WESTWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
LAND USE AND PLANNING COMMITTEE (LUPC) MEETING AGENDA
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2018 – 3:15 PM-5:15 PM
City of Los Angeles Westwood Branch Public Library
1246 Glendon Avenue, Meeting Room Los Angeles, CA 90024

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1. 3:15 p.m.  Call to Order - Roll Call
2. Approval of this agenda as presented and posted.
3. Approval of Minutes as posted: 1/10/18
4. PUBLIC COMMENT
5. NEW BUSINESS:

DISCUSSION/ACTION:

A. 1607 SOUTH MANNING
   Case number: ZA-2017-5298-ZAA
   Project Address: 1607 South Manning Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Contact Info: Manuel Femat, 818-570-4492
   Project Description: Requesting permission for reduction in rear yard for three feet in lieu of required 15 feet; new enclosure for patio 15’6” x 13’; legalizing existing patio cover and enclosure

DISCUSSION/ACTION:

B. 1151 WESTWOOD/T MOBILE
   Case number: DIR-2017-4952-DRB-SPP; ENV-2017-4953-CE ST
   Project Address: 1151 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Contact Info: Emmett Rees, 805-403-2640
   Project Description: 1151 Westwood Blvd (Parking Structure) - Proposed WTF (Wireless Telecommunications Facility) - T-Mobile
6. OLD BUSINESS

DISCUSSION/ACTION:

A. BARNEY’S BEANERY
   Case number: ZA-2017-5460-CUB
   Project Address: 1037 South Broxton, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Contact Info: Ralph Saltsman, 310-822-9848
   Project Description: CUP Renewal re sale and dispensing full line of alcoholic beverages for onsite consumption at existing 7,458 sf restaurant with 181 indoor seats and 29 outdoor seats on 362 sf patio, operating from 7 am to 2 am daily.

B. ABSTENTION CALENDAR
   Review and approval of items listed below:

WESTWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
ABSTENTION CALENDAR PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

2018

1/18 PROJECTS
1. 1533 South Veteran Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Contact: John Rannan, 310-849-5626
   Zoning Administrator's adjustment for increase of height, decrease in front yard, and increase height of the railing of the steps; Specific Plan project permit within Design Review Board.

2017

12/17 PROJECTS
1. 1037 Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, Ca 90024
   Case Number: ZA-2017-5460-CUB
   Contact: David Houston, 310-443-7777
   BARNEY’S BEANERY CUP Renewal

11/17 PROJECTS
1. 355 South Mapleton Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number: ENV-2017-4738-CE
   Contact: Chris Drugan, 818-317-1012
   Exemption for a haul route for a new two-story SFD over basement with detached accessory structure

2. 746 South Westholme Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number: ENV-2017-4840-EAF
   Contact: Wendy Magur, 310-261-0527
   Demolish one single family dwelling and new construction of one single family dwelling with pool and garage and grading of 1750 cubic yards

9/17 PROJECTS
1. 725 South Westholme Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number: ZA-2017-3502-ZV-ZA; ENV-2017-3503-CE
Contact: John Ruzicka, 310-597-9668
Proposed floor area addition of 73 sf to (E) 2nd story. Additional area to encroach upon (E) non-conforming side yard setbacks and a 45'-0" plane break length.

2. **10889 Lindbrook Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: 
   Contact: Brett Engstrom, 626-993-7350
   **800 DEGREES** Continued sale of beer and wine for on-site consumption, and ancillary off-site consumption, in conjunction with an existing 2,900 s.f. restaurant with 68 seats in the C4-2D-O zone. Hours of operation/alcohol sales 10 AM – 2AM daily.

3. **1059 S. Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: DIR-2017-3785-DRB-SPP; ENV-2017-3786-CE
   Contact: Mariam Guzman, 310-393-9000
   **BIBIBOP** Project permit and design review per the Westwood Village Specific Plan

4. **10821 West Charing Cross Road, Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: AA-2017-3776-PMEX
   Contact: Tony Russo, 408-655-0998
   A parcel map exemption to allow a lot line adjustment between two neighborhood parcels that result in no change to the number of legal parcels

### 5/17 PROJECTS

1. **11080-100 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: AA-2017-1778-PMLA
   Contact: Chris Parker, 805-216-7900
   PMLA to split one lot into four, serviced by private street, current driveway.

