



WEST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

JOINT BOARD & OPERATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA Thursday, July 20, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.

Chaminade College Preparatory – Condon Center 2nd Floor 23241 W. Cohasset Street, West Hills, CA 91304

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- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Public Comment
- 3. Purpose of the Neighborhood Council
- 4. Governing Documents
 - Bylaws
 - Rosenburg Rules of Orders
 - WHNC Standing Rules
 - The Brown Act
- 5. Board Member Trainings
 - Ethics
 - Funding
 - Mandatory Code of Conduct
- 6. Function of each committee
 - Standing Committee vs. Ad Hoc Committee
- 7. Agendas
 - Formatting
 - Language
 - Supporting Material
 - Deadlines
- 8. Meeting Decorum

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