



**CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS**  
La Cienega Park Community Center Auditorium  
8400 Gregory Way  
Beverly Hills CA, 90210

**Strategic Planning Committee Meeting**

**HIGHLIGHTS**

Thursday, January 31, 2019  
3:30 PM

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER**

Date / Time January 31, 2019 / 3:30pm

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Mayor Julian Gold MD, Vice Mayor John Mirisch, City Treasurer Howard Fisher, Facilitator Karen Orlansky, City Manager Mahdi Aluzri, Honorable Kathy Reims, Health & Safety Commissioner Myra Lurie, Health & Safety Commissioner Daniel Nazarian, Cultural Heritage Commissioner Noah Furie, Human Relations Commissioner Ori Blumenfield, Mark Elliott, Sharon Ignarro Director of Community Development Susan Healy Keene, Director of Public Works Shana Epstein, Assistant Director of Community Services Pamela Shinault, Deputy Director of Transportation Aaron Kunz, Assistant Director of Community Development Ryan Gohlich, Marketing and Economic Sustainability Manager Laura Biery, Policy and Management Analyst Cindy Owens, Senior Planner Timmi Tway, Management Analyst Teresa Revis, Transportation Planner Jessie Holzer

**1. Public Comment**

- Members of the public asked if there is a plan for the La Cienega/Wilshire area when it becomes a “transit zone”

**2. Walking Tour of La Cienega/Wilshire Focus Area**

- The Committee participated in a walking tour of the La Cienega/Wilshire. Brief stops occurred outside the following locations:
  - 8484 Wilshire Blvd.
  - 8440 Wilshire Blvd.
  - 100 La Cienega Blvd.

**3. Return to Auditorium for Discussion Regarding Walking Tour Observations**

- Committee Members shared feedback on the area;
  - Area has numerous challenges; however it is a great area for opportunity.
  - Steps that could be taken to best revitalize the area
  - The possibility of mixed use
  - How to bring more businesses into that area
- Will require feedback from residents about their needs and wants for that area prior to making a decision.

**4. Confirm Future Meeting Dates**

- Next meeting scheduled for February 7, 2019

**5. Adjourn**

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January 31, 2019 / 5:00pm