



# Northridge West Neighborhood Council

## Updated Joint meeting of Outreach, Education & NPG, Land Use, Beautification and Government Affairs Committees Meeting Agenda

### July 23, 2013 and starts at 7PM

**North Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce (NWNC Office)**  
**9401 Reseda Blvd. Northridge, CA 91324**  
**Enter from rear parking lot.**

*Note NWNC maybe sound recording this NWNC committees meeting as back up information for NWNC minutes.*  
*NWNC will provide water at this meeting.*

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The NWNC Agenda is posted for public review at the following Northridge locations below and posted on NWNC website [www.NorthridgeWest.org](http://www.NorthridgeWest.org) or for more information call (818) 886-3534 ask for Glen.

Beckford Avenue Elementary School 19130 Tulsa St.
The Discovery Shop 9719 Reseda Blvd.
Galleria Market 10201 Reseda Blvd. Posted on inside of market and on Community Bulletin inside.
North Valley Regional Chamber of Commerce 9401 Reseda Blvd. (on north side of NVRCC outside sign in front)
\$10 or Less Bookstore 19500 Plummer St. on Bulletin Board inside store near Super King Market
Shell Service Station 8900 Corbin Ave.
Topeka Drive Elementary School 9815 Topeka Drive

Note may take out of order on committees listed if needed at this meeting.

- A. Outreach Committee meeting - Committee Chair is Matthew Vallecilla (Starts at 7PM)
  - 1. Call to order and roll
  - 2. Discussion or/and possible NWNC Board Agenda items for NWNC Aug. 13, 2013 General Meeting.
    - a. What Outreach items would like to put on future NWNC agendas for 2013/2014 year including funding or/and events items?
  - 3. Updates and comments on non-agenda *Outreach* items. (2 minutes each)
  - 4. ADJOURNMENT
  
- B. Education & NPG Committee meeting - Committee Chair is Tom Johnson
  - 1. Call to order and roll
  - 2. Discussion or/and possible NWNC Board Agenda items for NWNC Aug. 13, 2013 General Meeting.
    - a. Focus on joint projects with the local schools and NWNC.
    - b. Look at proposal for a NPG for the "Friends of Northridge Library for \$2,500.
    - c. Look at proposal from Ahmed Allibhoy president of the Robotics team at Cleveland High School for funding.
  - 3. Updates and comments on non-agenda *Education & NPG* items. (2 minutes each)
  - 4. ADJOURNMENT
  
- C. Land Use Committee meeting - Committee Chair is Glen Wilson
  - 1. Call to order and roll
  - 2. Discussion or/and possible NWNC Board Agenda items for NWNC Aug. 13, 2013 General Meeting.
    - a. Possible motion for NWNC Resolution and Community Impact Statement (CIS) Affirming NWNC's Support of Council File 13-0650. Updated NWNC resolution and CIS to support Council File # 13-0650 instead of 07-0699 (the 6 year old Greig Smith motion for same thing, fining the parkway violators \$50) is below.

**NWNC possible Resolution and Community Impact Statement (CIS) Affirming NWNC's Support of Council File 13-0650.**

NWNC supports Council File 07-0699 dated May 2007 that, when enacted, will allow LA City to fine violators of LAMC 56.08, the messy sidewalk and parkway ordinance. This motion (pasted below) was put forward by Greig

Smith, and it was unanimously passed by LA City Council six years ago. Currently Bureau of Street Services is so understaffed that it rarely issues warnings and it virtually never follows up with any subsequent enforcement. If the first warning indicates a \$50 fine will be imposed, the violator is more likely to comply with the law.

NWNC further supports Council File 13-0650 dated May 2013 containing the actual legislative language to implement fining of violators \$50, then \$100 and finally \$150 for the third offense within one calendar year. Fining the violators is the best solution to parkway and sidewalk blight. Within the last few years parking fines were raised by about 80 percent so certainly these violators should incur a penalty as well as this affects quality of life at least as much as illegal parkers do. Further, the Public Works Committee approved City Attorney Report 13-0650 on June 12, 2013, and here is the link to Council File 13-0650:

[http://clkrep.lacity.org/online/docs/2013/13-0650\\_RPT\\_ATT\\_Y\\_05-24-13.pdf](http://clkrep.lacity.org/online/docs/2013/13-0650_RPT_ATT_Y_05-24-13.pdf)

*Note was tabled at June 26, 2013 NWNC Land Use meeting.*

- b. **Should NWNC do NWNC Board Resolution on updated proposed project located at 9010-9034 Reseda Blvd. (was ~~two~~ now one drive-ins-restaurants) was talked about at Northridge Vision meeting from NSNC people?**
  - c. **Updates on some objection to loud amplified music emanating from new amphitheater at Northridge Fashion Center (NFC) every Thursday evening from about 5PM and playing to 7PM from originally from email which event started Thursday June 20, 2013 night.**
  - d. **Updates on empty Albertsons Supermarket on 18555 Devonshire St. which may be a "Smart & Final Market".**
3. **Updates and comments on non-agenda land use items. (2 minutes each)**
  4. **ADJOURNMENT**

**D. Then Beautification Committee meeting - Committee Chair is Glen Wilson**

1. **Call to order and roll**
2. **Discussion or/and possible NWNC Board Agenda items for NWNC Aug. 13, 2013 General Meeting.**
  - a. **Where are potholes locations in NWNC that need to be done by "Operation NC Blitz" by L.A. City Bureau of Street Services which will be starting Aug. 8, 2013 to do in NWNC area by filling potholes on streets and alleys. Need list on locations of NWNC potholes by early Friday 26, 2013 so I can email to Bureau of Street Services with the whole list potholes for NWNC area.**
  - b. **Updated wording up to \$1,000 on Motion to approve a NWNC Board Resolution letter for joint Northridge NC's (NENC, NWNC and NSNC) to create a Northridge Vision holding fund account acceptable to DONE for this purpose with funding from NWNC Beautification or other NWNC funding. Northridge East NC has send board Resolution letter to create a Northridge Vision holding account acceptable to DONE for this purpose. Tabled from June 11, 2013 meeting under Government Affairs (Wilson)**
  - c. **Does NWNC what to do a Northridge joint funding for planting trees or/and lighting on trees for the Holidays in Dec. 2013 on Reseda Blvd. with NENC and NSNC or not? Cost of plantings trees or/and lighting on trees later.**
3. **Updates and comments on non-agenda Beautification items. (2 minutes each)**
4. **ADJOURNMENT**

**E. Last is Government Affairs Committee meeting - Committee Chair is Glen Wilson**

1. **Call to order and roll**
2. **Discussion or/and possible NWNC Board Agenda for NWNC Aug. 13, 2013 General Meeting.**
  - a. **Updates from Northridge Vision last meeting.**
  - b. **Should NWNC General Meetings still be in future be meeting at Northridge Christian Church in Sanctuary or not?**
  - c. **Look at having CSUN internship (free or for class credit) to help out with NWNC subjects went needed. Information from NENC Ankur Patel on "Campus Councils: Civic Engagement and Youth Participation" letter.**
  - d. **Work at getting a person from LADWP to be speaker on Bay-Delta water plan for Aug. or later NWNC meeting.**
3. **Updates and comments on non-agenda Government Affairs items (2 minutes each)**
4. **Last ADJOURNMENT**

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