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Van Nuys Neighborhood Council Executive Committee Meeting AGENDA

Tuesday, September 1, 2026
6:30 PM

Van Nuys Branch Library
Community Room
6250 Sylmar
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On the Civic Center Plaza

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Speakers shall direct their comments to the Board (not to an individual).

Members of the Executive Committee: P. Bingham, B. Edelman, D. Harari, K. Schreiner

1. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance
2. Logistics for September 9th General Board meeting
 - a. Food
 - b. Room setup
 - c. Timing of meeting segments
3. Discussion and possible action regarding potential issues and presentations
 - a. Next steps with ICON on business development and street vendor
 - b. Continued discussion of Van Nuys Airport rezoning issues
 - c. Sept. report from CSUN Urban Planning professors about class project focused on Van Nuys
 - d. Fire Dept. presentation to provide background on ballot measure FD

ask for an opportunity to give a brief presentation on the state of the LAFD and to discuss Measure FD (fundlafire.com) which will be on the November 3, 2026 ballot in the City of Los Angeles. I'm writing to request a few minutes on the agenda at your next Neighborhood Council general meeting.

The presentation would provide an overview of department staffing, resources, service demands, and emergency preparedness in Los Angeles. It would also cover current challenges affecting the Department's ability to respond to major emergencies, and the firefighters would be available to answer questions from community members.

I also want to emphasize that this presentation will be strictly informational about the current state of the LAFD and is not intended to advocate for or campaign on behalf of Measure FD. We will be there to present the facts of the ballot measure and answer any questions that your neighborhood council members may have. We will NOT be there to campaign one way or another.

- e. Highlighting ballot measure related to funding of Recreation and Parks
4. Discussion and any needed reconsideration regarding options for VNNC Elections and Elections Worksheet tentatively approved at August 12 GBM.
5. Discussion and possible action regarding potential Items for the Agenda of the GBM (General Board Meeting) on September 9 -- see separate list of items on page 4.
6. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items (2 min per stakeholder)
(Note that topics discussed must be within the jurisdiction of the VNNC.)
7. Identification of topics Board Officers would like to discuss at a future meeting.
8. Adjournment.

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Draft Agenda of the VNNC September 9, 2026 GBM (General Board Meeting)

1. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance
2. LAPD and LAFD Reports.
 - a. LAFD presentation related to Measure FD
3. ?LAHSA report on homeless count.
4. Other Government Official Reports (Will take public questions/comments after each report.)
5. Metro staff reports
 - a. ESFV Light Rail Line
 - b. G-Line Improvements
6. Budget Advocate report
7. Discussion with CSUN Urban Planning professors and students regarding their study of Van Nuys.
8. Discussion and possible action related to issues presented and discussed at August 12 meeting related to proposed rezoning of land owned by Van Nuys Airport. Possible vote on sending letter to Planning Department and/or Council District 6.
9. General Public Comment on non-agenda items. (NOTE: candidates for office can make a general public comment).
10. Board Officer Reports
 - a. President
 - Status of Board Members completing new financial training.
 - Events taking place in September and October.
 - Opportunity to complete Fire Department survey for input to strategic planning.
 - b. Other officer reports
11. Budget and Finance Committee items that require a roll call vote
 - a. Discussion and possible action to approve July MER.
 - b. Discussion and possible action to approve a reimbursement to VNNC President Kathy Schreiner for out-of-pocket charges relating to FedEx printing of Agenda Materials.

12. PLUM Committee items

- a. PLUM Committee recommends that the Board send a letter of support to the City Planning Department regarding application to demolish existing buildings and build new 4-storage self-storage facility at 15005-15009 Oxnard Street. A 98,458 sq. ft self-storage warehouse is proposed with 24 hour access. A height district change is proposed from M3-1 to M3-2D for a floor area ratio of 2.46:1 (NOTE: More details about case and draft letter of support will be added to GBM agenda.)
- b. PLUM recommends that the Board send a letter of support to the City Planning Department related to new location for Lashon Academy at 6725 N KESTER AVE - Clarification of "Q" Condition No.1 of Ordinance No: 142778 to allow change from parking area to playground area for the school. Case#: DIR-2026-2049-CLQ. Representative: Matthew Hayden of Hayden Planning. (Draft letter of support will be added to GBM agenda.)

13. Outreach Committee report.

- a. May recommend tabling by VNNC for LAPD 10K run on September 12.
- b. May recommend participation by VNNC in Halloween-related events at GALS charter school, Delano Recreation Center, and Van Nuys Recreation Center.
- c. May recommend purchase of promotional items.

14. Appoint Quirino de la Cuesta as the second representative of the VNNC on the Los Angeles Neighborhood Council Sustainability Alliance (LANCSA).

15. Discussion and possible action on reconsidering any of the options tentatively approved for the Election Worksheet required to be submitted to the City Clerk by the end of August.

16. Announcements and identification of topics that Board members would like to be discussed at a future meeting.

17. Adjournment.