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Van Nuys Neighborhood Council Outreach Committee Meeting

AGENDA

Tuesday, July 30, 2024 6:30 p.m.

Van Nuys Branch Library Community Room 6250 Sylmar Van Nuys, CA 91401

On the Civic Center Plaza



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Outreach Committee Chair: Maduka Nkuku Members: Hakop Azatyan, Quirino de la Cuesta, and Ann Kalb

- 1. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance.
- 2. Chair to appoint (and committee members to confirm) Kathy Schreiner to fill vacant position on the Outreach Committee on an interim basis.
- 3. Discussion and possible recommendations to the Board to allocate up to \$300 to cover expenses related to tabling at a Community Resource Day on Saturday, September 7th at Van Nuys City Hall, which is being hosted by Northeast Valley Health Corporation (NEVHC) with the special collaboration of Councilmember Imelda Padilla.

Invitation extended by Julie Leyba, Manager of Government & Community Relations of NEVHC, reads as follows: "The NEVHC is a nonprofit community health center providing primary, dental, and behavioral health services for medically underserved populations throughout the San Fernando and Santa Clarita Valleys. We operate 18 health centers that serve over 82,000 patients annually. This year, we plan to host a **Community Resource Day on Saturday, September 7th at Van Nuys City Hall** from 10 AM – 2 PM with special collaboration with Councilmember Imelda Padilla. The purpose of the event is to bring community partners to bring resources for the community with a special focus on promoting civic engagements.

"NEVHC recently received a civic engagement grant through the California Primary Care Association to promote nonpartisan voter education for 2024. We want this event to be fun and resourceful, but educational and empowering for our residents of the valley to participate in the voting process! We would be thrilled to have Van Nuys Neighborhood Council table at the event."

- **4.** Discussion regarding upcoming events sponsored by others in which the VNNC might participate (e.g. by having a table or providing specific support). Events to explore include but are not limited to::
 - Events at Van Nuys Recreation Center (such as Opening Day in early October for youth sports teams and other fall events)
 - Summer Night Lights and other events at Delano Recreation Center
 - Events sponsored by local elected officials
 - Family educational event at the Wildlife Reserve of the Sepulveda Basin (possibly in collaboration with the SFV Audobon Society

- **5.** Discussion and possible recommendation to the Board regarding future VNNC Outreach Events.
- 6. Discussion and possible action to propose purchase of VNNC-branded promotional items that can be given to the public during outreach activities.
- 7. Discussion and possible recommendation to propose purchase of name budgets for Board Members to wear at community events.
- 8. Discussion and possible recommendation regarding ways to recruit new Board Members to join the VNNC.
- **9. Discussion of various issues related to the VNNC Website --** including priority items to feature on the home page, use of calendar, and web pages to be reviewed for updates to content.
- 10. Discuss schedule for future committee meetings.
- **11. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items** maximum of 2 min per stakeholder. (Note that topics discussed must be within the jurisdiction of the VNNC.)
- 12. Identification of topics Committee members would like to discuss at a future meeting.
- 13. Adjournment

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