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Granada Hills North Neighborhood Council Board Meeting Monday, August 27, 2012 6:30 p.m.

Van Gogh Street Elementary School 17160 Van Gogh St, Granada Hills, CA 91344 GRANADA HILLS NORTH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

11139 Woodley Ave. Granada Hills, CA 91344

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AGENDA

All agenda items are subject to discussion and possible Board action

- 1. Call to Order, Roll Call, Pledge of Allegiance, President's Comments
- 2. Approval of July 30, 2012 Board Meeting Minutes
- 3. Comments from CD 12, Senior Lead Officers, Mayor's Valley Rep, any government agencies
- **4.** Public Comment on non-agenda items

BOARD MEMBERS

Aanes Lewis

Scott Manatt

Cherie Mann

Lydia Plescia

Steven Steinberg

Kim Thompson

Ray Pollok

Jan Subar

PRESIDENT

Leon Marzillier

VICE PRESIDENT Anne Ziliak

Carl Buettner

Sue De Vandry

Bill Hopkins Wayde Hunter

Rahim Kazi

Kevin Kilroy Ralph Kroy

Edward Headington

Sid Gold

- **5.** Presentation SOLID (Supporters of Law Enforcement in Devonshire)
- **6.** Emergency Preparedness Item of the Month Bill Hopkins
- 7. Motion (Marzillier) That GHNNC accept the resignation of Neysa Frechette as Student Representative
- 8. Discussion and possible action regarding outreach and filing details for candidates for Selection to the Board
- **9.** Committee Reports and possible action items:
 - a. Financial Officer Report including discussion and approval Sue DeVandry
 - b. Treasurer Report including discussion and approval Kim Thompson
 - c. Citywide Issues Sid Gold Motion That GHNNC support in principle the Initiative proposed by Common Cause that would allow easier access for citizens to run as candidates in LA City elections and that financing of this initiative be revenue neutral; Motion That the funds allocated in Proposition R for a transportation system from the San Fernando Valley to the Westside along the 405 Freeway be considered to be utilized instead for an underground route proposed to be called the JEM line from Van Nuys to UCLA; Motion That GHNNC understands the need for water and power rate increases and GHNNC is opposed to:
 - the shifting of rates form apartments to single family homes
 - uncapped pass-throughs except for purchased water
 - uncapped pass-throughs except for the purchase of fuel for power to provide energy for water and energy distribution

and that these GHNNC positions be submitted to Independent Ratepayer Advocate, City Council and the DWP Board;

Motion That GHNNC take the following positions regarding **Sidewalk Repair Ordinance:** 05-1853-S1 and 12-0600-S122 and S139, AB 2231, introduced by Councilwoman Perry, asking for the creation of special assessment districts for sidewalk repair the following is resolved:

- that GHNNC opposes Council motions, file # 12-0600-S139 and S122
- that GHNNC reaffirm its previous resolution regarding payment for sidewalk repair

and that GHNNC submit these resolutions as CIS statements to the above City files;

Motion That GHNNC supports the following positions with regard to the selection of the new DONE manager:

- at least one member appointed to the selection committee be chosen from the NC system
- the various regional NC coalitions participate in advising the selection committee
- that there be an active outreach by DONE and the regional coalitions to involve NC's that are not involved in regional coalitions to participate in the selection

and that these GHNNC positions be submitted to the Mayor, Done and Neighbor Committee of LA City Council

- d. Policy and Rules Carl Buettner
- e. PLUM Anne Ziliak
- f. Parks & Beautification Cherie Mann
- g. Outreach Bill Hopkins
- h. Public Safety Ray Pollok
- i. Ethics Steve Steinberg
- 10. Board comment on non-agenda items
- 11. Adjournment

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