

NOTICE OF MEETING

February 10, 2016
10:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
(or until completion of business)
San Diego Mesa College
Design Center, Room Z101
7250 Mesa College Drive
San Diego, CA 92111-4998
(619) 388-2600 or (916) 575-7236 (LATC)

The Landscape Architect Technical Committee (LATC) will hold a meeting, as noted above. The notice and agenda for this meeting and other meetings of the LATC can be found on the LATC's website: latc.ca.gov. For further information regarding this agenda, please see reverse or you may contact Rodney Garcia at (916) 575-7236.

The LATC plans to webcast this meeting on its website. Webcast availability cannot, however, be guaranteed due to limited resources. The meeting will not be cancelled if webcast is not available. If you wish to participate or to have a guaranteed opportunity to observe, please plan to attend at the physical location.

AGENDA

- A. Call to Order – Roll Call – Establishment of a Quorum
- B. Chair's Remarks and LATC Member Comments
- C. Public Comment for Items Not on Agenda
(The Committee may not discuss or take action on any item raised during this public comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting [Government Code sections 11125 and 11125.7(a)].)
- D. Review and Approve November 17, 2015 LATC Meeting Minutes
- E. Program Manager's Report
- F. Introduction and Presentation from the San Diego Mesa College Landscape Architecture Program
- G. Report on Council of Landscape Architectural Registration Boards (CLARB)

(Continued on Reverse)

- H. Discuss and Possible Action on Strategic Plan Objective to Review California Code of Regulations, Sections 2624 (Expired License - Three Years After Expiration) and 2624.1 (Expired License – Five Years After Expiration) and Assess Whether Revisions are Needed to Regulations, Procedures, and Instructions for Expired License Requirements
- I. Discuss and Possible Action on Strategic Plan Objective to Review California Code of Regulations, Section 2620 (Education and Training Credits) to Expand Credit for Education Experience to Include Degrees in Related Areas of Study
- J. Discuss and Possible Action on Strategic Plan Objective to Review California Code of Regulations, Section 2620 (Education and Training Credits) to Clarify Credit and Experience Combinations and Provide Justification for Consistent Staff Interpretation of Exam Eligibility for Potential Licensees
- K. Discuss and Possible Action on Draft *Consumer’s Guide to Hiring a Landscape Architect*
- L. Review Tentative Schedule and Confirm Future LATC Meeting Dates
- M. Adjournment

Action may be taken on any item on the agenda. The time and order of agenda items are subject to change at the discretion of the Chair and may be taken out of order. The meeting will be adjourned upon completion of the agenda, which may be at a time earlier or later than posted in this notice. In accordance with the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act, all meetings of the LATC are open to the public.

Government Code section 11125.7 provides the opportunity for the public to address each agenda item during discussion or consideration by the LATC prior to the Committee taking any action on said item. Members of the public will be provided appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue before the Committee, but the Committee chair may, at his or her discretion, apportion available time among those who wish to speak. Individuals may appear before the Committee to discuss items not on the agenda; however, the Committee can neither discuss nor take official action on these items at the time of the same meeting [Government Code sections 11125 and 1125.7(a)].

The meeting is accessible to the physically disabled. A person who needs a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Mr. Garcia at (916) 575-7236, emailing rodney.garcia@dca.ca.gov, or sending a written request to the LATC. Providing your request at least five business days before the meeting will help to ensure availability of the requested accommodation.

Protection of the public shall be the highest priority for the LATC in exercising its licensing, regulatory, and disciplinary functions. Whenever the protection of the public is inconsistent with other interests sought to be promoted, the protection of the public shall be paramount. (Business and Professions Code section 5620.1)