

Sunland Tujunga Neighborhood Council

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General Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, January 10, 2018 – 6:30 PM North Valley City Hall 7747 Foothill Blvd., Tujunga, CA 91042

- 1. Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance (2)
- 2. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Appointment: President. According to our By Laws, the First Vice President shall preside over the appointment process as described in Article 5 Section 6 to elect a new President to serve out the remainder of the term; the new President must be chosen from those current board members who have served a minimum of twelve months on the current Board. Any board members interested in filling the vacant position will be asked to submit a statement announcing their desire to fill the vacancy and their qualifications to do so. These may be submitted in person to the STNC office or by email to secretary@stnc.org. They must be submitted at least 24 hours in advance of the next General Meeting.
- 3. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Appointment: Group Representative. Any stakeholders or board members interested in filling the vacant position will be asked to submit a statement announcing their desire to fill the vacancy and their qualifications to do so. These may be submitted in person to the STNC office or by email to secretary@stnc.org. They must be submitted at least 24 hours in advance of the next General Meeting. Stakeholders must provide proof of membership in a group that falls into the category they wish to represent. That group must possess a facility and/or hold regular meetings within the boundaries of the STNC, and the candidate must regularly attend meetings at that branch of the organization; and the candidate must live within the STNC boundaries. Furthermore, the Candidate must provide proof that that organization/group affirms that he/she is their representative.
- 4. Announcements (5)
 - a. Street Repair Dates, Election Chair, Facebook, Committee Chairs/Room Reservation
- 5. Event Announcements- 1 min per speaker (10)
- 6. Public Comment on Non-Agenda items within the Board's subject matter jurisdiction. (10)
- 7. Public Official and Community Representative Announcements (20)
- 8. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve budget \$250 for refreshments at Homeless Count
- 9. PRESENTATION: LA Family Housing Local Update (15 + 10 min Q/A)
- 10. PRESENTATION: Fire Update- Fire Station 74 (5 + 5 min Q/A)
- 11. PRESENTATION: Using 311- Lydia Grant (5)
- 12. DISCUSSION/ACTION: K. Partridge/Recovering from Fire/Navigating City and County Permit Systems (5)
- 13. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve possible Town Hall: Homeless and Fires
- 14. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Appoint Legal Liaison
- 15. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Appoint Community Impact Statement writers
- 16. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Appoint DWP Liaison
- 17. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Appoint NC Funding Equity Workgroup representative
- 18. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Appoint "Second Signer"
- 19. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Create Safe Streets Ads ad hoc committee
- 20. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve minutes from December Board Meeting
- 21. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Review and approve December 2017 Monthly Expenditure Report (MER)
- 22. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Update on Konica balance (~\$2,000)
- 23. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve Neighborhood Purposes Grant: Bolton Hall (\$3,500)
- 24. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve Neighborhood Purposes Grant: Giving Music (\$1,005)
- 25. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve \$250 VANC Planning meeting (revote)
- 26. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve \$250 VANC March Neighborhood Council mixer event (revote)



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- 27. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve Elections budget: Up to \$6,000 from this year's budget
- 28. DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve change of structure for paying minute taker. \$25/hr up to 10 hours per meeting.
- 29. Neighborhood Council Board and Committee Reports including Discussion/Possible Action
 - a. Land Use Committee
 - DISCUSSION/ACTION: Approve the City's new draft ordinance to regulate Donation Bins. The ordinance will require all bins to get a building permit from the Department of Building and Safety to be installed and operated; can only be placed in commercial zones and they must be at least 100 ft. from any A or R zoned property, at least 10 feet from any property line, and at least 20 feet from a public right of way. No more than one collection bin is allowed on a property, which must have a main building with at least one operating business. The STNC LUC supports the draft ordinance.
 - DISCUSSION/ACTION: Snowball West or Associates have formed the Tuna Canyon Memorial Partnership to solicit community support and are circulating a petition to move placement of the Tuna Canyon Historic Monument Site No. 1039 to a new site south of La Tuna Canyon along the Freeway in order to vacate the original site at 6433 La Tuna Canyon Rd.. Moving the site will destroy the monument status that exists today. The STNC LUC opposes any change to the Tuna Canyon Historic Monument Site No. 1039.
 - ANNOUNCEMENT: Street Work on Valmont Street, from France Avenue to Commerce Avenue for resurfacing postponed due to private construction on Valmont Street. Will be rescheduled when private work is done. Questions? call (818) 756-8651.
 - b. Report: Neighborhood Council Budget Advocates by Rick Ramirez, Budget Advocate: North East Valley
 - c. Report from representatives of VANC, LANCC or other NC Coalitions or Alliances
 - d. Region & Group Representatives
 - e. Youth Advisory Council
 - f. Outreach
 - g. Sunland-Tujunga Arts, Recreation and Culture Committee (STARC)
 - h. Women Empowering Sunland-Tujunga (WEST) Committee
 - i. Sunland-Tujunga Emergency Preparedness (STEP) Committee
 - i. Education
 - k. Beautification
 - 1. Animal Issues Committee- Animal Disaster Preparedness Panel and Planning Meeting Jan. 16th 7:30pm.
 - m. Bylaws Committee Bylaws will be voted on at an upcoming meeting and submitted before the next deadline
- 30. Closing Comments, Acknowledgements, and Adjournment. (1)

Adjourn by 9:00 p.m.

Posted 1/6/18; Remove after 1/11/18

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