



LITTLE TOKYO BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

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Special Meeting of the Little Tokyo Business Association Board of Directors
To Approve/Disapprove
Little Tokyo Property and Business Improvement District Advisory Committee

Kajima Building LTBA Offices
Thursday, September 18, 2025, 3pm

Meeting Minutes

Present

David Ikegami
Ellen Endo
Jan Fukuhara
Gwen Muranaka
Yuriko Shikai
Irene Simonian

By Proxy

Thornton Dickerson
Sylvia Ena
Mark Kawa
Andrew Lee
Tomoko Omura
Glenn Osaki
Kitty Sankey
Nancy Takayama
Haru Takehana

Absent

Joanne Kumamoto

- i. Call to Order: 3:17pm
Note: waited for public comment speakers
- ii. Presentations and Public Comment
No public comment
- iii. Establishment of Quorum
Quorum confirmed
- iv. Item No. 1, Report by the Little Tokyo Business Improvement District (LTBID) Nominating Committee relative to the slate of candidates for the 2026 Business Improvement District Advisory Committee in accordance with Ordinance 18867, the *City of Los Angeles Business Improvement Districts Policy and Implementation Guidelines*, subheading “*Role of the BID Proponents*,” (Guidelines), and the Little Tokyo Business Association Property-Based Business Improvement District Principles and Procedures (attached).

Approval of LTBD Advisory Committee as of September 18, 2025:

1. Ross Adachi
2. Jay Chen
3. Billy Chun
4. Jan Fukuhara
5. Jo Ann Hirose
6. David Ikegami
7. Brian Kito
8. Janet Koyama
9. Mark Masaoka
10. Lynn Nakamura
11. Kayla Sargent
12. Irene Tsukada Simonian
13. Midori Tachibana
14. Edwin Takahashi
15. Satoru Uyeda

Moved by: Jan Fukuhara
Seconded by: Irene Simonian

Ayes: 15 (Present and by Proxy)
Nays:
Absent: Kumamoto

Motion carried.

Public Meeting adjourned: 3:30pm