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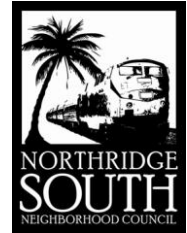


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REGULAR MEETING

NORTHRIDGE SOUTH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

Thursday, August 24, 2017 – 7:00 PM
Northridge Middle School – Library
17960 Chase St, Northridge CA 91325

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- 1) Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance
- 2) Board of Directors Roll Call
- 3) Approval of minutes from June 22nd Board Meeting
- 4) Comments by public officials (5 minutes)
 - a. CD12
 - b. Other public officials
- 5) General public comment on non-agendized items (limit two minutes each)
- 6) President’s Comments (5 minutes)
- 7) Old Business
 - a. Budget Update (5 minutes)
 - b. Approval of Monthly Reconciliation Reports (5 minutes) MER
 - c. Discuss Congress of Neighborhood Councils, Who plans to attend?
 - d. Discuss additional outreach projects.
 - e. Discuss other opportunities for outreach programs.
 - f. Budget
- 8) New Business:
 - a. Vote to accept Tiffany Caldwell to fill the vacancy in Board Membership created by the resignation of Nour Chaaban.
 - b. Move for the approval of a continuing monthly expenditure for this budget year for storage space at Public Storage in an amount not to exceed \$275/month.
 - c. Move for the approval of a continuing monthly expenditure for this budget year for website maintenance and hosting in amount not to exceed \$150/month.
 - d. Move for the approval of a continuing monthly expenditure for this budget year to Decision Publications for Community Connection Advertising in an amount not to exceed \$250/month.
 - e. Move for the approval of the July 2017 Monthly Expenditure Report.
 - f. Move for the approval of pocket park maintenance expenses during this budget year for gravel, mulch, and other gardening materials and tools in an amount not to exceed \$250.
 - g. Don Larson will present an update on the park at Zelzah and Nordhoff
 - h. Jill Stewart from Coalition to Preserve LA is seeking a letter from the Council in support by the Coalition’s request for the City Planning Department to allow greater transparency and open the planning process to the public prior to the City’s Decision.
 - i. Lisette Covarrubias, Neighborhood Liaison, from the Department of City Planning or a staff member will provide updates on the General Plan process.
 - j. Discussion and Vote regarding Neighborhood Purpose Grant request by Northridge Beautification for \$5,000.00 to partially fund the painting of a mural on the side of the

- Catalina Paints Building depicting the history of Northridge.
- k. Board will accept any requests by Board Members who would like to be considered for any position as a Board Officers. Should any Board Member requesting nominations then a vote will be taken according to the Bylaws of the Neighborhood Council, Article VI Section 3.
 - l. Discuss additional street clean-up projects. Consider the purchase of "A" frame type signs

indicating something like "Your Northridge South Neighborhood Council at Work.

- 9.) Individual Committee reports (5 minutes each)
 - a. Bike repair program at PALS. (Date to be announced)
- 10.) Board member announcements (2 minutes each)
- 11.) Adjournment

"Meet and Greet" starts at 6:30 p.m., one half hour before meeting.

Time allocations for agenda items are approximate and may be shortened or lengthened at the discretion of the Chairperson.

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The NSNC Committee meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of each month (unless otherwise noted) in the Northridge Middle School Library, 17960 Chase Street. **Note:** During the months of **November and December**, the committee meetings **may** fall on the **first Monday of the month**, to accommodate the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.