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Beautification & Community Improvement Committee Meeting Agenda Tuesday, April 03, 2012

7:00p.m.

**Grace Community Church Fireside Room
13248 Roscoe Blvd. | Sun Valley, CA 91352**

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ALL ITEMS ON AGENDA ARE SUBJECT TO DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION.

1. Call to order and roll call.
2. General public comment on items not listed on today's agenda (3 minutes per speaker).
3. Review and approve Minutes from February 7, 2012 meeting.
4. Choose a new chairperson for the Beautification Committee.
5. Modifications to Committee Membership.
6. Discussion and possible action: Perform clean up of Strathern between Coldwater and Whitsett as well as possibly a section of Saticoy if there is enough manpower available. Tentative date: a Saturday morning in May.
7. Discussion and possible action: Make a list of other streets in the NoHoWest NC area that can be cleaned up and create a schedule to perform cleanups.
8. Discussion and possible action: Participate with North Hollywood North East NC in performing a cleanup of the Sherman Way and Roscoe Blvd. off ramps of the 170 (Hollywood) Freeway.
9. Discuss Status of the City's repairing the eroded hillside between Whitsett, the railroad Tracks and the Dept. of Transportation facility as well as the hillside south of the railroad tracks.
10. Discuss participating in the Department of Water and Power's Rain Garden project. The DWP will plant California friendly drought resistant plants to convert parkways into areas which collect rain water from lawns, sidewalks and driveways, instead of flowing into the streets, at no cost to the homeowner or renters.

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11. Discussion and possible action: Problems, of standing water, double parking, and poor pedestrian access due to a lack of a defined curb on the east side of Bellaire, south of Sherman Way.
12. Discuss: Neighborhood concerns and possible projects that the Beautification Committee can be involved with.
13. Committee member comments on non-agenda items.
14. Adjournment.

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