### 4/17 PROJECTS

1. **1100 South Glendon Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: DIR-2017-1386
   Contact: Jesus Muro, 909-460-2530
   **Napa Valley Grill** signage

2. **835 South Westholme Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: ENV-2017-1578-CE
   Contact: Ramin Gabayan, 310-966-0646
   Demolition of existing single family dwelling and construction of a new two-story over basement single family dwelling

3. **1100 S Westwood Boulevard Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: DIR-2017-1604-DRB-SPP; ENV-2017-1605-CE
   Contact: Nguyen Nguyen, CallisonRTKL, 206-623-4646
   **AT&T** Exterior alterations of existing AT&T retail store including demo and replacement of exterior finishes and signage with related structural work, and exterior painting, in the Westwood Specific Plan

4. **10993 West Wellworth Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90024**
   Case Number: TT-72738-CN; ENV-2017-1645-EAF
   Contact: Steve Nazemi, 714-665-6569
   Tentative tract map
3/17 PROJECTS
1. 10887 Lindbrook Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2017-1006-DRB-SPP-COA
   Contact: Steve Stoddard,
   Festival Theater Façade improvements to existing Festival Theater

1/17 PROJECTS
1. 10844-52 Lindbrook Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-4622-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Daniel Green, Latham and Watkins
   Plaza La Reina signage and change of use from retail to restaurant

2016

12/16 PROJECTS
1. 1035 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2017-23-DRB-SPP-COA
   Contact: Charles Doughan, 310-864-0658
   MAC Build-out new store and update storefront in existing space

11/16 PROJECTS
1. 10914 Kinross Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-3284-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Steve Stoddard, 310-622-8415
   Blueprint signage

2. 926 Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-4328-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Tony Rector, 714-705-3249
   Diddy Riese Awning

10/16 PROJECTS
1. UCLA Anderson Graduate School of Management Addition Project

8/16 PROJECTS
1. 921 and 923 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-2734-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Tasia Kallies, 312-296-2306
   Amazon signage and façade change

2. 1065 South Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-1922-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Moses Saberi, Sign Max
   Heavenly Couture signage

3. 1008 Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number: DIR-2017-84-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Andrei Pogany, 917-304-6787
   Signage
7/16 PROJECTS
1. 1087 Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number:
   Contact: Chris Hartmann,
   Footaction signage

6/16 PROJECTS
1. Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-1420-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Chipotle signage
2. 1122 South Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-2036-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Miriam Guzman, 301-617-0222
   Simms Parking Garage signs
3. 11000 Kinross Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Contact: Tracy Dudman, 310-206-9255
   Geffen Academy
4. 1146 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2016-2234-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Colby Mayes, Mayes Office
   Sweetfin Poke signage

5/16 PROJECTS
1. 11061 Ohio Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number
   Contact: MOBILITE AGF Douglas Fir Utility Pole
2. 10875 West Kinross Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2014-2471-DRB-SPP
   Contact: The Boiling Crab signage

4/16 PROJECTS
1. 1543-45 South Pontius Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90025
   Contact: MOBILITE AGF Douglas Fir Pole
2. UCLA Margan Apartments
   UCLA Campus

3/16 PROJECTS
1. 1614-18 Hilts Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
Case Number TT-70117-CN-M1
Contact:
Build 12 units/modification to take out 4,885 cubic meters of soil

2. 1027 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2015-4064-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Kelly Miller, 951-471-8419
   Francesca's retail new signage

3. 951 South Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2015-3728-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Tara Devine, 310-430-5121
   Change medical office to retail/façade improvement and signage 7-11

2/16 PROJECTS

1. 1100 South Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR 2015-1689-DRB-SPP-SPPA-1A ENV-2015-1690-CE
   Contact: Bob Packham, Permitwiz, 310-625-2640
   AT&T Store

