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September 22, 2022

To: WRAC Member Councils (Chairs/Presidents and Representatives)  
From: WRAC Chair-Elect Robin Greenberg and Vice-Chair Chris Spitz

In case you missed it, here's an update on our September 19, 2022 Board meeting:

### **Government Reports:**

The Board heard from Janet Turner, Deputy District Director for U.S. Rep. Ted Lieu, who provided details about practical aspects of the Inflation Reduction Act. For more information about the Act, visit: <https://lieu.house.gov/media-center/press-releases/rep-lieu-praises-historic-climate-investments-inflation-reduction-act>.

In addition, Janet noted that Rep. Lieu has taken a strong position against anti-Semitic flyers that were recently distributed in Brentwood, Westwood and Pacific Palisades, and has asked FBI Director Wray to investigate. See: <https://lieu.house.gov/media-center/press-releases/rep-lieu-calls-fbi-investigate-antisemitic-flyers-sent-brentwood-and>.

Veronica de la Cruz-Robles, Neighborhood Prosecutor for the West LA police station, also spoke briefly. Noting that she has served under five different Los Angeles City Attorneys in her 21 years with the office, Veronica stressed the importance of the City Attorney's race and suggested that voters be mindful of the candidates for this office.

### **WRAC Officer Elections/Future Meetings:**

The Board unanimously elected new officers for the coming term (October 1, 2022 – September 30, 2024). They are: **Robin Greenberg, Chair; Chris Spitz, Vice-Chair; and Tyler Laferriere-Holloway, Secretary/Treasurer.** Robin, Chris and Tyler look forward to working together. Robin and Chris also expressed appreciation for Matt Wersinger's exemplary service as WRAC Chair during the past two years. We're pleased that Matt will continue to be involved as DRNC's representative to WRAC and will assist whenever he can.

The Board voted to postpone the next WRAC meeting date in order to accommodate the new officers' schedules. The next online Board meeting will take place on **October 24, 2022**. After October, meetings will resume on the third Monday evening of each month; the next meetings in 2022 will be on November 21 and December 19, 2022. Mark your calendars!

We expect to hear reports from WRAC Committees at our October 24<sup>th</sup> meeting.

### **New, Pending and Adopted Motions:**

No new motions were introduced. As always, we encourage member Councils to consider agendizing pending motions at the earliest opportunity. Please let Robin or Chris know if you have passed any of the pending motions (or modified versions). See: <https://westsidecouncils.com/pending-motions/>.

One formerly pending motion has reached majority passage and is now an adopted WRAC position: *Support for CF 20-2376-S3 (code amendments to ban camping near libraries)*. See the motion in Adopted Positions: <https://westsidecouncils.com/adopted-positions/>. A position letter will be sent shortly.

Thank you as always for your continuing interest in and engagement with WRAC.