REGULAR MEETING
NORTHRIDGE SOUTH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
Thursday, April 25, 2019 – 7:00 PM
Northridge Middle School – Library
17960 Chase St, Northridge CA 91325

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Any and all items listed below on the agenda are subject to discussion and possible action by the Northridge South Neighborhood Council.

1) Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance
2) Board of Directors Roll Call
3) Approval of minutes from the January 24, 2019 meeting.
4) Comments by public officials (5 minutes)
   a. CD12
   b. Budget Advocate update (Brian Allen)
   c. Any other public officials acting in an official capacity.
5) General public comment on non-agendized items (limit 2 minutes each)
6) President’s Comments (5 minutes)
   a. Announcement: There are 2 Board positions open, one for a business member and one position for an Organizational member.

Old Business
7) Discussion and proposal:
   a. Discussion and proposal of an NPG from Northridge Hospital Foundation (C.A.T.S.) for a $2,500 grant. This is a walk/run event to be held April 20, 2019 to support the Center for Assault Treatment Services (C.A.T.S.).
   b. Suggestions and comments as to who should deal with complaints regarding alleged building code violations on property at 18334 Malden Street.
   c. Correction and discussion regarding clerical errors on the following NPGs. Northridge Beautification Foundation. The application indicates an expected completion date of October 1, 2018, and the board voted on the approval of the application on February 28, 2019.

Continued
Per NC Funding Program Policy 2.4, NPG applications shall be approved by the NC before the completion date listed on the NPG.

d. Los Angeles Parks Foundation: The NPG is currently missing the budget and the 501(c)3 Letter of Determination from the Internal Revenue Service. We will resubmit this with the budget and 501(c)3 letter attached.

**Discussion and possible action** to amend the Northridge South Neighborhood Council Standing Rules to include conditions that have to be met by the applicant if a Neighborhood Purposes Grant is to be considered for funding:

a) Prior to submission of an application, the applicant organization should review the Neighborhood Council Funding Program Policies and Guidelines, specifically the sections governing Neighborhood Purposes Grants. See, https://clerk.lacity.org/neighborhood-council-funding-program

b) Applications must be submitted no later than January 31st of the fiscal year for which it is being considered. The fiscal year runs from July 1 of the current year to June 30 of the following year.

c) Applicants must give a presentation regarding the application and public purpose and benefit of the grant as part of the agenda at a Regular Board Meeting.

d) The presentation must be given no later than the regular Board meeting held in February of the fiscal year for which it is being considered or such other date as approved by the board.

e) The application must include information about how the Northridge South Neighborhood Council will be recognized for providing the grant.

f) The application should include Information about the organization’s purpose(s) and if the organization has parent or affiliate organizations.

g) If the application is for an event, it must be **open and accessible to the public and free of charge**.

8). New Business:

**FUNDING ITEMS:**

a. Update on the Neighborhood Council Budget (5 minutes)


**OTHER TOPICS:**

c. Discussion regarding the construction project (Meritage Homes) at 8350 Reseda Boulevard

d. ZA-2019-69-CUB (19350 W NORDHOFF WAY 91324) Aldi request for Conditional Use permit to sell alcohol in their store.

e. ZA-2017-2138-ZV (8830 N Amigo Ave): Discussion and vote regarding complaint and subsequent removal of complaint by stakeholder of a zone variance to allow continuation of operation of auto repair body and paint. Requested Entitlement: pursuant to LAMC SECTION 12.27-B.1 SECTIONS FROM WHICH RELIEF IS REQUESTED 12.17.6-A. Applicant requested a zone variance to allow addition of paint to existing auto repair facility. Heard by Planning Department 01/14/2019.

f. Request by Stakeholder Donnal Poppe for NC to purchase signs to remind Stakeholders to water the trees.

g. Discuss and vote to partner with CSUN for a forum of Council District 12 candidates. The event will be held Thursday, May 16, 2019, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at CSUN’s Orange
9.) New or Additional Committee Reports (5 minutes each):
   a. Budget and Finance Committee 
   b. Bylaws and Procedures Committee 
   c. Community Activities and Projects Committee 
   d. Environmental- Sustainability Committee 
   e. Governmental Affairs Committee. 
   f. Outreach and Communications Committee. 
   g. Planning and Land Use items (10 minutes) 
   h. Transportation and Public Works Committee. 
   i. Public Safety Committee. 

10.) Board member announcements (2 minutes each) 
    **Events for Calendar:** OneGeneration Senior Symposium on May 18, 2019. 

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.