2. 1101-49 Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR 2015-750-DRB-SPP
   Contact:
   Gayley Center façade improvements and signage

1/16 PROJECTS

1. 10520 Eastborne Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR 2016-0123
   Contact:
   Remodel of four unit building

2015

12/15 PROJECTS

1. 10295 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   ATT MOBILITY AGF

11/15 PROJECTS

1. 1000 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2015-3985-DRB-SPP-COA
   Contact: Kinson Wong, 818-574-4726
   Sur La Table

2. 926-29 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   Case Number DIR-2015-3520-DRB-SPP
   Contact:
   Campus Store signage
8/15 PROJECTS

1. 645 South Midvale Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2015-2858-DRB-SPP
   Contact:  Rodney Khan, 818-507-1605
   Demo 4 units and replace with 11 handicap accessible units

2014

12/14 PROJECTS

1. 1018 South Hilgard Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number ZA 2014 4422
   Contact:  Katherine Casey, 310-838-2400
   Church of Christ Scientist relocation to Sunday School lot

2. 662 South Kelton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR-214-41430-DB-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Shahab Ghods, Plus Architects
   Demo two story and replace with four story, 12 units

11/14 PROJECTS

1. 530 South Mapleton Drive, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Board File No. 140082
   Contact:  VETO LLC, 530 Mapleton Drive, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Haul Route

10/14 PROJECTS

1. 10563 Ashton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number 2014-4022-DRB SPP
   Contact:  Luke Tarr, 818-346-9828
   3 story/3 condominiums

2. 1134 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014 3556
   Contact:  Promotional Signs, 714-540-5454
   Jimmy John's

3. 10959 West Weyburn Avenue (945 South Broxton Avenue), Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014 3701 DRB SPP
   Contact:  Stan Klemanowicz, 310-465-7339
   Double Agent Signage, doors, sidelight

9/14 PROJECTS

1. 10909 Kinross Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014-3458
   Contact:  Patricia Herskovic, 310-208-2200
   MODLOOK 29 SIGNAGE
8/14 PROJECTS

1. 1050 Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014-2928 DRB SPP/DIR-2015-4076-DRB-SPP
   Contact: Justin Barney, 909-923-6659
   Whole Foods Elevator

2. 10951-10955 Wilshire Boulevard, and 1151-57 Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number
   Contact: Cindy Starrett, 213-485-1234
   29 story mixed-use building

7/14 PROJECTS

1. 1076 Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014 2746 DRB SPP
   Contact: Miriam Guzman, 310 617 0222
   House of Meatballs sign and awning

4/14 PROJECTS

1. 10982 Roebling Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014 1369 DRB SPP
   Contact: Leah Robbins, 310-209-1044
   Patio enclosure re Unit 107

2. 947 South Tiverton, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014-1183 DRB SPP/ZA-2015-3012 (ELD)
   Contact: Joshua Smith, 949-720-3850
   Convert residential dorm to Eldercare Facility

3. 10660 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number ZA 2014-1159 ZAA DRB SPP
   Contact: Andrew Wolff, 310-825-2100
   Porte Cochere

4. 1145 South Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number DIR 2014 776 SPP
   Contact: Dan Whalen, W Architecture
   Change of use from retail to educational institution

2013

12/13 PROJECTS

1. 1001 Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024
   Case Number ZA 2013-2643(CUB)
   Contact: Nina Raey
   California Pizza Kitchen Renew on-site full liquor license
   Case Number DIR 2013 4007 DRB SPP COA
   Façade improvements
2. **10255 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number DIR 2013 3856 DRB SPP*  
   Contact: Robert Serrcy, 818-898-2352  
   **AT&T Phone Pole** Right of way for 30’ steel pole in grass parkway

11/13 PROJECTS

3. **10966 Rochester Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number*  
   Contact: Kathy O’Connor-Phelps, 714-625-5930  
   **AT&T** Antennas on condo building

