



CITY OF SANTA MONICA
REGULAR RENT CONTROL BOARD MEETING
Council Chambers, City Hall, 1685 Main Street
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2019 – 7:00 P.M.
AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

5. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: September 12, 2019

6. SPECIAL AGENDA ITEMS

(Announcements pertaining to the Rent Control Board)

7. PUBLIC COMMENT

(Requests from members of the public to speak to the Board on any issue of general interest to the community that is within the Board's subject-matter jurisdiction and not on the current agenda. State law prohibits the Board from taking any action on items not listed on the agenda.)

10. JURISDICTIONAL ITEMS

A. Exemption – Owner Occupancy

1) 1797: 1418 15th Street, Applicant – J. Knotts and L. Cooley

Applicants seek an owner-occupancy exemption for a property with three or fewer units, under Charter Section 1801(c)(4). Recommendation: Grant.

B. Appeal

1) M-0979: 1226 25th Street, Unit 1226, Appellant – L. Khajehnouri, Trustee for the Giti Mazi Trust (Owner)

Owner appeals hearing officer's decision that found her liable for having overcharged rent.

11. PUBLIC HEARING

A. [The Board will consider whether to adopt a new Regulation 5100, respecting the scope of authority granted by a removal permit; Regulation 5101, relating to the rent-controlled status of removed units; and Regulation 5102, respecting the expiration of removal permits.](#)

12. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

A. [Brian Augusta, the Rent Control Board's advocate and representative in Sacramento, will present a Legislative Report for the 2019/2020 regular session of the California Legislature.](#)

B. [Final Budget Report for Fiscal Year 2018/2019.](#)

16. ADJOURNMENT

Next RCB Meeting – November 14, 2019, 7:00 p.m.
Council Chambers, City Hall, 1685 Main Street

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