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Beautification Committee Meeting

AGENDA

Tuesday, November 01, 2011

6:30p.m.

Saticoy Elementary School

7850 Ethel Ave. | North Hollywood, CA 91605

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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. Discuss our Neighborhood Clean Up scheduled for November 5, 2011; areas to be cleaned, resources that are helping CD2, Hollywood Beautification Team, Strathern Neighborhood Watch, Wat Thai?.. Kaiser postings? Meet at K-Mart parking lot near front sidewalk, items Kmart is providing (tables, chairs and canopy and water/water holders??), items CD2 is providing (tools/water), and what we are to provide (refreshments (need to get!!) and T-shirts) . REMIND EVERYONE TO BRING OWN GLOVES!! And if you want to do other streets, bring your own tools! (Shovels, rakes, shears, weed whackers) ...
4. Discuss that someone from outreach be responsible to meet at 8: a.m. on Nov 5th for about ½ hours...at Whitsett and Sherman Way to point people who were told to meet there.. to now go to Kmart.
5. Discuss our promotional item (T-Shirts) to be given out to volunteers for the clean up on Nov 5th and how and to whom we will be giving them out

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6. Discuss handing out flyer at clean up to business to keep up the good work!
7. Discuss future projects, including but not limited to, having a way for residents to notify the Beautification Committee of homes that are being kept up nicely in our boundary and having a \$25/per month (\$300 per year expense) gift certificate give away if that home is voted on by our committee. Discuss whether to approach Kmart or 99 Cent or other boundary stores and/or restaurants and see if they could contribute Gift Certificates or match what we put in....perhaps starting in January...and other beautification ideas.
8. Discuss doing "something" for the holidays...a function? or something to do for the holidays in conjunction with our beautification committee. Collect toys as a whole NC thing...or "best decorated house" and gift certificate?? We need ideas.
9. Discuss problems of abandoned shopping carts which litter our sidewalks and create safety hazards for children who treat them like go-carts. One solution from a stakeholder is to recommend Grocery stores sell collapsible carts with the store's name on it, just as they sell reusable cloth shopping bags. The stores receive free advertising and would not have to pay someone to go around and collect the carts for them.
10. Committee member comments on non-agenda items.
11. Adjournment.

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