AGENDA
BOARD OF RECREATION AND PARK COMMISSIONERS
OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES

Wednesday, January 21, 2009 at 5:30 p.m.

Studio City Recreation Center
12621 Rye Street, Studio City, CA 91604

EVERY PERSON WISHING TO ADDRESS THE COMMISSION MUST COMPLETE A SPEAKER’S REQUEST FORM AT THE MEETING AND SUBMIT IT TO THE COMMISSION EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT PRIOR TO THE BOARD’S CONSIDERATION OF THE ITEM.

PURSUANT TO COMMISSION POLICY, COMMENTS BY THE PUBLIC ON AGENDA ITEMS WILL BE HEARD ONLY AT THE TIME THE RESPECTIVE ITEM IS CONSIDERED, FOR A CUMULATIVE TOTAL OF UP TO FIFTEEN (15) MINUTES FOR EACH ITEM. ALL REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON PUBLIC HEARING ITEMS MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO THE BOARD’S CONSIDERATION OF THE ITEM. COMMENTS BY THE PUBLIC ON ALL OTHER MATTERS WITHIN THE SUBJECT MATTER JURISDICTION OF THE BOARD WILL BE HEARD DURING THE “PUBLIC COMMENTS” PERIOD OF THE MEETING. EACH SPEAKER WILL BE GRANTED TWO MINUTES, WITH FIFTEEN (15) MINUTES TOTAL ALLOWED FOR PUBLIC PRESENTATION.

1. INTRODUCTIONS:

   Special Introduction and Opening Remarks by Councilmember Wendy Gruel, Council District 2, or Her Appointed Representative

   Kevin Regan, Assistant General Manager, Operations West, will Introduce Studio City Recreation Center Staff

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

   Approval of the Minutes of the Meetings of January 7, 2009 and January 14, 2009

3. COLISEUM COMMISSION - STATUS UPDATE

4. GENERAL MANAGER’S REPORTS:

   09-009 Seoul International Recreation Center - Americans with Disabilities Act Phase II Improvements (W.O.#E1903926F) - Memorandum of Understanding Between the Department of Recreation and Parks, the Bureau of Engineering, and the Department of General Services

   09-010 Lafayette Park - Recognition Plaque Acknowledging a Gift from the Rob Dyrek/DC Shoes Skate Plaza Foundation Consisting of the Construction of a Street Style Skate Plaza

   09-011 Blythe Street Park - Proposed Re-Naming of Park as Andres and Maria Cárdenas Recreation Center and Installation of Appropriate Park Signage

   09-012 Pershing Square Parking Garage - Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2008-2009
January 21, 2009

09-013 Senior Citizen Social Services Program - Authorization to Allow Community Partners in Care to Conduct Study on Depression

09-014 Operations East - Central Recreation Center - Donation from Westcoast Sports Associates

09-015 Operations East - William Nickerson Recreation Center - Donation from the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles

09-016 Various Communications

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

09-003 South Los Angeles Wetlands Park - Acquisition and Revised Development of the Nine Acre Parcel at 5413 South Avalon Boulevard; Purchase and Sale Agreement and Lease Agreement with the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

6. COMMISSION TASK FORCES:

- Commission Task Force on Concessions (Commissioners Spelling and Williams)
- Commission Task Force on Facility Repair and Maintenance (Commissioners Casillas and Sánchez)

7. SPECIAL PRESENTATION:

Proposed Partnership Plan - by the Department's Partnership Committee

8. GENERAL MANAGER’S ORAL REPORT:

Report on Department Activities and Facilities

9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

Requests by Commissioners to Schedule Specific Items on Future Agendas

10. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Any comments which require a response or report by staff will be automatically referred to staff for a report at some subsequent meeting.

11. NEXT MEETING:

The next scheduled meeting of the Board of Recreation and Park Commissioners will be held on Wednesday, February 4, 2009 at 9:30 a.m., at EXPO Center, 3980 S. Menlo Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90037.
12. **ADJOURNMENT:**

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Matters Pending will be carried for a maximum of six months, after which time they will be deemed withdrawn and rescheduled whenever a new staff report is received.

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**BIDS TO BE RECEIVED:**

- TBD Tommy Lasorda Field of Dreams - Service Building (W.O.#RP-897003)
- 01/27/09 Elysian Park - Riverside Park Outdoor Development - (Phase I) (#1234A)(W.O.#E1906090)
- 01/27/09 Stoner Skate Plaza (#1204B)

**PROPOSALS TO BE RECEIVED:**

- TBA Cheviot Hills Recreation Center - Tennis Professional Concession
- TBA Film Production Instruction (CLASS Parks)