

West Hollywood West

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RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

Update



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where neighborhood matters!**

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The next WHWRA regular meeting is scheduled for the evening of **Wednesday, July 14th at 7:00 PM**. See below for details. Our guest will be Captain Kelley Fraser, the new person in charge at the West Hollywood Sheriff's Station!

Captain Kelly Fraser has been named as the new West Hollywood Sheriff's Captain at the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department's West Hollywood Station. Captain Fraser has more than 24 years of experience with the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

Her prior work experience includes serving as a Lieutenant for the Emergency Operations Bureau of the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department's Office of Homeland Security Division, and a Lieutenant at the Temple Station. She also served as a Sergeant for the Emergency Operations Bureau where she was assigned to the Tactical Planning Unit. Captain Fraser also has background experience with tactical planning, emergency response, county-wide special events, and county-wide mutual aid.

We look forward to meeting Captain Fraser on July 14th. If you have questions about our Sheriff's department or any public safety concerns, you won't want to miss this meeting!

Did you know... There has been an increase in coyote sightings in the West Hollywood, Hollywood Hills and Beverly Hills areas. In order to reduce the potential danger attributed to the presence of coyotes, residents are encouraged to reduce what these animals are seeking, which is primarily food and water. Residents should also keep unsupervised pets indoors and not let them roam unsupervised.

The following are recommendations regarding precautionary measures to help reduce the presence of coyotes:

- * Keep all animal and pet food & water dishes indoors at all times;
- * Keep trash cans and containers covered and secured at all times;
- * Keep cats indoors at all times unless supervised; and
- * Keep dogs and other family pets indoors at all times, unless supervised.

For more info, call Helen Collins, City of West Hollywood, at (323) 848-6895.

NEXT WHWRA MEETING :
Wednesday, July 14 at 7:00 PM
West Hollywood Sheriff's Station
Community/Briefing Room
780 N. San Vicente Boulevard
Between Melrose and Santa Monica Blvd.

**Limited parking at Sheriff's lot or
street parking on Melrose or San Vicente
(NOTE: WeHo Park is under construction)**

U & I... UPDATES AND ISSUES

NMS Project/375 LUXE (La Cienega)

An appeal of the "375 Luxe" project on La Cienega (old Acapulco site) will be heard by LA's City Planning Commission on Thursday, July 8 at 8:30 AM or later at City Hall (City of Los Angeles), Room 1010, 200 North Spring Street, Los Angeles CA 90012. Our main concerns: the infrastructure is not in place to support the project as currently proposed, the availability of water, public transportation, public services, etc., are limited and inadequate for a project of this size, public safety issues relative to the location, and incompatibility, in terms of size and scale, with the surrounding West Hollywood neighborhood, which is a Neighborhood Conservation Overlay District.

General Plan Draft and Draft Environmental Impact Report

The Draft General Plan 2035, Draft Environmental Impact Report ("DEIR") and Draft Climate Action Plan were released on June 25th. These documents will be available for public review and comment through early August. Public hearings with the Planning Commission and City Council will take place this fall. [The Draft Climate Action Plan "offers a toolkit of policies and actions by which residents, businesses, and City government can continue to be leaders in environmental sustainability and collectively lessen our impact on the environment."]

A community meeting to learn about the Draft General Plan and Draft Climate Action Plan will be held on July 10, 2010 from 10 AM to noon at the West Hollywood Park Auditorium.

City of West Hollywood City Council Votes On Sewer Service Rate Increase

The City Council voted for "Alternative B" -- that is, to raise the sewer service charge incrementally over a 3-year period, rather than raise the annual sewer service charge for fiscal year 2010-11 by 75%. For more details, contact the City's Public Works department at (323) 848-6400.

Had A Flat Tire?

A number of residents (15 to 20) woke up to flat tires last week (week of June 21). Tires were purposely and maliciously slashed throughout the neighborhood. If it happened to you, call the Sheriffs and file a report - (310) 855-8850.

As you may already be aware, West Hollywood West Residents Association is working to increase member participation and funds. Here's one way you can help. Please contribute to WHWRA.

WEST HOLLYWOOD WEST RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION & DONATION FORM

Yes, I want to donate to WHWRA and support its efforts on behalf of our neighborhood. My tax-deductible check is enclosed.

\$ 100.00

\$ 50.00

\$ 25.00

\$ 5.00

\$ 1000.00

\$ 500.00

\$ 250.00

Other: \$ _____.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone (optional): _____

Email address for updates and alerts: _____

If you do not want your phone number or address released to WHWRA committees, please check here ().

**WHWRA is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation.
Your membership dues and any additional donations are tax deductible.**

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