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Van Nuys Neighborhood Council Human Services Committee

Wed., Oct 6, 2021

6pm – 8pm

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Kathy Schreiner (VNNC, Vice President), Gwendolyn Flynn (Stakeholder), Damaris Macias (Stakeholder),

Agenda

1. Call to Order. Roll Call; determination of quorum.
2. Opening comments from Chairperson.
3. Approve minutes of *July & August* meeting.
4. Reports from Public Officials/ Departments/ Community Agencies.
5. Update from Hope of the Valley on use of NPG funds – *Hope of the Valley - Bernice Saavedra*
6. Discussion of recent City of L.A. initiatives to address homeless issues. - *Kathy Schreiner*
(Link from Councilman Mark Ridley Thomas’ office highlighting a new initiative to increase more rental subsidies. <http://cd10.cityofla.acsitefactory.com/articles/councilmember-ridley-thomas-motion-establish-housing-now-initiative-unanimously-approved>)
7. General Public Comment
8. Announcements: board members are invited to share events and information for the benefit of informing those in the room
9. Adjournment

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I will encourage other points of view, even when they differ from my own.
I will respect, value, and consider everyone's opinion.
I will find the good in my neighborhood and praise it and promote it.
To my neighbors, and to neighborhoods throughout the City of Los Angeles, I pledge to do this to the best of my ability.