4. **1644 Malcolm Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number DIR 2013-3615-DRP SPP/ZA 2015-4283-ZV*  
   Contact: Nathalie Aragno, 323-931-1365  
   New 14 unit condo seeking variance for elevator

10/13 PROJECTS

1. **1035 South Westholme Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number ZA 2013-3490 ZAA*  
   Contact: Greg Flewin, 310-393-6016  
   Basement conversion

2012

5/12 PROJECTS

1. **1415 South Beverly Glen Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number DIR-2012-719-DRB-SPP*  
   Contact: Jacques Mashihi 310-855-0823  
   Addition of 2,020 square feet to existing 4,626 square foot four-plex with no new residential units.

2. **10763-10777 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number DIR-2012-647-DRB-P*  
   Contact: Marc Bohbot/10777 Wilshire, LLC  
   60 unit apartment building above 3 level subterranean parking structure

3. **10942 Weyburn Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number DIR-2012-0573-DRB-SPP*  
   Contact: Signs Express 626-443-3333  
   **Onkei Ramen** storefront and sign

1/12 PROJECTS

1. **1650 Veteran Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024**  
   *Case Number ZA 2011-1387(ZV)*  
   Project Developer: Harvey Goodman  
   Contact Info: Sheri Gould 310-829-1037  
   Legalize 24th unit in condominium building that has existed since 1987.
11/11 PROJECTS

1. 1050 Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024  
   Case Number ZA 2001-4336(CUB)(PA1)  
   Project Developer: Whole Foods Market 818-501-8484  
   Contact Info: Lanny Kusaka 310-276-7300  
   **Whole Foods** Extend Conditional Uses related to parking and sale of beer and wine for off-site consumption.

2. 1067 South Broxton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024  
   Case Number DIR-2011-3245-DRB-SPP  
   Applicant: Lisa Budnik  
   **Rocket Fizz** Install new wall and window sign.

3. 1114 South Gayley Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024  
   Case Number DIR-2011-3113-DRB-SPP  
   Project Developer: Jesse Marshall 760-898-8126  
   Contact Info: Jeff Reich 818-675-5849  
   **Native Foods** Install new wall and pedestrian blade sign.

4. 936 Westwood Boulevard, Suites GR936 290, Los Angeles, CA  90024  
   Contact Info: DLR Group WWCOT 310-828-0040  
   **UCLA-Care Connect (Olive Garden)**, Reconfigure interior partitions, ceiling, lighting, new millwork and finishes, and structural work for new elevator.

5. 1139 South Glendon Avenue, Los Angeles, CA  90024  
   Case Number: DIR-2011-147-DRB-SPP-COA; ENV 2011-148-CE  
   Project Developer: Medcafe Westwood LLC dba Skylight Gardens, c/o Peter Clinco  
   Contact Info: Catherine Caccialanza 310-994-1777  
   **Skylight Gardens** Revise signage, awnings, trim paint color; remove window bars to restore to 1933 look; remove overgrown vines and replace with boxwood and privet hedges.

DISCUSSION/ACTION

7. Adjournment 5:15 p.m.
1. **3:15 p.m. Call to Order – Roll:** Angus Beverly, Connie Boukidis, Dr. Jerry Brown, Mary Chiu, and Ann Hayman present. Marcello Robinson arrived at 3:37 p.m. There were 17 stakeholders and guests present.

2. **Unanimous approval of agenda as posted and presented.**

3. **Approval of Minutes as posted and presented:** 10/11/17. Approval of the minutes was unanimous with the exception of Dr. Jerry Brown, who abstained.

4. **PUBLIC COMMENT**
   There was no public comment.

5. **NEW BUSINESS:**

   **DISCUSSION/ACTION**

   **A. CREST THEATER**
   
   **Case number:**
   
   **Project Address:** 1262 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
   
   **Contact Info:** Sean Hashem, 310-273-2277
   
   **Project Description:** Possible project regarding unique Food Hall, Music Hall and/or restaurant
   
   This item was tabled.

