

Sunland-Tujunga Neighborhood Council

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Sunland-Tujunga Neighborhood Council Special Joint Board and Community Improvement and Government Affairs Thursday, September 16, 2021 Online Meeting Via Zoom 10:00 a.m.

| Roll Call at:10:06 am | | |
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| Lallah Rowe*, chair | Present | |
| Carol Hutchinson* | Present | |
| Lydia Grant* | Present | |
| Cindy Cleghorn* | Present at 10:07 am | |
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| | *STNC Board Member | |
| Committee | | |
| Quorum: 3 | | |

- 1. Call to Order and Welcome –Chair Lallah Rowe calls meeting to order. Roll call-- meeting quorum met.
- 2. Opening comments by Chair
- 3. Carol Hutchinson will be note taker
- 4. Minutes of previous meeting unavailable at this time
- 5. Comments from Chair
- 6. Discussion/Possible Action Getting additional Park Rangers.

Cindy recommended Kevin Davis from the Budget Advocate be involved to ask the City to put additional Rangers into the next budget.

Lydia stated the State got a huge windfall from the Federal Government and will need to spend the money. Cindy referred to Council file 19-0600S71 and said this item has been in Monica Rodriquez (Public Safety) committee and she is refusing to address the Ranger issue. She further commented that the LAPD is having to cover for the lack of Park Rangers. LAPD now has to also cover the schools so they are spread very thin.

7. Discussion/Possible action: Call out for artists for Pinewood Mural.

Marjorie Maxon read a statement to the committee. Lydia Grant noted that every single time the STNC is involved in any project, there needs to be acknowledgement of the STNC. All projects are considered Outreach, even Community Improvement. She further stated there had to be community input. We have many artists in this community- we just need to outreach to them. Lydia stated Committees are not independent groups- they are part of the STNC and everything being proposed by a committee needs to be approved by the STNC Board.



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8.Discussion/Possible Action: CF 21-0001-S150 (Rodriquez) 8/3/21 Street Racing, Authorizing Driver's License Suspension.

Cindy corrected the above CF stating the correct file is: CF 21-0002-S150. She further stated the Westside NC filed a CIS on this motion on Sept 9 and supported AB3 to increase penalties from 90 days to six months. Karen Perdue stated that the motion doesn't go far enough, cars should be towed. Lydia commented that cars should be crushed to deter further street racing.

Cindy made the motion to submit a CIS in support of the motion with an amendment that penalties need to be increased to one year suspension with the vehicle towed/impounded/destroyed.

| Cindy 1 st Carol 2 nd | | |
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Item to be referred for Board approval.

9.Discussion/Possible Action regarding CF 21-0870 (Rodriquez) 8/3/21 Street racing task force reports. Recommended measures to: Public Safety Committee.

Cindy said this item is worth supporting. Cindy will write the CIS.

| Lydia 1 st Cindy 2 nd | | |
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10. Item tabled.

11. Tree Species list. Public comments were taken. Cindy asked that the list be sent to the Land Use and Beautification committees for their input.

12. Reference to item above- there is an online survey providing access for people to give their input on the suggested trees. There is no opportunity to comment on the link. The link closed on 9/15/2021 but there may be an extension till the end of the month for NC's to comment.

13. Discussion/possible action: Proposed Street amenities Program. There is a proposal to provide more bus shelters, WiFi, Bike racks and Digital advertising at bus stops. There was a motion to ask for a six month extension to allow time for public input.



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14. No updates given regarding prior committee recommendations.

15. Discussion on how to get items onto CIGA committee agenda

a. Email Lydia at: stncpresidentgrant@gmail.com

b. Add agenda item under the STNC.org "contact us" tab. This will send item to the Executive committee which will then decide which STNC committee should be given the agenda request.

c. Lydia and Karen Perdue will write up the process

Next Meeting Date – Oct. 21st. Meeting adjourned at 11:56 am.

Minutes by Carol Hutchinson