



City of Culver City Official Courtesy Notification

**You are invited to a virtual community meeting
to discuss the Slow Street Pilot Program,
the findings, and to provide your input regarding
any needed changes**



WHAT:

In response to community requests, the City of Culver City created a temporary Slow Streets Pilot Program for local residential streets to allow for social distancing during the pandemic by using the whole street width for walking, bicycling, scooting, skating, and any other modes of person-propelled transportation. The Slow Streets Pilot Program was implemented in October 2020, in four areas on the following street segments:

- Farragut Drive, from Duquesne Avenue to Jackson Avenue;
- Fox Hills neighborhood, on Cambridge Way, Windsor Way, Sumner Way, and Kensington Way;
- McConnell Avenue, from south of Washington Boulevard to Short Avenue; and
- Rhoda Way, from Ocean Drive to Dobson Way

You are invited to hear the findings of the pilot program review, as well as to provide your input regarding any needed changes. Registered community volunteers assisted the City by actively participating and regularly maintaining the Slow Street signs, encouraging motorists to drive slowly, and everyone actively using the roadway to maintain social distance, wear a face mask, and exercise caution while using the roadway. The communities are welcome to identify additional or change volunteers, although the role of registered volunteers is not expected to change. City staff will share field observations, as well as information on community feedback received, signage production, crew maintenance needs, and needed future reporting.

It should be noted that the Slow Streets Pilot Program did not fully close the streets participating during the Pilot. Instead, the streets had signs posted on barricades at entry and exit locations to indicate the streets are for local traffic only, and asking any vehicular traffic on the street to slow down, and all road users to exercise caution.

Local vehicular access by residents, deliveries to the homes, Uber/Lyft drop-off/pick-up activities, City services (including emergency vehicles) continued. All vehicle drivers on these streets were asked to travel at slow speeds.

The Slow Streets designation is in effect 24 hours a day, 7 days per week, until COVID-19 emergency orders are lifted by the City. However, in the meantime, Slow Streets are not public gathering places, and cannot be used for neighborhood group activities, nor for group sports.

WHEN:

Thursday, February 25, 2021, at 6 pm

More Info:

If you have any comments or questions about the information in this Courtesy Notice, please contact us at traffic.engineering@culvercity.org, or call our main line at (310) 253-5634 to leave a message, and we will return your call within a 24hour period.

To combat the spread of COVID-19, the City proclaimed a local emergency on March 14, 2020 and issued subsequent public orders beginning March 16, 2020. Learn more at <https://www.culvercity.org/Coronavirus>.

In accordance with such orders, City Hall has been closed to the public and in-person meetings have been discontinued until further notice.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MEETING PARTICIPATION:

How to Submit a Written Public Comment Prior to the Virtual Meeting

- Find the active eComment link to the right of the agenda date on the Agenda Details page. Then choose the agenda item on which you wish to comment and add your comment. [Watch a video tutorial on How to Make an eComment](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ckjtduK9B9s) at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ckjtduK9B9s>
- Email your comments to public.works@culvercity.org.
- Mail your comments to the attention of the City Clerk's Office at 9770 Culver Blvd, Culver City, CA 90232, specifically identifying the committee and meeting date.
- Comments must be received at least 3 hours in advance of the meeting, otherwise comments must be submitted during the meeting.

How to Attend the Virtual Meeting

- You must [REGISTER TO ATTEND](https://www.culvercity.org/City-Hall/Meetings-Agendas) the virtual meeting on WebEx at <https://www.culvercity.org/City-Hall/Meetings-Agendas>
- [Watch a video tutorial on How to Register on Webex](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q3NX-9lhSoU) at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q3NX-9lhSoU>
- Registrants will receive an email with instructions and a link to join the meeting.

How to Speak Aloud or Submit a Written Public Comment During the Virtual Meeting

- As a registered attendee, you may join the Webex meeting and use the "Chat" function to indicate you wish to comment.

Then, when City staff announce it is the time to take public comment, you will use the "Raise Your Hand" function. When appropriate, you will be unmuted and prompted to make your comment or, if you are unable to speak aloud, you may submit your written comment in the "Chat" box.