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**MEETING MINUTES**

GHNNC Special Meeting of the Board  
Thursday, September 15, 2022 – 7:00 PM  
Zoom Meeting Online  
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IN CONFORMITY WITH THE SEPTEMBER 16, 2021 ENACTMENT OF CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY BILL 361 (RIVAS) AND DUE TO CONCERNS OVER COVID-19, THE GRANADA HILLS NORTH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED ENTIRELY WITH A CALL-IN OPTION OR INTERNET-BASED SERVICE OPTION. TO ACCESS DOCUMENTS RELEVANT TO THIS MEETING GO TO GHNNC.ORG AND CLICK ON THE LINK IN THE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT.

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**All agenda items are subject to discussion and possible Board action**

Roster					
Board Member	Present	Absent	Board Member	Present	Absent
Alfredo Castillo	x		Oscar Jimenez	x	
Alvin Waters Jr.	x		Rahim Kazi		x
Brian Allen	x		Ralph Kroy		x
			Robert Moore	x	
Danitza Pantoja	x		Sidney Gold	x	
Graham Czach	x		Thomas Hartfield		x
Jason Lester	x				
Keren Waters	x				
Nathan Lee	x		Stakeholders	1	

1. Call to Order (7:05 Meeting to order)
2. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items (limited to 1 minute).(No comments made)
3. Discussion and motion to review video from 8/4/2022 GHNNC Board meeting and consider removal of Thomas Hartfield as PLUM Chair due to non-compliance with GHNNC Code of Civility, Code of Conduct, and the Ralph M. Brown Act.(Discussion made: Listened to video at 13:47 Minutes.

**Motion to amend proposed by Sidney Gold to remove wording from “Due to.... Act”, Seconded by Keren Waters) as well as discussion....therefore changing the Motion altogether to read: “Motion to remove Thomas Hartfield as PLUM Chair” Motion Votes: Yes:10 ABSTAIN: 1;  
**MOTION AMENDED AS RECOMMENDED BY****

4. Discussion and motion to approve itemized list of GHNNC giveaways. GHNNC Board voted at the 9/06/2022 board meeting to approve up to \$5000 on the condition of the amended motion, to review the itemized list with costs. **(Votes: Yes: unanimously passes)**
5. Board Member Announcements **(Comments made by members)**
6. Adjournment **(Meeting adjourned at 8:57pm)**

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