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Special Board Meeting Retreat Agenda

**Tuesday, 9/28/21**

6pm to 8pm

**Zoom Meeting Online**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81855966845>

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# AGENDA

## **I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL**

- a. Call to Order by Presiding Officer

## **II. BUDGET & FINANCE**

- a. Presentation from webmaster-Moore Business Results
- b. **Discussion and possible action** approving Moore Business results as WNC webmaster
- c. **Discussion and possible action** redesigning the navigation on the WNC Website

## **III. STRATEGIC PLANNING**

Retreat Updates, Tenesha Taylor & Gertrude Davis

- a. Mentimeter Results
- b. **Discussion and possible action** to create an ad-hoc Bylaws committee that will begin reviewing and proposing WNC bylaw amendments and standing rule changes
- c. **Discussion and possible action** on 2021-2022 Concern & Goals
  - i. Areas (1-5)
  - ii. Business & Commerce
  - iii. Education
  - iv. Environment
  - v. Community Based Organizations
  - vi. Healthcare
  - vii. Transportation
  - viii. Adults, Parents, and Caregivers
- d. **Discussion and possible action** on 2021-2022 Committee's Concerns & Goals
  - i. Faith-based and Community Organization
  - ii. Transportation
  - iii. Seniors, Adults, Parents, and Caregivers
  - iv. Business, Commerce, Planning and Land Use
  - v. Environment and Healthcare
  - vi. Youth
  - vii. Cannabis

## **IV. WNC OUTREACH**

- a. **Discussion and possible action** putting the City logo back on the WNC board members shirts (2 each)
- b. **Discussion and possible action** printing one sheet of WNC contacts to display throughout Watts (Post Office, Healthcare facilities, Schools, Parks, Libraries, HACLA sites, CBOs, etc)
- c. **Discussion and possible action** on creating a WNC Instagram page
- d. **Discussion and possible action** on hosting a WNC community event(s)

## **V. MEETINGS**

- a. **Discussion and possible action** to set the WNC Committee's meetings (recurring day and time)
- b. **Discussion and possible action** on identifying the community & city recurring meetings that directly impact the Watts community

## **VI. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT NONAGENDA ITEMS (2 mins per comment)**

**VII. ADJOURNMENT** (End time is approximately 8:00 p.m. or shortly thereafter)

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