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SYLMAR NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL JOINT SPECIAL MEETING OF THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE AND BOARD – AGENDA

Committee Chair: Dr. David M. Rodriguez

Tuesday, January 10, 2017

6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

St. Didacus Church – Parish Center/Room 3

14337 Astoria St., Sylmar, CA 91342

Out of an abundance of caution due to the possible attendance and participation of a majority of Sylmar Neighborhood Council Board Members at this Committee meeting, this meeting is noticed as a Joint Meeting of the Outreach Committee and the Board, in adherence with the State's Brown Act. No action will be taken on behalf of the Board at this meeting of the Committee. Only Committee Members are allowed to vote.

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1. **Call to Order.**
2. **Housekeeping:** Sign-In Sheets, Speaker Cards for Agenda Items, Recording and Timekeeper.
3. **Public Comment** on matters not appearing on the agenda:
 - a. Public Officials & Representatives (2 minutes per speaker).
 - b. Stakeholders (2 minutes per speaker).

New Business

4. **Approval of Minutes** of the October 11, 2016, Outreach Committee Meeting.
5. **Discussion and possible action** relative to holding a "Neighborhood Walk/Day of Action" on Saturday, January 28, 2017.
6. **Discussion and possible action** relative to holding the Sylmar Neighborhood Council's third community mixer on Saturday, February 18, 2017.
7. **Discussion and possible action** relative to which business and/or individual to recommend for recognition at the Sylmar Neighborhood Council's general board meeting on Thursday, January 26, 2017.

8. Strategy Session:

- a. Mid-term Report: Lessons Learned
- b. Thinking Big: Projects for 2017
- c. It's All About the People: Soliciting Community Feedback & Improving Communication

9. **Committee Member Comments** on subject matters within the committee's jurisdiction.

10. **Future Agenda Items:** Please e-mail the committee chair at David.M.Rodriguez@SylmarNC.org.

The next meeting of the Outreach Committee will be on Tuesday, February 14, 2017.

11. Closing Remarks, Announcements, Acknowledgements, and Adjournment.

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Stakeholders may comment on any agenda item only when the item comes up for discussion. The Committee will determine the length of discussion and comment times. The attending stakeholders may be polled for their opinion on any agenda item before the Committee takes action for a recommendation to the Board. Comments from the stakeholders on other matters not appearing on the agenda that are within the Committee's jurisdiction will be heard during Public Comment. Please note that under the Brown Act, the Board is prevented from acting on a matter that you bring to its attention during the General Public Comment period; however, the issue raised by a stakeholder may become the subject of a future Board meeting.

Any Committee action may be reconsidered following the meeting when the original action occurred. A Committee Member makes a Motion for Reconsideration, and if approved another vote on the issue takes place based on the reasoning for the reconsideration. The Committee Member must have been on the prevailing side of the action/issue.

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