NENC Board Meetings are held 3rd Wednesday of each month from 7-9 PM
At Northridge Woman’s Club, 18401 Lassen Street, Northridge, CA 91325

Agenda for Wednesday, December 17, 2014

1. Call to Order (President) 7pm
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call – Determination of Quorum (Secretary)
4. Voting Eligibility: Ethics, Funding, Code of Conduct Compliance
5. Agenda Setting Meeting Participation (Bailey, Lord, Dwiggins) (President)
6. Approval of Minutes — November 19, 2014 (Secretary)
7. Comments from Public Officials: CD12, Mayor, DONE, BONC, LAPD, LADF, CSUN, LAUSD
8. Guest Speakers
   a) LAPD Liaison to NENC: SLO Kate Luna (invited)
   b) City Attorney Neighborhood Prosecutor: DCA Alin Sahagian (invited)
9. Public comments on non-agenda items (3 min. max.)
10. Standing committee reports – Budget and Finance, Membership, Education, Environment, Executive, Outreach, Planning & Land Use, Community/Public Safety
11. Approval of Committee members: Education; Environment; Finance; Planning & Land Use; Public Safety
12. Northridge Vision update
14. Citrus Sunday 2015 update (Seoane)
15. Budget Advocates report on the 2015 budget process (Region 2 Bas)
16. Update on 18257 Halsted Street, AB 1866, and related issues
17. Reseda Boulevard (at Superior Street) Median Maintenance: coordination with the Northridge West NC, Bureau of Street Services, Council District 12, etc.
18. Authorization of persons to submit Community Impact Statements on behalf of the NENC
20. Motion to support Council File 14-1624 relating to expediting community improvement projects and to submit a Community Impact Statement
21. Motion to comment on Council File 11-1018 relating to the establishment of regional grievance panels for Neighborhood Councils inasmuch as the City Attorney has not submitted a draft ordinance for City Council consideration despite having been requested to do so on December 4, 2013 and to submit a Community Impact Statement
22. Motion to support implementation of the Reserve Animal Control Officer (RACO) Program, to write letter to Mayor Garcetti, and to submit a Community Impact Statement
23. Motion to support the continued operation of the “Pierce Farm Center” and the permanent protection and use of the Pierce College Farm for agricultural education and open space
24. Approval of annual Equipment Inventory
25. The NENC ratifies its previous actions for the employment of the NENC Minutes Taker, Carol Hart, with Partners In Diversity, Inc. effective September 17, 2014 and for an amount not to exceed $200 monthly.
26. The NENC Finance Committee recommends authorization to purchase office supplies and copying (not to exceed $500; Vendor: Office Depot or similar) (3-0-0 on 11/24/14)
27. Treasurer’s Report [Seoane]
   a) Approval of October 2014 Monthly Expense Report
   b) Approval of November 2014 Monthly Expense Report
   c) Approval of remainder of 2014-15 Budget Package: Self-Assessment; Strategic Plan; Outreach Survey
28. MINI-TRAINING: Agenda Posting Policy and the Brown Act – Commissioner Grant
29. Adjournment

All items on this agenda are considered action items, and a vote may be taken on any item listed on this agenda. A reasonable effort will be made to end the meeting no later than 9:00pm; any items not discussed will be carried over to the next meeting.

Public comments: Comments from the public on matters relating to the Northridge community, but not appearing on the Agenda, will be heard during the public comment period. Public comment is limited to 2 minutes per speaker, unless waived by the presiding officer of the Board. The public is requested to fill out a “Speaker Card” to address the Board on any item of the agenda prior to the Board taking action on an item.

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