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS**

1. Staff Reports
2. Winter Classes and Programs
  - a) Sports (38)

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- b) Winter Classes and Clinics (140)
- 3. Current Sports Programs Registration
  - i. Spring Baseball/Softball (Ages 4-15)
- 4. Current Classes/Clinics Programs
  - i. Karate/ Taekwondo / Basketball / Futsal
  - ii. Enrich LA (formerly LA Kids) Painting/Drawing (Any other ideas)
  - iii. Cultural Classes (Piano Full)
  - iv. New Classes (Cheer Clinic (need a new instructor) & Boxing kids & adults)
- c) Upcoming Events
  - i. Opening Day and Spring Festival
  - ii. Date: Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup>- Opening Day 9am-10:30am
  - iii. Spring Festival-12pm-4pm
    - a) Volunteers anyone here open to volunteering at our Park Booth?)
    - b) Sponsors (HUB, El Centro De Pueblo, NHC, Costco, Council District 13)
- 5. Things we have accomplished
  - i. Sent Brochures to schools for awareness
  - ii. Starting to hire Summer
  - iii. Created an email list of 400 people+
  - iv. Held a meeting with CD13 and Planning Committee (Update is construction needs to come out and assess the location)
  - v. Received 2k in funding from the NHC for Halloween (Hoping to get support for Springfest)
  - vi. Met with CD13 to create partnership and goals to work toward (Hoping to receive funding support from CD13)
- 6. Goals for the Park
  - a) Increase overall awareness of all park programs and events
  - b) Increase Volunteers in all areas: sports, classes, events etc...
  - c) Hire talented and enthusiastic staff in the areas of sports and camp
  - d) Establish and build relationships and partnerships with local businesses, non-profits and agencies that could benefit the park
  - e) Create younger offerings Ages 3-6 (Sports/Class/Clinics)
  - f) Bring in some type of Adult/Senior Programs to the park

## 7. **BOARD BUSINESS**

Requests by Board Members to Schedule Specific Future Agenda Items (besides the ones listed on matters)

## 8. **NEXT MEETING**

The next Regular Meeting of the [Lemon Grove Recreation PARK ADVISORY BOARD] is scheduled to be held on Thursday, March 28th at the Lemon Grove Recreation Center (4959 Lemon Grove Ave. Los Angeles CA 90029)

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**9. ADJOURNMENT**

*PUBLIC COMMENT*

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