



Filming Conditions FAQ

Westwood Village Improvement Association

The following Filming Conditions for location filming in the Westwood Village Business Improvement Association (WVIA) have been established so that both local businesses and production companies filming in the area can operate successfully and function in a cooperative manner. These Special Conditions apply to the area in Westwood Village, which falls under the jurisdiction boundaries of the Westwood Village Improvement Association.

- **Do I need a permit to film in Westwood Village?**
 - Yes, a film permit is required when the project has any commercial value.
 - The City of Los Angeles contracts with FilmLA for permit coordination services for the City. Submit a film permit application directly on the FilmLA Online Permit System at www.filmla.com at least 5 business days before the first day of filming. Production companies are also required to contact the Westwood Village Improvement Association (WVIA) at (310) 470-1812 or email info@thewestwoodvillage.com.

- **Where can I film?**
 - Broxton Avenue, Glendon Avenue, Gayley Avenue, Le Conte Avenue, Hilgard Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard during regular business hours. Regular business hours are defined as 10:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Proposed filming planned for before or after hours are approved on a case-by-case basis.
 - Unless approved by the Permit Authority (LAPD), filming activities involving exteriors and using sidewalks, streets, or parking facilities shall be prohibited on all National holidays and the day prior.
 - Filming activities involving exteriors, using sidewalks, streets, or parking facilities will not be permitted for the two weeks prior to Christmas Day.
 - Filming at the Westwood Village Farmers' Market on Thursdays is required to contact [Farm Habit](http://FarmHabit.com) for approvals, email info@farmhabit.com
 - Grid permits or roaming filming shoots are approved on a case-by-case basis.

- **Where can we park?**
 - Cars must be in private parking during shoots. Cast/crew parking is not permitted on area streets or in the Broxton Public Parking Structure on Broxton Avenue. Off-street, alternate parking must be provided.
 - Broxton Public Parking Structure must always remain open to the public. Signage must be clear that the parking lot is open.

- Posting of "No Parking" signs (for parking equipment vehicles or for picture) should be kept to a minimum in order to reduce any negative impact on the local business community. Broxton Avenue has very little metered parking.
- Surveys may be required from both sides of street depending on the impact to the businesses (requests will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis).

The Westwood Village Improvement Association (WVIA) is a California Nonprofit 501(c)3 charitable organization that works to make the Westwood Village District the best possible place to live, work, and play. The WVIA is pleased that you chose Westwood Village as the location for your filming or event.

Maintaining a clean and safe district requires significant resources and funding. The WVIA respectfully encourages you to make a tax-deductible donation to help us keep our district welcoming and attractive so it can remain a thriving and inviting place for everyone. Please contact info@thewestwoodvillage.com for detailed information.

Thank you in advance for your contribution.

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