

LDA Meeting Notes
December 19, 2016
Community Table, Oakland, CA

Attending: Jain William, and Joanne Wong-Lam (Board Members), Daniel Swafford (Exec. Director)

Absent: Joanna Gritz, Kevin Rath, and Dorothy Okamoto

1. District 4 City Council Update – Jamila English
 - a. Local Heroes – 2/4/17 [RESCHEDULED TO 2/18/17] – Nominate local heroes, give contact info and why, due 1/21/17
 - b. Building Safety Inquiries – fire and code violations – route to Campbell Washington’s office
 - In Laurel, dumping at vacant store of former donut building
 - c. Small Business Task Force Committee: 2 more meetings 1/9 and 1/30 @ 8 PM City Hall
 - Survey out to LDA businesses – emailed and 50 responses city wide so far
 - Survey on Laurel Merchant Watch – click on link
 - d. Council office on recess – 12/26/16-1/2/17
 - e. DaVita update – delay in demo permit
 - f. For new businesses coming in – is there any support for business owners, i.e. Glenn’s Hotdog

2. Laurel Security
 - Che will be more present up at 35th Ave. end to address shoplifting

2. Review LDA Mission and Strategic Plan – Amy Barr - See attached notes for Champion Role Descriptions
 - Goal to confirm possible “Champion Role” for each category by a Board member by next month
 - Keep a group of check points for each category to review throughout the year
 - ID the check list priorities

4. Adjourned.

Next LDA Board Meeting – Monday, January 23, 6-8 PM @ Laurel Office Center