



**CARING FOR OUR
NEIGHBORHOOD.**

No Signs Allowed

Example of the "No Signs Allowed" sign that LADWP will post on the reservoir fence.



The Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) will be posting "No Signs Allowed" on the exterior fence surrounding the Silver Lake Reservoir Complex. Only signs and installations that have received prior permission from the LADWP will be allowed to be posted. For the past few years, the fence has been used for positive statements, protests and artistic expression. But it has also been used to post offensive, derogatory and extremely divisive rhetoric, which is a shame and a poor reflection on our community.

*Delivery truck
and cars
blocking
median along
Santa Monica
Boulevard.
7:45 a.m.,
March 13*



Erewhon, Traffic Concerns and Oversized Housing

By Scott D. Plante, AIA, Architect, Member of the Silver Lake Urban Design and Preservation Committee Co-founder, Silver Lake Together

Manzanita Street is a typical residential street in Silver Lake, ending at Santa Monica Boulevard just west of Sunset Junction. The residential fabric is composed of three-story condominiums, one- and- two story homes and small apartment buildings. In 2020, the upscale market Erewhon opened on the ground floor of a new three-story building that has 41 apartments above. While Erewhon has been a popular addition to the community, it has come at a cost to the immediate neighborhood. Delivery trucks, Ubers and food delivery service vehicles clog the Santa Monica Boulevard median at all hours of the day.

Recently, a large apartment building was proposed for 1030 Manzanita Street.. The five-to seven-story project would fill the entire site, and require extensive excavation at significant cost and more vehicular traffic to an already congested intersection that has serious safety concerns. A group of homeowners recently formed a group to work with the developer and the City to come up with solutions for this beleaguered intersection. Which raises the question: why aren't neighbors more involved in coming to solutions with developers and the impact they have on their neighborhoods? We look forward to seeing if the work group is successful and becomes a model for future solutions.

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Crime is Also Our Responsibility

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Here are the Silver Lake/Franklin Hills crime stats for February 11 to March 6, 2024. Notably, the largest number of crimes are “Burglaries From Motor Vehicles” (BFMV). In the past, SLO Ramirez has reminded us that this is typically a preventable crime, as long as we don’t leave tempting objects in view of would-be thieves and we remember to lock our cars. Please remember to keep your vehicles decluttered and do your part to avoid burglaries!

Homicide – 0

Rape – 0

Robbery – 7

Aggravated Assaults – 3

Gang Related Crimes – 1

Shots Fired – 0

Victim Shot – 0

Burglary – 10

Theft – 8

GTA – 8

BFMV – 14

Recovered Vehicle – 1

Violent Crimes – 0

Property Crimes – 8

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NORTHEAST

5K *TRAIL RUN/WALK*
 at Griffith Park

SUNDAY APRIL 21 2024 8AM

Griffith Park

REGISTRATION FROM
6AM - 7:30AM
 RUN BEGINS AT 8AM

\$25 ADULTS
\$20 YOUTH
 REGISTRATION FEE

SCAN QR CODE AND SIGN UP TODAY!

FIRST 400 RUNNERS WILL RECEIVE A MEDAL & SHIRT

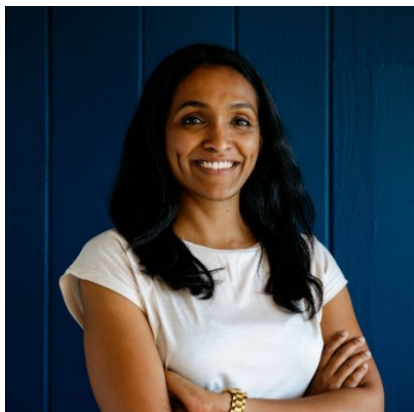
TOP 3 MALE/FEMALE RUNNERS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY

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CD 4 Councilmember Nithya Raman

Raman to Represent City Council District 4?

According to the latest tally from the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk, current CD 4 Councilmember Nithya Raman is leading challenger Ethan Weaver with 50.64% of the vote to 38.62% (32,343 votes to 24,666.) If this trend continues, Raman will not face a runoff election in November and will be re-elected to her council district seat, which includes a small portion of Silver Lake. However, votes are still being counted and final results have not been announced.

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Slow Down in Silver Lake

Post a *free* Slow Down Silver Lake sign and help prevent speeding on your street.

And you can support the use of electric leaf blowers with your *free* Take Charge!! sign.

Contact editor@silverlaketgether.com to request a sign. And be sure to include your address!



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