   **DISCUSSION/ACTION**

   **B. MOTION**
   
   “The Westwood Neighborhood Council (WWNC) hereby amends its sample alcohol conditions to the following:
   Must meet all enforceable ABC conditions for the city of Los Angeles:
   https://www.abc.ca.gov/FORMS/ABC608.pdf
   If applicant wishes to provide entertainment such as live music, disc jockey with amplified music, dancing, karaoke or shows, they must apply for a CUX permit (conditional use for alcohol and entertainment). This must be properly licensed and permitTed by all relevant government authorities.
   The WWNC also recommends the following voluntary conditions to all existing and new applicants for alcohol licensing: Establish designated driver promotions/ incentives to customers / patrons. These could include free sodas or coffee, or free appetizer to designated drivers of groups. This could also include partnerships with car services such as Uber and Lyft to offer discounts for patrons using these services.”

   **Supporting Documents:**
   Steve Sann explained that the conditions of no happy hour pricing and no pitchers of beer are in Westwood because of the college environment. Half price alcohol during set hours can cause binge drinking and allowing shared pitchers is one of the top ways that underage drinking is facilitated so these two conditions are common sense rules.
   Angus Beverly moved that the LUPC recommend that the WWNC support the motion above with the amendment from the WWNC December meeting from sentence 20, “There shall be no topless entertainment or anything of that nature” added. Marcello Robinson seconded. The motion carried by a vote of Yes: 3 (Angus Beverly, Mary Chiu, Marcello Robinson), No: 2 (Connie Boukidis, Dr. Jerry Brown), and Abstain: 1 (Ann Hayman).

6. **OLD BUSINESS**

   **DISCUSSION/ACTION**

   **A. WATERMARK**
   
   **Case number:** 17016-10000-27541
   
   **Project Address:** 947 South Tiverton Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024
David Barnes, President/CEO of Watermark, explained the project and its challenges due to the age and condition of the building, including that the work can’t be done with anyone living there. Watermark has made accommodations with the residents, 90% of whom have moved out. All residents were given relocation money and will be able to move back in at the same rate they were paying before if they so desire. Alison McCarty and Karen Hallock helped present the project and answered questions. A letter of support was requested. Chair Connie Boukidis moved, “[t]he LUPC recommends that the WWNC board support the Watermark project as presented and proposed according to its paperwork dated January 9, 2018,” seconded by Marcello Robinson, and carried unanimously. The letter of support will be sent when the hearing date is known.

DISCUSSION/ACTION

B. BROXTON

Project Address: 1099 Westwood Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90024
Contact Info: Margaret Taylor, 213-330-0335, x103; Ed Casey, 213-576-1000

Project Description: Per Section 12.24 W 1 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code, Applicant seeks a Conditional Use Permit to allow the addition of a microbrewery use secondary and ancillary to the permitted full line of alcohol sales in conjunction with the operation of a new tenant in an existing 4,656 square-foot interior (168 seat) sit-down dining, full menu restaurant with outdoor patio dining areas on Broxton with 808 square-feet and 50 seats for a total of 5,464 square feet and 218 seats, with hours of operation and alcohol sales from 11 am-2 am, Monday through Friday and 7 am –2 am, Saturday and Sunday. No off-site sales -microbrewery limited production for consumption within the restaurant. Sign installation, modifications to the existing patio dining area, and one roof equipment screen to an existing restaurant. Status report on analysis of the restoration of the Janss Dome Building as it relates to the Westwood Neighborhood Council Resolution on the historic Janss Dome Building dated October 11, 2017.

Supporting Documents: http://www.wwnc.org/BROXTON

Margaret Taylor reported that a Certificate of Appropriateness has been obtained for the window. The restoration will be done according to the consultant, contractor, and the Office of Historic Resources. She will inform the LUPC and WWNC about the DRB hearing date. Cary Berger said that the restaurant will open without the window being done.

