SPECIAL FILMING CONDITIONS  
WESTERN HEIGHTS

The Special Filming Conditions described below will be included in the terms and conditions of permits issued for filming in this area and are in addition to the standard terms and conditions applicable to filming permits generally. While these Special Filming Conditions will be included as terms if a permit for filming in this area is issued, they are not intended to, and do not, establish the criteria or standards for determining whether or not a particular permit (or permits) will be issued for this area. The decision whether or not a particular permit (or permits) will be issued is vested in the discretion of the appropriate City or County department or their designees (including FilmL.A., Inc.), to be exercised consistent with public health, safety and general welfare, and applicable land-use ordinances.

One of the most photogenic neighborhoods in Los Angeles with beautifully restored, historic turn-of-the-century architecture. This area is a Historic Preservation Overlay Zone. Western Heights is bounded by Arlington Avenue, Western Avenue, Washington Boulevard and West 21st Street (including 20th Street, Gramercy Place and Cimarron Avenue).

- **FilmL.A.** will evaluate all requests for permits in this area using the following criteria: Frequency of filming per block near requested location and parking areas, duration and frequency of recent filming, proximity of concurrent filming activities, historical use, recent problems or complaints, number of days requested, company size, proposed activities and any other criteria that may be relevant to the specific situation. **NO PERMIT FOR THIS AREA SHOULD BE ASSUMED TO BE AVAILABLE WITHOUT THE ABOVE REVIEW.**

- Affected residents must be notified at least two (2) days in advance of the first day of filming or any substantial set preparation. Permit requests must be submitted at least three (3) days in advance.

- Craft services, catering trucks, food preparation tables and dining tables are prohibited on sidewalks or parkways and must be out of public view.

- Production companies may not arrive in the area prior to 7:00 a.m. and must depart no later than 10:00 p.m. unless affected residents (generally those within 300’ of the filming activities and 200’ of equipment parking) are surveyed to identify neighborhood concerns and approval is obtained from the Permit Authority. The approved times must be indicated on the permit.

- Weekend or holiday filming will generally not be permitted unless approved by the Permit Authority.

- Prep and strike days must be included on the permit and may not take place on weekends unless approved by the Permit Authority.

- Posting may be requested for parking of production vehicles only and will be limited to 300’ on one side of the street only. Film company vehicles shall not interfere with gardeners’ activities, trash pick up, safe use of streets or access to resident driveways, unless approved by the affected residents.

- Trash and refuse must be removed from the area immediately after filming activities are completed.

- When street cleaning is disrupted by filming, it is the production company’s responsibility to clean the street. Street cleaning days are as follows: The north side is cleaned on Wednesday afternoon and the south side is cleaned on Thursday afternoon.
• Trash pick-up for the neighborhood is on Monday. It is the responsibility of the production company to make sure access to neighborhood trash cans is not impacted.

• Personal vehicles of cast and crew may not park on area streets. Off-street parking must be provided.

• A FilmL.A. Monitor will be assigned to encourage compliance with the permit and conditions. The Monitor will generally arrive at the designated location 1 hour prior to the permit start time to note proper arrival time and remain with the production company during all filming-related activities and ensure proper departure time.

• Filming in the Western Heights area requires that notification be given to the representative of the Neighborhood Association. The current contact is Bridget Palmer (323) 691.5165 cell or email iambreezy652@aol.com.