



GREATER GRIFFITH PARK NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
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CERTIFIED COUNCIL #36

November 2, 2010

Councilman Paul Krekorian
Los Angeles City Hall
200 North Spring Street, Room 425
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Councilmen Krekorian,

The Greater Griffith Park Neighborhood Council may be interested in opening a Neighborhood Council File with the City Council as allowed under council file 08-0942 (<http://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=08-0942>). On January 13, 2009, the City Council adopted various actions, put forth by your committee, under Council file No. 08-0942. These included approving the process by which Neighborhood Councils can initiate Council Files. According to 08-0942 there are three main steps, including:

1. Completing a Neighborhood Council File Submission Sheet and attaching documentation of the Neighborhood Council Board Action.
2. Filing the Neighborhood Council Submission Sheet and attachment with the City Clerk.
3. Filing of Form 54 by all Board members on the Neighborhood Council Submission Sheet with the City Ethics Commission.

According to the City Clerk's office, final decisions have not been made regarding the format or the content of Form 54. The City Clerk is thus unable to execute step # 3 and therefore neighborhood councils are unable at this time to file a council file, despite the passage of 08-0942, which empowers us to do just that.

The Neighborhood Council File system is a pilot project, which we thus assume ends on January 13, 2011 (using the 2 year pilot project rule), so we ask for prompt attention to this matter so that neighborhood councils may be afforded the opportunity to open a file.

Thank you for your consideration and quick attention.

Sincerely,

Ron Ostrow, President, Greater Griffith Park Neighborhood Council
By Tomàs O'Grady, Chair, Green Committee, GGPNC
Cc: Jessica Kornberg, Secretary
GGPNC Governing Board