Ed Casey, representing the owner of the Janss Dome Building, responded to charges that the letter he sent to the LUPC in response to the proposed resolution is non-committal and that maintaining a building in satisfactory condition is a low bar. He replied that the letter doesn’t have specifics because nothing has been decided yet. Sandy Brown said that the owner hasn’t done anything to the building with any tenant so building maintenance is overdue. The Resolution was amended such that it is directed at the owner of the property. Marcello Robinson moved, “[T]he LUPC recommends that the WWNC board pass the following amended Resolution,” seconded by Ann Hayman. The motion carried by a vote of Yes: 5 (Connie Boukidis, Dr. Jerry Brown, Mary Chiu, Ann Hayman, Marcello Robinson), No: 1 (Angus Beverly), and Abstain: 0.

Westwood Neighborhood Council Resolution on the historic Janss Dome Building

Whereas, the Janss Investment Corporation Building (aka “Janss Dome Building”) at 1099 Westwood Boulevard in Westwood Village, was commissioned in 1929 by Westwood’s founders, brothers Edwin and Harold Janss, to be their headquarters building, and was the first building constructed in Westwood Village and is the oldest existing structure in the Village; and

Whereas, the Janss Investment Corporation hired master architects James and David Allison to design what was intended to be the signature building for the Village, just as The Regents of the University of California had hired Allison & Allison to design UCLA’s signature building – landmark Royce Hall – as well as the Physics-Biology Building (now Humanities Building), Kerckhoff Hall, the Women’s Gymnasium (now Kaufman Hall), and the original portion of the Administration Building (now Murphy Hall), among numerous other landmarks; and

Whereas, the Janss Dome Building was designed by Allison & Allison in Spanish Colonial Revival style with Classical Revival influences, and its monumental Rotunda and Dome with Moorish accents, in keeping with Janss Company mandate for Mediterranean architecture in Westwood Village to harmonize with the Italian Romanesque architectural style on the UCLA campus; and

Whereas, in 1988 the Janss Dome Building was declared by the City of Los Angeles as a Historic-Cultural Monument, in 1989 the Janss Dome Building was designated in the Westwood Village Specific Plan as one of the most highly significant Cultural Resources in Westwood Village, and subsequently has been found eligible for listing on the California Register of
Historic Resources, as well as the National Register of Historic Places, the U.S. Federal government’s official list of the nation’s most important buildings and resources worthy of preservation; and

Whereas, since the mid-1990s the Janss Dome Building has been owned by Westwood Dome Partners, L.P. (Arba Group), and unfortunately the ongoing repair and maintenance of the Janss Dome Building has been neglected, allowing many significant character-defining features of this landmark structure to become damaged, deteriorated, degraded, or destroyed over the past 25 years, resulting in its current condition of dilapidation and disrepair; and

Whereas, a new tenant, Artisanal Brewers Collective, L.L.C. (ABC) recently has signed a lease to open a new restaurant and microbrewery, Broxton, in the main portion of the Janss Dome Building, and ABC’s representatives submitted plans to the Westwood Neighborhood Council Land Use & Planning Committee and Board on several occasions which showed and stated that ABC would remove the damaged lower portion of the original monumental and multi-paned arched window of the Janss Dome Building facing Westwood Boulevard, and replace this altered plate glass section with new steel multi-paned windows to match the original design:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Westwood Neighborhood Council calls upon the property owner/landlord, Westwood Dome Partners, L.P., in coordination with its tenant, ABC, to retain the services of a qualified historic perseveration consultant, and to work with the City of Los Angeles Office of Historic Preservation to develop a proper preservation plan, and to undertake all necessary steps to repair, restore, and preserve the degraded, damaged, and/or destroyed architectural elements and character-defining features enumerated below, and to submit this repair and restoration plan for project review and approval by the Westwood Community Design Review Board (DRB), and to obtain a Certificate of Appropriateness (COA) from the Director of Planning upon recommendation by the Westwood DRB, all in accordance with the Westwood Village Specific Plan, to ensure that all repair and restoration work is performed in accordance with the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for Rehabilitation; and

Be it finally resolved that the Westwood Neighborhood Council calls upon the property owner to ensure on an on-going basis that the historic Janss Dome Building will be maintained, repaired, and preserved to avoid future degradation, deterioration, or damage to the character-defining features of this priceless and irreplaceable Monument, as this landmark will mark its milestone 90th anniversary in 2019, the same year that UCLA will celebrate its Centennial, and as the City of Los Angeles, Westwood Village, and the UCLA campus look forward to hosting the athletes of the world and worldwide visitors during the Olympic Summer Games in 2028.

1. Repair and restore all damaged, cracked, and missing plaster sections; patch and repair all existing holes on the exterior façade; remove all unpermitted patches (including those patched with “Dap”) that do not match the existing façade, and replace with patch materials and paint that matches the existing stucco finish and paint colors on the exterior façade;
2. Remove all peeling paint, as well as all sections painted in unapproved colors (including the “hot pink” paint at 1045 Westwood Boulevard, In-Style Nails), and repaint the entire exterior façade in a color palette approved by the Westwood Design Review Board;
3. Remove all paint covering the original blue-and-gold glazed ceramic tiles in the original Moorish zig-zag pattern on the Dome, and clean and restore the existing original glazed ceramic tiles beneath the painted Dome surface;
4. Repair and restore the rusting decorative metal surrounding the main entry doors;
5. Replace the chipped, cracked, and broken ceramic floor tiles on the stairs to the main door;
6. Remove all broken window panes visible on the exterior façade, including those on facing Westwood Boulevard as well as on the alley (Sigal Gevojanyan space), and replace in kind with glazing to match the existing original window glazing;
7. Remove the damaged lower portion of the original monumental and multi-paned arched window in the Domed Rotunda section of the building facing Westwood Boulevard, and replace this altered plate glass section with new steel multi-paned windows to match the original design, as shown in the project plans submitted to the Westwood Neighborhood Council Land Use & Planning Committee and Board of Directors by ABC’s representatives;
8. Repair all broken lighting fixtures and lighting instruments on the exterior and on the tiled Dome, remove all non-working or obsolete lighting fixtures and all related visible exterior tubing and wires, and relight the Domed portion of the building during nighttime hours;
9. Remove all bird feces from the Dome and cupola, and clean and restore the Dome and cupola;
10. Replace the missing decorative golden-colored metal ball missing from atop the cupola;
11. Repair and restore the antique sculpture fountain located on the landlord’s private property in front of the Dome building (and remove the duct tape holding one of the panels closed);
12. Remove all non-permitted signage from the building and direct these tenants to submit proper signage, paint color, and/or façade alteration applications to the Westwood DRB.

C. 888 DEVON
**Case Number:** ZA 2014-3144-DRB-SPP-SPPA  
**Project Address:** 888 Devon Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024  
**Contact Info:** Neill Brower, 310-712-6833  
**Project Description:** Filing of a modified project permit compliance and tract map for the 888 Devon project. Substantially the same height and massing, same unit count, nearly identical floor area, with slightly more excavation. The aesthetics of the building have changed slightly, though the modified design uses similar colors and finish materials to the original, so re-filed for Design Review, and filed for a tract map for condominiums.  
**Supporting Docs:** [http://www.wwnc.org/888 Devon](http://www.wwnc.org/888 Devon)  
Neill Brower and Ryan Enz presented a comparison of the slight changes in the current project to the previously approved project. A letter of support was requested. Chair Connie Boukidis moved, The LUPC recommends that the Westwood Neighborhood Council support Applicant's project in its current modified form dated October 31, 2017 conditioned that Applicant remains compliant with its agreements with the Holmby-Westwood Property Owners Association and Chateau Colline. Ann Hayman seconded and the motion carried by a vote of Yes: 4 (Angus Beverly, Connie Boukidis, Mary Chiu, Ann Hayman), No: 0, and Abstain: 1 (Dr. Jerry Brown).

**7. ADJOURNMENT** Upon unanimous approval of Motion to Adjourn, meeting adjourned at 4:57 p.m.